You have the right to safe work



The Right to Know...

- To know about any hazards you may encounter in your workplace. and how to protect yourself from them.
- · Receive safety and health training and instruction before you begin work, and when your work changes.
- Be under the direction of a competent supervisor who can show you how to perform your work safely.

The Right to Participate...

- To participate in a workplace Safety and Health Committee if there are 20 or more employees in your workplace.
- To participate as a Worker Safety and Health Representative if there are between 5 and 19 employees in your workplace.
- To ask for additional information or voice a concern related to safety and health hazards to which you may be exposed.

The Right to Refuse Unsafe Work...

 To refuse work that you believe is dangerous to your safety and health or to others.

The Right to Protection

- If you exercise a right or carry out a duty under the Workplace Safety and Health Act or Regulations, you cannot be disciplined or discriminated against.
- This includes using your right to refuse unsafe work, or reporting a safety and health concern to your supervisor, a Safety Committee member, the Worker Safety Representative, your Union or Workplace Safety and Health.

To learn more about how to address a safety and health concern or file a WCB claim, visit MGEU.ca/for-members/workplacesafety-and-health







