

GRIP on Safety Excellence Award

The GRIP on Safety Excellence Award was designed to identify and recognize companies with exceptional safety programs.

Benefits of the GRIP on Safety Excellence Award include:

- Company recognition for safety excellence
- Decrease in employee injuries and lost workdays
- Reduction of regulatory compliance exposure
- Lower workers comp insurance costs
- Proactive way to mitigate risk
- Increase competitive advantage

Eligibility:

To qualify for BRONZE, participants must meet the following criteria:

- Any GRIP member that is actively enrolled and in good standing
- Eligible candidates MUST have EMR below 0.9 beginning January 1 of the application year.
- Eligible candidate MUST not have had a fatality or inpatient hospitalization company-wide during the application period or previous year.
- Eligible candidates MUST have no serious, willful, or failure to abate DOSH citations company-wide during application period previous year.
- Eligible candidates MUST submit an application before the required deadline with a score of at least 75% or greater by deadline.

To qualify for SILVER, participants must meet the following criteria:

- Any GRIP member that is actively enrolled and in good standing.
- Eligible candidates MUST have EMR below 0.8 beginning January 1 of the application year.
- Eligible candidates MUST have no fatalities or in-patient hospitalizations company-wide during application period or in the previous two years.
- Eligible candidates MUST have no serious, willful, or failure to abate DOSH citations company-wide during application period or in the previous two years.
- Eligible candidates MUST submit an application before the required deadline with a score of at least 85%+ before required deadline.

To qualify for GOLD, participants must meet the additional criteria:

- Any GRIP member that is actively enrolled and in good standing.
- Eligible candidates MUST have a total recordable incident rate (TRIR), days away, job transfer/restrictions and DART rate 25% below the Washington State NAICS code average for the most current data year. [Injury & Illness Incidence Rate Calculator and Comparison Tool \(bls.gov\)](#)
- Eligible candidates MUST have EMR at or below 0.7 beginning January 1 of the application year.
- Eligible candidates MUST have no fatalities or in-patient hospitalizations company-wide during application period or in the previous three years.

- Eligible candidates MUST have no serious, willful, or failure to abate DOSH citations company-wide during application period or in the previous three years.
- Eligible candidates MUST submit an application before the required deadline with a score 90%+.
- Gold award recipients are required to be present at the award ceremony, failure to attend the ceremony will result in forfeiture of the award.

Application Process:

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Submit the application before the August 31, 2022, deadline to be eligible for review by the program administrator.

GOLD Winner Selections:

Entrants will be broken down into the following categories by hours worked:

- 0 to 50,000 (0-25 EE)
- 50,001 – 100,000 (26-50 EE)
- 100001+ (51 + EE)

Applications will be reviewed by a program administrator. The company who has the highest achievement score and the best overall performance data, EMR, DART and TRIR will be selected as the winner. Tie breakers will be determined by averaging TRIR and DART rate together for lowest score.

Bronze: submitted application form and met bronze safety excellence score

Silver: submitted application form and met silver safety excellence score

Gold: One (1) member from each cohort

Gold members can win the award once every other year.

Gold awards winners will be recognized at the Winter General Membership Dinner. Award winners will also be recognized on the MBA website, builder's magazine, and e-newsletter.

Timeline

- April 1 – August 31: companies may submit their application.
- September 1 – October 31: applications will be reviewed. GRIP members who score >90+ on the application form will be contacted to schedule an onsite program review.
- November: The Gold winner will be contacted.
- December: GOLD winner will be recognized at Winter General Membership Dinner.