Healthy Workplaces Lighten the Load
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Results received:

- Strong participation
- More than 1000 inspectors trained
- Report template appreciated
Motivation – Learning examples
Good practices – learning examples

Food industry

- Warm-up and hand stretching exercises during the working event
- Anti-fatigue mats, foot rests and tables of different heights, handling equipment
- Robotisation of part of the line/installation of equipment that allows the automation of tasks
Learning examples - logistics

teleoscopic conveyor belt with platform can move into the truck

and can be moved both horizontally and vertically

reducing the operator's need to work in awkward working positions
Other results – challenges regarding RA

Hairdressers sector:
• More than half of the companies had not conducted a risk assessment
• Risk Assessment process, was fit for purpose in a small percentage

However:
• Some employers were implementing preventive measures
• Workers representatives in process of RA can increase the quality of the result
THANK YOU