

Strategic Initiatives Work Group Status Overview

- **Accomplishments:**

1. June 26. Telecom with USW – Informative near-miss occurrence reporting.
2. June 29. HS-24 finalized and released the Injury and Illness Dashboard.
3. July 30. Meeting held to reconfirm the priorities of and a path forward for the HSS Union Strategic Initiatives WG.
 - Discussed worker safety and reporting issues and confirmed that reporting and recording would be the near-term focus of the group.
 - The recent release of the Injury and Illness Dashboard as a tool for easily exploring DOE occupational safety and health injury and illness information was also highlighted.
4. Aug 29 – 31. HSS Analysis Lead (Steve Domotor) attended USW’s DOE Worker Trainers’ Summit.
 - Shared information on DOE's Reporting Directives, occurrence reporting, safety performance dashboards and tools available through HSS's Office of Analysis.
 - Participated in sessions designed to develop USW’s Near Miss Program; USW shared examples of near-miss events at their sites.
 - Continued discussions/collaboration on near-miss reporting improvements are planned for the next Strategic Initiatives Work Group meeting.

- **Near Term Goals/Activities:**

1. Work Group meeting to be scheduled – address union-expressed issues related to under reporting/near miss reporting; presentation of Injury and Illness Dashboard tool.
2. Work Group action plan to be further developed based on the meeting discussion.

- **Upcoming Meetings:** A full Work Group meeting will be scheduled within the coming weeks.

- **Issues/Areas of Concern:** None to report