

Occupational Safety Enhancement Campaign
"Construction Industry : Safety First"

Theme	Activities	Key Organisations
Safe working mode/ Safe equipment	To proactively explore ways to request the closely place bamboos or planks on every lift of bamboo scaffolds on external walls of building	CIC
	To incorporate design elements conducive to safe maintenance of external walls, including air-conditioner platforms and curtain walls with design facilitating cleaning and repair so as to ensure safety of workers	BD
	To launch an enhanced "Light-duty Working Platform Sponsorship Scheme for SMEs" by subsidising SMEs to purchase safety working platforms that comply with safety standards	OSHC
	To launch "Safety Helmets with Y-type Chin Straps Sponsorship Scheme for SMEs" to enhance safety at work	OSHC and LD
Enhancing Safety Training	To launch an enhanced Mandatory Basic Safety Training Course (Construction Work) commonly known as Green Card Training Course	LD
	To launch a new training course on "Effective Safety Leadership" to enhance the safety management capability of small contractors	OSHC
	To launch the Accreditation Services for Accredited Safety Supervisor (Construction) to enable the industry to identify safety supervisors who possess the necessary qualifications and capability to perform the specified duties	OSHC

Enhancing Safety Promotion	To visit over 100 construction sites (including sites with high-risk operations) to promote work safety to frontline workers and distribute promotion stickers	LD, OSHC, HKCIEGU, ARIAV, and HKCA
	To distribute Construction Safety Banners to about 200 construction sites for display at prominent positions on site free of charge	OSHC, LD and CIC
	To organise Construction Safety Week with "Workers' safety behavior" and "Temporary works design" as the main themes	DEVB and CIC
	To broadcast special TV programmes on construction safety during peak hours	OSHC and LD
	To promote repair, maintenance, alteration and addition work safety to owners and tenants of residential/commercial premises as well as their contractors/workers of such work	LD, OSHC, HAD, BD and HKAPMC
	To arrange seminars on monthly basis on high-risk operations with topics including safe use of working platform and safety of falsework, etc.	OSHC
	To arrange safety talks and seminars for different stakeholders	LD and stakeholder organisations

Abbreviation:

Labour Department (LD)

Occupational Safety and Health Council (OSHC)

Development Bureau (DEVB)

Construction Industry Council (CIC)

Buildings Department (BD)

Home Affairs Department (HAD)

Hong Kong Construction Association (HKCA)

Hong Kong Association of Property Management Companies (HKAPMC)

Hong Kong Construction Industry Employees General Union (HKCIEGU)

Association for the Rights of Industrial Accident Victims (ARIAV)