

Invitation to attend:
NIEHS Worker Training Program Interactive Listening Session
Impact of the Opioid Epidemic on Workers and
Worker Training Needs

Sponsored by NYCOSH and the New Jersey/New York Hazardous Materials Worker Training Center

Date: Thursday, September 27, 2018
Where: UAW Region 9A, 256 W. 38th Street, 12th Floor. (between 7th & 8th Avenues), NYC, NY
Time: 2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Who should attend: safety & health and community services representatives from labor unions, new labor organizations, and injured worker advocates

The National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS) Worker Training Program (WTP) is conducting a series of interactive listening meetings across the country to learn about the impact of the opioid epidemic on workers and the workplace. The goal is to learn from participants what is happening in a broad array of affected industries and occupations and to identify training needs, gaps and opportunities.

NIEHS WTP funds worker training consortiums across the US that provide occupational safety and health training to workers on hazardous materials, protection from exposure to infectious diseases, disaster preparedness and response, and related topics.

The availability and quality of training to protect emergency responders, law enforcement, laboratorians, and environmental service workers from occupational exposure to fentanyl and related drugs will also be discussed.

To RSVP, please contact Kenda Freeman at KFreeman@michaeldbaker.com.