



Code 1328. Innovative Partnerships for Promoting Occupation Health with Immigrant Workers

Length/Duración: 90 minutes

Latino immigrants are 50% more likely than all workers in the U.S. to experience a fatal injury at work. Occupational safety and health (OSH) organizations often find that the approaches and networks they successfully use to promote osh among U.S.-born workers are ineffective at reaching Latino immigrants. This workshop describes the collaboration between the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) and the National Alliance of Latin American and Caribbean Communities (NALACC) to promote OSH among immigrant workers. The focus of this ongoing collaboration is to develop the internal capacity of community organizations like NALACC to promote OSH among immigrants while simultaneously developing NIOSH's internal capacity to create effective and sustainable initiatives to better document and reduce occupational health disparities for immigrants in the U.S.



4:45-6:15 p.m.

Salón/Room: C-1

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