





A program for new and experienced lab safety professionals alike 2023 Annual Academy for Lab Safety Excellence

COVID-19! Monkeypox! What's next? As a lab safety professional, people are looking to you to manage your entire safety program, even during these unusual times. Whether you are new in the role or have many years of experience, it can be difficult to figure out how to get the resources you need. Your time is valuable, and the Academy virtual training options will provide you the opportunities you need to improve your overall **lab safety culture and to keep your staff safe!** With innovative programs and diverse option offers, the **2023 Academy for Lab Safety Excellence** will make you a *safety champion* and a *safety leader* for your laboratory team!

Over 2,000 of your colleagues have participated in the Academy for the past 13 years. The 2023 Academy is a perfect way to advance your lab safety knowledge if you:

- Find it frustrating to locate safety information from a variety of sources
- Want to expand the impact of your lab safety expertise
- Want to increase your effectiveness in educating staff on lab safety issues
- Need ready access to colleagues whose expertise in lab safety is well known
- Would like to network with your peers on a regular basis for lab safety ideas

Your Lab Safety colleagues have this to say about the annual Academy:

"I am so grateful that my employer found and enrolled myself and others into the 2022 Safety Academy. Not only is it a great way for me to ensure I am up to date on Laboratory Safety as Lab Safety Officer, it is also helpful to have information come....from other lab safety professionals in the Safety Mastermind program."

Jessica Norris, Lab Safety and Quality, MT III, Emory Medical Laboratories

"The educational sessions presented in the Academy for Lab Safety Excellence are relevant, current and needed in our changing regulatory environment. Dan and other contributors are always well prepared and thorough. These are exceptional programs for laboratories, lab safety personnel and teams."

Crystal Sands, NorDx Laboratories, Scarborough, Maine

"Dan has a comprehensive program that covers everything related to Lab Safety. His webinars and newsletters are filled with pertinent information, and he is always available to provide feedback and resources." Zully Osoria, Department Supervisor at Emory Healthcare

"Dan is invaluable as he helps me transition book knowledge to everyday practice. His Academy for Lab Safety Excellence has supported my confidence that I am steering laboratory employees to be safety-conscious." Rebecca Lattis-Cole, Lab Safety and Regulatory Affairs Manager, HealthTrackRx Laboratory







Here are some exclusive offers in the 2023 program:

- Eight live and recorded 60-minute training sessions- watch recordings at your convenience all year!
- Safety Mastermind Groups interactive sessions with fellow lab safety professionals the only such network available anywhere where clinical lab leaders solve safety issues- a customer favorite (add 2 PACE credits)!
- A book offer for Option 3 purchases: 52 Laboratory Safety Tips for Leaders!!
- Access to the previous year's Academy recordings with option 3. (A \$400 value!)

All webinars will be held at 1 pm ET, noon CT, 11 am MT and 10 am PT and are 60 minutes in length.

You can expect: Eight webinars over a 12 month period with other members of the Academy to brainstorm safety issues and cover a particular safety topic including:

1. January 11, 2023 – Lab Injuries and Exposures- The Real Data

Do you have safety monitors in your laboratory? Do they include all exposures and injuries or only those reportable to OSHA? This session will explain how to use benchmark data to help you understand where your lab stands compared to others, and you will be able to use tracking and trending data to make improvements in your overall lab safety program.

Speaker: Dan Scungio, MT(ASCP)SLS, CQA (ASQ), Dan the Lab Safety Man™, Williamsburg, VA

2. February 8, 2023 – Connecting Plans & Outcomes with Safer Behaviors

How is your lab safety program working? Does it truly affect the behavior of those working in the department? How can you look at safety outcomes to see where changes are needed? Our favorite guest speaker, Sean Kaufman, returns as he uses his expertise in human behavior and safety to fit these pieces of this puzzle together.

Guest Speaker: Sean Kaufman, MPH, CHES, CPH, CIC, Certified MBTI Personality Assessment Provider, CEO of Behavioral-Based Improvement Solutions, Executive Director of BioSafe360.

3. April 12, 2023 – Managing Modern Threats to Laboratory Safety

Cyber Attacks, COVID-19, Monkeypox...what is the next threat to laboratory safety, and how will you and your staff react? Learn how to set up an organized system using gap analyses and risk assessments that will prepare you for the next threat(s) to your lab and staff.

