EMPOWERING OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES (ODs) REPORTING

REPORTING FOR A HEALTHIER WORKPLACE

This poster contains references to the Note-to-Industry (NTI) (Ref: 2024/NTI/07) and Leaflet to promote compliance with the WSH (Incident Reporting) Regulations, 2014.

WSH (INCIDENT REPORTING) REGULATIONS, 2014

According to Regulations 6 of the WSH (Incident Reporting) Regulations, 2014:

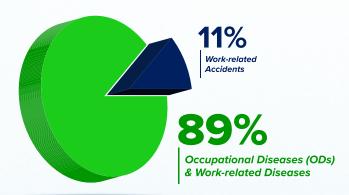
	WHO SHALL REPORT	WHAT AND WHEN TO REPORT
	Employer	 Where an employee suffers an Occupational Disease at a workplace, and the employer of that employee receives a statement prepared by the RPM diagnosing the occupational disease. Submission of an official report to SHENA not later than 10 days after receipt of the written diagnosis.
X	Registered Medical Practitioner (RPM)	 Where any employee has been diagnosed with an occupational disease by the RPM. Submission of an official report to SHENA not later than 10 days after the diagnosis.
	Note: The employer and the registered medical practitioner shall report to SHENA separately for the same employee.	

"registered medical practitioner" means a person registered under the Medical Practitioners and Dentists Act (Chapter 112).

THE HIDDEN EPIDEMIC

2.93 MILLION

WORK-RELATED FATALITIES



Source: International Labour Organisation (ILO) 2023's Report

In Brunei Darussalam, 108 cases of occupational and work-related diseases were reported from 2017 to 2022. While the incidence rate of the reported cases is significantly lower than global figures i.e. 3.32 per **100,000 workers**, under-reporting remains a significant concern.

OCCUPATIONAL AND WORK-RELATED DISEASES



HOW TO REPORT ODs?



IF NOT REPORTED?

Registered medical practitioner and employer are contravening the WSH (Incident Reporting) Regulations, 2014:

- For a first offence: to a fine not exceeding \$5,000; and
- For further subsequent offences: a fine not exceeding \$10,000 or imprisonment for a long term not exceeding 6 months or both.



Any person knowingly makes any false notification or report to the Authority about the occurrence at workplace of any accident, dangerous occurrence or occupational disease is **guilty** of an **offence** and liable on conviction to **a fine not** exceeding \$5,000, imprisonment for a term not exceeding 6 months or both.

REFERRAL TO OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH CLINIC, MINISTRY OF HEALTH

If registered medical practitioner (RMP) is unable to confirm the diagnosis of the OD, the RMP may submit a referral letter on any suspected OD to:





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