

Workplace Violence Prevention Laws & Regulations



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- A.(1) Each regulated entity shall develop and maintain a workplace violence prevention plan that includes, at minimum, all of the following resources:
- (a) Resources for ongoing education on the issue of workplace violence.
- (b) Resources for prevention of workplace violence.
- (c) Resources on responding to incidents of workplace violence and debriefing with respect to such incidents and responses thereto.
- (2) Each healthcare workplace violence prevention plan developed pursuant to this Section shall address and encompass all of the following:
- (a) Personnel education and policies requiring all healthcare workers who provide direct care to patients to receive, at least annually, education and training is a format that provides an opportunity for interactive questions and answers with personal knowledge about the workplace violence prevention plan. The education and training delivered pursuant to a workplace violence prevention plan shall cover topics including but not limited to all of the following:
- (i) How to recognize the potential for violence to occur.
- (ii) When and how to seek assistance to prevent or respond to violence.
- (iii) How to report violent incidents to law enforcement.
- (iv) Resources available to employees for coping with incidents of workplace violence.
- (b) A system for responding to and investigating violent incidents and situations involving violence.