

LaRC SAFETY HIGHLIGHTS

April 14, 2003

FY 2003 - Civil Servants



() = Number of new occurrences

OSHA Recordable Cases = Fatalities, Lost Time, Incidents and Restricted Work Incidents.
Incidents = Cases in which more than first aid treatment is required, but less than 8 hours of time is lost.
Restricted Work Incidents = Cases requiring first aid treatment, resulting in light duty restrictions.

Injury/Mishap Information



- The Center has been **19** days **without** a Civil Servant **Lost Time Injury. (Record 433 days)**
- The following first aid case involving a civil servant was reported:
 - A SEC employee sustained a hand laceration from a metal burr on a metal door frame. The burr was immediately removed.



Safety Information - Certain hazardous work requires the request and approval of a safety permit before work can begin to ensure proper operating and emergency procedures, personal protective equipment, training, and medical surveillance are in place to prevent injury and illness. Safety permits for the following types of work may be requested by contacting the Safety and Facility Assurance Office: Ionizing radiation, non-ionizing radiation (lasers), potentially hazardous materials, pyrotechnics, confined space entry, asbestos removal, and hot work permit (welding, grinding, burning).



Weekly Video Schedule - April 14-18, 2003 - Hearing Protection - Sounds Good to Me; What Could Go Wrong?; Hearing Protection - It Makes Sense; Step-By-Step - Avoiding Slips, Trips, and Falls; and Pro-Active Safety - Accidents Don't Have to Happen. (Contact Chip Quinn, 48743)

Reminder - A test of the LaRC Emergency Siren System will be held on April 17, 2003, at 1:00p.m.