

Environment, Facilities Management, Safety and Accident Prevention Highlights

Health and Chemical Hazards

Consultant at the Health Protection Agency's Chemical Hazards and Poisons Unit, Professor **Virginia Murray**, looks at the occupational health implications following chemical incidents. Using case studies such as the Sandhurst fire and flood, London bombings and Buncefield, she profiles the joint occupational health and safety cell concept developed after the 2005 London Bombings with the Metropolitan Police, other emergency and NHS occupational health services.

Controlling and Preventing Legionnaires Disease at Work

Water expert **Nigel Richardson** advises on current legislation and guidance to ensure employers stay on the right side of the law. He discusses the latest ideas on controlling and preventing Legionnaires in the workplace, providing practical actions and solutions to ensure delegates are not caught short should an inspector call.

Managing the Risk of Remote Working

Employees are increasingly working remotely, including in the street, in someone's house or even inside their own home. The range of hazards they face can be significant. E.ON UK's **Professor Neil Budworth** and **Steven Holliday** profile how a group of high-risk lone workers were identified, along with the risks they faced and how these were tackled. Issues considered include assaults, bites, road traffic accidents, slips, trips and falls and the use of managerial and behavioural techniques.

Accident Investigation – Minimising Liabilities

Evidence gathered immediately following an accident is vital in assisting your insurers and their solicitors to decide whether any subsequent compensation claim should be settled or robustly defended. Weightmans' **Ivor Long** explains the litigation process involved and how the effectiveness of an investigation can determine the outcome of a claim.

Young Drivers

RoSPA's **Kevin Clinton** looks at ways of ensuring the safety of young drivers as well as the main reasons why they pose a higher than normal risk. He suggests some strategies for reducing this risk, including how employers can support young employees that drive for work.



Prof. Virginia Murray



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- Managing Health Following Chemical Hazards *Tues 10.15am*
- Minimising the Risk of Legionnaires Disease *Tues 12.30pm*
- Managing the Risks of Remote Working – A Health and Safety Issue *Wed 10.00am*
- Ensuring the Safety of Young Drivers *Wed 12.10pm*
- Accident Investigation – Minimising Liabilities *Wed 2.55pm*