



Senior Occupational Hygienist

Reference: 036574

Duration: Permanent, Full Time

Location: Richmond, BC

Deadline date: January 14, 2022

Are you an occupational hygienist with six years of industry related experience? Do you want to guide a team of professionals who help employers prevent occupational illness, disease, and disability? If so, we want to hear from you.

WorkSafeBC's Risk Analysis Unit is seeking a knowledgeable and dedicated senior occupational hygienist, to lead and participate in issues related to occupational hygiene management processes and strategies. This includes providing technical and support services to a team of occupational hygiene officers and other departments in helping us reduce risk and keep workplaces healthy and safe through education, consultation, and enforcement.

As a senior occupational hygienist you will:

- Promote regulatory requirements pertaining to occupational hygiene and health
- Lead, participate, and act as a technical resource on complex occupational hygiene and health issues processes
- Research and recommend solutions or strategies, including effective and efficient enforcement of occupational hygiene requirements for various industry focuses
- Guide the activities of WorkSafeBC's occupational hygiene officers and other work groups and assist in planning, delegation, and monitoring
- Measure and monitor the business effectiveness of occupational hygiene and health programs, projects and strategies for the Prevention department
- Represent divisional occupational hygiene initiatives with stakeholders

We're looking for someone who can:

- Provide occupational hygiene and health expertise and guidance to WorkSafeBC staff and stakeholders
- Use critical thinking skills to analyze and evaluate unique workplace hygiene and health issues and identify effective controls
- Develop strategies and solutions to address complex industry issues and initiatives in order to reduce risk and keep workplaces healthy and safe
- Make and enforce timely decisions independently and objectively, using sound judgment and technical knowledge
- Professionally deal with emergencies and sensitive situations
- Travel to locations in BC and stay overnight as required

Your experience and educational background:

- A bachelor's degree in science or engineering and a minimum of six years (real-time) directly related experience
- Certified as an Industrial/Occupational Hygienist (CIH/ROH)

Application requirements:

In addition to your resume, please submit:

Written submission - applicants must submit a report on an Occupational Hygiene topic which they have solely authored. Combine all documents into one file when submitting your application.

Please send any additional application materials via email to Talent Team by 4:30 p.m. on the closing date of the competition.

If you require an accommodation in the assessment process, please email the Recruitment Testing Accommodation (SM) at the time you submit your application.

Who are we?

At WorkSafeBC, we're dedicated to promoting safe and healthy workplaces across British Columbia. We partner with workers and employers to save lives and prevent injury, disease, and disability. When work-related injuries and diseases occur, we provide compensation, and support injured workers in their recovery, rehabilitation, and safe return to work. We also work diligently to sustain our workers compensation system for today and future generations. We're honoured to serve the 2.4 million workers and 245,000 registered employers in our province.

As part of our mandate, we have introduced an interim mandatory employee policy intended to prevent the transmission of COVID-19 and protect the health and safety of our employees, clients, and the public.

Effective November 1, 2021, WorkSafeBC will require all employees who interact in person with employers, workers, members of the public, or other WorkSafeBC staff to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. In implementing the policy, WorkSafeBC will consider its obligations to accommodate those staff who are unable to be vaccinated.

We recognize that our ability to make a difference relies on building a team with a rich variety of skills, knowledge, backgrounds, abilities, and experiences, and which reflects the diversity of the people we serve. We are committed to fostering a welcoming, inclusive, and supportive work culture where everyone can contribute as their best, authentic self. We encourage all qualified applicants to apply.

What's it like to work at WorkSafeBC?

It's challenging, stimulating and hugely rewarding. Our positions offer tremendous diversity and excellent opportunities for professional growth. Every day, the work we do impacts people and changes lives. What we do is important and so are the people we do it for.

Our benefits

Being part of WorkSafeBC means being part of a strong, committed team. Along with a competitive salary, your total compensation package may include vacation, optional leave arrangements, health care and dental benefits, and contributions toward your retirement pension. As a member of our team, you'll have access to services and benefits that can help you get the most out of work — and life.

WorkSafeBC has adopted a hybrid model offering opportunities to work remotely and onsite based on the operational needs of the position.

Learn more about what we offer.

This position is restricted to those legally entitled to work in Canada.

Thank you, in advance, for applying.

Please apply online at: <https://rita.illicohodes.com/go/61aff2e348f06e9cc48cf98e/5cc1fa14b6be8e05855a778c/en>