



Kaizen Safety Continuous Improvement Workshop

3 days – 24 hrs – 3-9 Participants

Training Description

Continuous improvement is best accomplished through the application of Kaizen, a Japanese process that follows the Deming Wheel — Plan-Do-Check-Act. Kaizen is a process where problems are quickly identified, analyzed, and solved and the root causes are eliminated. This “just-do-it” philosophy utilizes “flow” and “pull” signals to link all parts of the system to the customer’s demand while optimizing the manufacturing process through continuous improvement. Having chosen an improvement opportunity, typically from a Value Stream Mapping exercise, an experienced facilitator will guide the team through developing the Kaizen Mandate and following the Plan-Do-Check-Act 10 step process. A Kaizen event is a hands-on, real-time activity – that means, equipment is moved, walls are taken down, and significant changes to the process are expected. This will be an in-person delivery.

Participants will learn a process approach, mapping out the flow and sequence from beginning to end. We use the 5 Whys to find root cause for disruptions, inconsistencies, and elimination of steps.

Training Objective

- To teach a repeatable and measurable process
- To learn how to identify root cause
- To learn how to develop an effective plan for improvements, communicate a process for completion and measure that process.

Skill Attainment

- Analyze and document the current situation
- Determine measures to target
- Master mind improvement ideas
- Implementation of solution(s) with timelines
- Evaluate Solutions and Record Results
- Brainstorm Improvement Ideas

This program focuses around a problem or set of problems with your Safety and Health Management System. It includes a team approach to openly discussing current state of affairs, unified set of goals or objectives and a plan with accountability to execute.