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Brewery Tour Safety: Planning

- Map the facility and know what your tour path will be; larger facilities may want to have alternative routes built-in should there be a need to deviate during a tour.
- Determine how many people can be safely managed while giving the tour.
- Decide when tours will be given and coordinate with production to minimize disruptions and reduce exposure to hazards associated with production.
- Identify the hazards that a tour group could be exposed to and determine how those hazards will be mitigated.
- Conduct a pre-tour inspection of the tour path to identify any new or un-anticipated hazards.



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Brewery Tour Safety: Conducting the Tour

- Clearly communicate to the visitors the potential hazards they may be exposed to (slips, trips & falls, hot surfaces, material handling equipment, etc.) and how you will avoid them.
- Provide appropriate PPE (safety glasses, hearing protection, over-boots, etc.) if necessary.
- Communicate your expectations of behavior during the tour and the consequences for not following instructions.
- Keep track of visitors.



Send questions to the OCBA Safety Committee at:

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