

CONSTRUCTION IS TOUGH: Protect Construction Professionals from Opioid Risk

Among all occupations, construction workers have one of the highest rates of death from overdose.



In 2021, **nearly 275** U.S. lives were lost to drug overdoses every day--Opioids were a factor in 75% of all fatal overdoses.



43% of Construction Worker report increased anxiety and depression during the Covid-19 Pandemic.



Unintentional overdose fatalities in the construction industry jumped from **7** deaths in 2011 to **65** deaths in 2018, a **nine-fold increase** in eight years.



1 out of 3 construction professionals have muscle skeletal disorder (MSD).



Prescription opioid use is **3 times higher** among construction professionals with MSD.



The construction industry receives **20% more** and **20% stronger** opioid prescriptions.

Invest in Workplace safety to reduce injuries, provide health care and sick leave, and connect your workforce with resources--so they can stay healthy and stay on the job.

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