Speaker: Dan Scungio, MT(ASCP)SLS, CQA (ASQ), Dan the Lab Safety Man™, Williamsburg, VA

4. May 10, 2023 – Fireproofing Your Lab

Think you have fire safety covered? Is your lab ready to respond to a fire? Do they know how to evacuate? Is chemical storage managed to prevent a potential fire from starting or spreading? This session reveals the hidden fire dangers we don't consider, and it will provide easy methods to fireproof your lab.

Speaker: Dan Scungio, MT(ASCP)SLS, CQA (ASQ), Dan the Lab Safety Man™, Williamsburg, VA







5. August 9, 2023 - The Pitfalls and Perils of Personal Protective Equipment

What does OSHA require regarding PPE selection? Does your PPE manufacturer provide the information you need? Selection and training are key aspects of PPE use in the lab, but many fail to understand the requirements. Join Dan and special guest speaker Dennis Adams to delve into PPE, testing standards and information about use and care that will enable your staff to properly protect themselves from the many hazards in the laboratory.

Speakers: Dan Scungio, MT(ASCP)SLS, CQA (ASQ), Dan the Lab Safety Man™, Williamsburg, VA Dennis Adams, owner of DenLine Uniforms, Inc., Quincy, Illinois

6. September 13, 2023 – Intersection: Where Safety Regulations Collide

The chemical spill incident revealed a larger issue regarding fire safety. The lab fire occurred because an employee wasn't following the cell phone policy. It can be difficult to keep track of multiple lab safety areas at once, but so many of them intersect. Learn how to understand the regulations in a way that helps you to manage lab safety as a whole.

Speaker: Dan Scungio, MT(ASCP)SLS, CQA (ASQ), Dan the Lab Safety Man™, Williamsburg, VA

7. October 11, 2023 – Normalized Deviance- Tackling Unsafe Trends

Look around your lab and observe normal behaviors. Are people wearing PPE? Are they using their cell phones? Learn how unsafe practices become the norm in a department and discover tips and tricks for making changes that will erode those bad habits away for good.

Speaker: Dan Scungio, MT(ASCP)SLS, CQA (ASQ), Dan the Lab Safety Man™, Williamsburg, VA

8. November 8, 2023 - Safety Succession- Prepare the Way

You've done your job well and are ready to retire. Or maybe you're new to lab safety but another job opportunity has come your way. How do you keep your lab safety program going once you are gone? How do you prepare your lab for the next safety leader? This session will teach you how to always be ready for that transition no matter when it happens.

Speaker: Dan Scungio, MT(ASCP)SLS, CQA (ASQ), Dan the Lab Safety Man™, Williamsburg, VA







The Academy Provides:

- Timely updates via email with lab safety information before it is posted on the website or in the Safety Savvy newsletter
- Virtual training with guest experts in their field on a variety of lab safety topics
- Eight (8) P.A.C.E.® contact hours after successfully completing the Academy (plus 2 PACE credits for participation in the Mastermind sessions) (Options #2 and #3 only)

The overall objectives are:

At the end of this program, participants will be able to:

- Locate up-to-date safety information from a variety of expert sources
- Prepare or modify policies and procedures to improve laboratory safety at your institution
- Provide effective programs to educate staff on laboratory safety issues

This program is an effective educational tool for lab safety professionals whether new to the job or with years of experience!







The value options:

- Option 1 includes:
 - the eight part lab safety webinar series (\$800 value) for up to ten (10) participants (per site)
 (that's less than \$50 per session if you use the early bird registration)
 - does NOT include P.A.C.E.® contact hours (see ** below)
- Option 2 (your best value option) includes:
 - a one-on-one phone call between the site coordinator and Dan the Lab Safety Man[™], a lab safety expert with over 30 years in the field prior to the start of the series (\$150 value)
 - the eight part lab safety webinar series (\$800 value) for up to ten (10) participants (per site)
 - eight (8) P.A.C.E.® contact hours of continuing education that can be used for recertification or licensure for up to ten (10) participants (+ 2 PACE credits for those in the Mastermind program)
 - access to current safety information as it applies to the clinical laboratory from a variety of experts and sources
 - o enrollment in the 2023 Safety Mastermind Group
 - o unlimited access to laboratory safety experts until December 2023
 - networking opportunities with your fellow safety officers to solve your safety issues in real time and avoid heavy OSHA penalties or lack of accreditation due to safety issues by CAP, COLA or the Joint Commission (priceless!)
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 - one print copy of *The Complete Guide to Lab Safety- 5th Ed.*, authored by Dan Scungio and published by HCPro in 2019 (\$250 value)
 - one print OR digital copy of 52 Laboratory Safety Tips for Leaders authored by Dan Scungio (\$25 value)
 - Access to all eight 2022 Safety Academy webinar recordings all year (\$400 value).
 - A copy of the Dan the Lab Safety Man/Safety Lady DVD Chemical Management (GHScompliant), complete with leader's guide and quiz perfect for training staff (\$125 value).
 - Networking opportunities with your fellow safety officers to solve your safety issues in real time and avoid heavy OSHA penalties or lack of accreditation due to safety issues by CAP, COLA or The Joint Commission (priceless!)

