

Methodologies to identify work-related diseases – Review on sentinel and alert approaches

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EU-OSHA's work on work-related diseases Background

"Improving the prevention of work-related diseases by tackling existing, new and emerging risks"

- EU Strategic Framework on Health and Safety at Work 2014-2020
 - a key challenge to be addressed
- A priority in EU-OSHA's Multi-annual Strategic Programme 2014-2020



EU-OSHA's work on work-related diseases – 2016 – 2018

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Projects	Outputs
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Rehabilitation and return-to-work after cancer – Instruments and practices	Literature review Overview report & executive summary Short document providing advice Two PPTs, Workshop summary
Review on specific work-related diseases due to biological agents	Literature review Overview report & executive summary 5 articles Two PPTs, 2 Workshop summaries
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Health risks linked to fumigation of cargo in ports	Report Summary, PPT
Feasibility study on a survey regarding carcinogens exposure at work	Overview report & executive summary Methodology proposal
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- 3-year project: 2016 2018
- Project Manager: Emmanuelle Brun, EU-OSHA
- Commissioned to a research team made of:
 - KU Leuven, the Coronel Institute, the Finnish Institute of Occupational Health, the University of Manchester and the University of Bologna

5 tasks:

- Task 1: Literature review published end May
- Task 2: In-depth review of selected systems
- Seminar to discuss and consolidate Task 1 & Task 2 NOW
- Task 4: Production of a final report including policy options to publish 2018
- Task 5: Final workshop with stakeholders



Have a good workshop!



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