BWC safety process Roles and responsibilities (Sample)

	Employee *	Supervisor	Manager	Chief	Safety administrator	Statewide labor/ management safety committee
1. Active leadership	Follow leadership directives	Conduct safety briefings Participate in meetings and training Ensure safe work environment, including ergonomic factors Ensure all elements of the security plan are implemented	Include safety on meeting agenda Conduct_climate analysis Track hazard correction deadlines Measure and reward supervisor activities in Ohio Performance Review System (OPRS) Budget for losses and corrective action	Charge back costs of claims to departments Review safety-audit results and correction record Include safety on meeting agenda Hold managers accountable for annual safety and security goals and objectives in OPRS	Advise chiefs on activities. Participate on executive safety committee Audit whole system for effectiveness. Develop safety and health controls, strategies, procedures and programs	Regularly evaluate 10-Step Business Plan effectiveness Review and advise local office safety plans

2. Participation	Help with safety projects Participate in meetings, audits and problem solving Make improvement suggestions Informal on-the-job training (OJT) Become familiar with emergency procedures and evacuation routes Become familiar with basic workstation ergonomics Include OPRS goals for everyone	Help with safety projects Act on improvement suggestions Provide recognition for safe performance Encourage and allow participation Conduct informal OJT	Manage safety projects Manage improvement suggestions Encourage and allow participation	Sponsor recognition systems	Help offices develop effective safety teams. Teach offices how to do safety audits. Evaluate improvement suggestions for manager	Serve on the statewide and local teams
3. Medical and return to work	Immediately report accidents to supervisor Follow procedures Seek immediate and appropriate medical attention Become familiar with transitional work program	Maintain communication with injured worker and discuss the transitional work program Review accident analysis and develop corrective action plan Brief manager regarding injured worker Follow recommendations for return to work accommodations Identify transitional work tasks Involve injured workers in the transitional work programs when appropriate	Implement accommodations for return to work Brief chief on incident and corrective action plan	Discuss incident and corrective action at coordination meeting	Advise on accommodations for return to work and provide sources for equipment	
4. Communication	Communicate safety hazards	Hold job- safety discussions	Conduct regular safety meetings	Reinforce corporate safety culture through periodic communications	Help monitor effectiveness and communicate results Maintain a safety	Post meeting minutes on Intrafin Give and receives updates from local teams

5. Notification	Report incidents and accidents to supervisor File claim, if appropriate Report symptoms of cumulative trauma disorder Complete FROI/safety report within 24 hours	Encourage early reporting of ergonomic injuries Complete FROI/safety report within 24 hours	Ensure accident/incident investigation is completed		awareness program publishing safety tips to employers Report overall safety and health statistics and program results Review effectiveness of the notification process and make recommendations for improvement	
6. Coordination					Maintain technical expertise Serve as technical resource to answer questions	
7. Training plan	Complete all required safety training and requirements	Implement job specific training plans for employees using check lists Provide or acquire training for employees Train employees on location and proper use of fire extinguisher	Develop training plan for supervisors	Training plan for managers	Assess training needs Develop training information Provide training and/or train supervisors to deliver training.	Attend annual safety congress Participate in training
8. Safe work practices	Follow all safe work practices as outlined in the safety and health manual Encourage peers to follow safe work practices Wear personal protective equipment (PPE) if required Report unsafe work practices	Make safety observations Provide PPE where required Conduct regular safety audits with employees Post or make available job specific work practices	Conduct impromptu safety audits Review quality of observations and coach Budget for PPE	Hold impromptu safety audits	Advise on selection of and sources for PPE Conduct periodic site inspections	Provide accountability for corrective action
9. Policy	•	Promote and disseminate the policy established	Promote and disseminate the policy established	Promote and disseminate the policy established	Promote and disseminate the policy established by	•

		by the CEO	by the CEO	by the CEO	the CEO	
10. Recordkeeping	Complete necessary forms and reports	Review local statistics Complete necessary forms and reports	Compile and review office statistics Ensure completion of necessary forms and reports	Compile and review division statistics Ensure completion of necessary forms and reports	Update tracking software. Checks to see if accident analysis is completed Monitor performance and trends Maintain archive of reported data and recommend improvement to safety program	Monitor performance and trends

Safety project options include:

- Perception surveys and improvement plans;
- Writing office specific policies and procedures;
- Designing office specific training.

Recommended next step:

- Establish OPRS goals for each level of the organization.
- * Every responsibility listed under the employee column applies to the other columns as well.