A La Carte Options:

- o Choose one or more individual virtual training sessions- pick your favorites! \$150 each
- PACE credits for individual sessions or for all sessions in option 1- \$10 each or \$25 for all 8 sessions
- Join the Safety Mastermind Group for the year with option 1! \$75 per person (2 PACE credits)
- Purchase the Academy for <u>multiple sites</u>- ask for discounts!
- o a one-on-one phone call between the site coordinator and Dan the Lab Safety Man™ \$50 each







The investment:

Option 1 - \$498 per site – (\$800 value) – does **NOT** include P.A.C.E.® contact hours (see ^{**} below) Option 2 - \$685 per site – (\$1300 value) includes 8 P.A.C.E.® contact hours for up to 10 participants Option 3 - \$1055 per site – (\$1,800 value) includes 8 P.A.C.E.® contact hours for up to 10 participants

Early Bird Registration

If you register **before December 1, 2022** you can **SAVE \$100** off any one of the options as follows:

Option 1 - \$398 <u>per site</u>- (\$800 value)- does **NOT** include P.A.C.E.® contact hours (see ^{**} below) Option 2 - \$585 <u>per site</u> - (\$1,300 value) includes 8 P.A.C.E.® contact hours for up to 10 participants Option 3 - \$955 <u>per site</u> - (\$1,800 value) includes 8 P.A.C.E.® contact hours for up to 10 participants

Are you only interested in a few of the programs?

- Each individual session can be purchased for \$150
 - Early Bird before 12/1/2022 \$99 per program

**Do you have a group at your site and plan to sign up for Option 1 but need P.A.C.E.® contact hours for the employees that participate?

• 8 P.A.C.E.® contact hours are available for an additional cost of \$25 per person for the series.

Are you on a limited budget and need to make installment payments?

• Call 877-894-7004 for more information

Great multi-site discounts offered! Call or e-mail for details!!







Why still such a bargain?

Where else can you jump start your clinical laboratory safety knowledge for pennies on the dollar? Travel budgets are cut, staffing is short and you know where your learning gaps are but you would like one-stop shopping for your safety information. Well, here it is, and we've made it easy to get what you need even if you have to pay for it yourself.

This program is an ideal way to get continuing education for you and your staff without having to leave your laboratory! Are you too busy to view the scheduled live webinar? No problem! You can view the recorded session until the end of the year at your convenience. Do you have questions about the session? You can always contact Dan the Lab Safety Man or other members of the Academy to get answers.

There is no other laboratory safety training that provides this high level of value for this pricing.

Four ways to register for the 2023 Academy:

- 1. Fill out the order form and fax it with your Purchase Order to 815-301-9814.
- 2. Fill out the order form below and mail it with a Check made out to Dan The Lab Safety Man, Inc. to the address below.
- 3. Make payment through PayPal[™] (may also use credit card here) at http://www.danthelabsafetyman.com/products.html
- 4. Fill out the order form, fax it in and call 877-894-7004 to pay by credit card.

Remember to also turn in the order form when paying by PayPal, credit card or PO!







Order Form:

Sign me up for Option # _____ at \$_____

OR: Sign me up for the following individual sessions: _

at \$150 each for \$

This order form MUST accompany a purchase order or check.

Williamsburg, Virginia 23185

When using PayPal®, please fax this order form to 815-301-9814 to ensure the site coordinator is properly identified and can receive the program materials.

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Mail to:	Dan the Lab Safety Man, Inc. 105 Percussion Road		

Confirmation of your registration will be sent to your email address. Early Bird registration deadline is <u>December 1, 2022</u>

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