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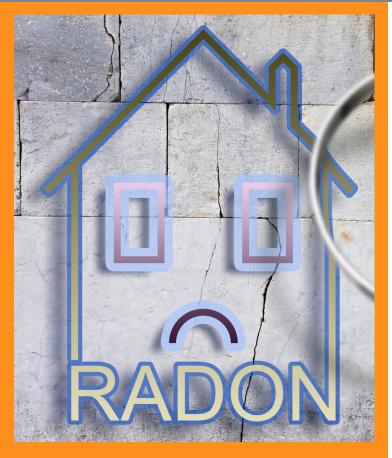
ISO 45001: REVOLUTIONIZING WORKPLACE SAFETY WITH GLOBAL STANDARDS

Do you know the official difference between a safety risk and a hazard? What about an incident and an accident on a job site? The nuance between terms can be complicated for even the most experienced safety leaders to explain to their crew.

This article from ASSP delves into the pivotal role of ISO 45001 in reducing "conceptual noise" – the confusion arising from unclear safety terminology. By recommending six practical steps, such as defining ambiguous terms and assessing worker literacy, it underscores the importance of precise communication in safety protocols.

This fantastic insight not only enhances understanding among employees but also aims to strengthen the overall safety culture within organizations.

Read the full article here!



HUD PRIORITIZES RADON AWARENESS IN ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEWS

In a recent notice, HUD emphasizes the importance of including radon in the contamination analysis of HUD-funded projects. This initiative aims to provide clear guidance on best practices for considering radon risks and to identify HUD programs with specific radon guidelines. While the notice stops short of mandating radon testing, it offers valuable strategies for assessing radon in site contamination analyses, aligning with HUD's commitment to ensuring safe and healthy living environments.

You can read HUD's update here!

If you have questions or concerns about Radon in HUD projects your team may be involved in, ETC can help! ETC is one of the state's only certified radon testing and consulting firms and can help make sense of the new HUD recommendations.



NAVIGATING THE RAINY SEASON: UNDERSTANDING MOLD RISKS AND SOLUTIONS As we gear up for the rainy season, it's important to be aware of the increased risk of mold, especially after flooding. Mold thrives in moist environments and can be a hidden threat in homes and workplaces, leading to health issues and structural damage. During this season, being proactive is key. Regular mold analysis can help detect any potential problems early on. Whether it's a residential

space or a job site, addressing mold promptly ensures a healthier, safer environment.

We're well-equipped to tackle these challenges. Our expert team offers comprehensive mold analysis services for both job sites and residential clients. Remember, timely intervention is key in mold management, and we're here to help every step of the way!

To learn more about how ETL can assist in your mold analysis needs, visit our site! Need a full mold investigation with expert analysis of the situation? <u>Contact our sales team!</u>