



February 2026 Safety Calendar:

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 1: What is Workplace Safety?						
Being free from hazards and risks 1	Preventing accidents and injuries 2	Promoting awareness of mental health, sexual harassment and workplace violence 3	Awareness of safely performing job tasks 4	Understanding how to respond to various injuries 5	Implementing and maintaining safety programs 6	Engaging with staff to ensure they feel safe 7
Week 2: Why is Workplace Safety Important?						
It helps to protect the hotel staff (and guests) 8	Less injuries, illnesses and fatalities 9	Team members feel safer and secure 10	Typically leads to improved productivity 11	Reduces the likelihood of OSHA fines 12	Reduces downtime of injuries and/or illness 13	Contributes to the hotel's reputation 14
Week 3: Key Elements of a Safe Workplace						
Consistent safety committee meetings 15	Consistent hotel self-inspections (and follow-up of any hazards) 16	Job task specific best practices 17	Accident reporting and investigations 18	Emergency Preparedness 19	Audits to confirm safety programs are implemented as required 20	Engage team members in the safety process! 21
Week 4: Examples of a Healthy Safe Workplace						
Associate observes a spill on the floor and cleans it 22	An engineer replacing lights in the lobby removes the ladder when going to lunch 23	A front desk clerk being yelled at uses de-escalation best practices to calm the conversation 24	An F&B staff member reports a leaking pipe in the kitchen 25	Department managers share a safety tip each month with their staff 26	Associates are encouraged to report hazards 27	A housekeeper during a bed linen change places sheets in a safe place to avoid a tripping hazard 28

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Safety Programs and policies

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Week 1

What is Workplace Safety?

1. Being free from risks
2. Preventing accidents and injuries promoting awareness of mental health, sexual harassment and workplace violence
3. Awareness of safely performing job tasks
4. Understanding how to respond to various injuries
5. Implementing and maintaining safety programs
6. Engaging with staff to ensure they feel safe

Week 2

Why is Workplace Safety Important?

1. It helps to protect the hotel staff (and guests)
2. Less injuries, illnesses and fatalities
3. Team members feel safer and secure
4. Typically leads to improved productivity
5. Reduces the likelihood of OSHA fines
6. Reduces downtime of injuries and/or illness
7. Contributes to the hotel's reputation

Week 3

Key Elements of a Safe Workplace

1. Consistent safety committee meetings
2. Consistent hotel self-inspections (and follow-up of any hazards)
3. Job task specific best practices
4. Accident reporting and investigations
5. Emergency Preparedness
6. Audits to confirm safety programs are implemented as required
7. Engage team members in the safety process!

Week 4

Examples of a Healthy Safe Workplace

1. Associate observes a spill on the floor and cleans it
2. An engineer replacing lights in the lobby removes the ladder when going to lunch
3. A front desk clerk being yelled at uses de-escalation best practices to calm the conversation
4. An F&B staff member reports a leaking pipe in the kitchen
5. Department managers share a safety tip each month with their staff
6. Associates are encouraged to report hazards
7. A housekeeper during a bed linen change places sheets in a safe place to avoid a tripping hazard

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