# MODEL WRITTEN WORKPLACE VIOLENCE PREVENTION PLAN for GENERAL INDUSTRY (NON-HEALTHCARE SETTINGS)

## Overview and directions for using the model plan:

#### Who is this model plan for?

As a result of <u>California Senate Bill 553 (SB 553)</u>, all employers that fall within the scope of <u>California Labor Code (LC) 6401.7 and LC 6401.9</u>, are required to establish, implement, and maintain an effective, written Workplace Violence Prevention Plan (WVPP) no later than July 1, 2024.

Employers with workplaces covered by California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 8, section 3342 Violence Prevention in Health Care should not use this model program, but instead implement the requirements of section 3342.

#### What does the model plan include?

Employers are not required to use this model WVPP. They may create their own, use another WVPP template, or incorporate workplace violence prevention into their existing <u>Injury and Illness Prevention Program (IIPP)</u> as a separate section. Cal/OSHA requires employers to engage with employees in developing and implementing their WVPP. This model plan is intended to help employers develop a separate, stand-alone Workplace Violence Prevention Plan (WVPP). It was written for a broad spectrum of employers, and it may not match your establishment's exact needs. However, it provides the essential framework to identify, evaluate, and control workplace violence hazards.

Use of this model program does not ensure compliance with LC section 6401.9. Employers are liable for any violations of LC section 6401.9 regardless of use of this model program.

#### How to put the model program to use?

Proper use of this model program requires the employer to identify and ensure that the person or person(s) responsible for implementing the plan:

- Review the full requirements of LC sections 6401.7 and 6401.9.
- Review the requirements for each of the WVPP elements found in this model plan, ensure workplace violence concerns are incorporated, fill in the appropriate blank spaces/instructions in red font enclosed in brackets, and check those items that are applicable to their workplace
- Read <a href="https://www.dir.ca.gov/dosh/Workplace-Violence.html">https://www.dir.ca.gov/dosh/Workplace-Violence.html</a> for additional guidance.
- Obtain the active involvement of employees and their authorized employee representatives in developing and implementing the plan.
- Make the plan available and easily accessible to affected employees, authorized employee representatives, and representatives of Cal/OSHA at all times.



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## **WORKPLACE VIOLENCE PREVENTION PLAN\* for**

## George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.®

Our establishment's Workplace Violence Prevention Plan (WVPP) addresses the hazards known to be associated with the four types of workplace violence as defined by <u>Labor Code (LC) section</u> 6401.9.

Date of Last Review: 6/21/24

Date of Last Revision(s): N/A

## **DEFINITIONS**

**Emergency** - Unanticipated circumstances that can be life threatening or pose a risk of significant injuries to employees or other persons.

**Engineering controls** - An aspect of the built space or a device that removes a hazard from the workplace or creates a barrier between the employee and the hazard.

**Log** - The violent incident log required by LC section 6401.9.

Plan - The workplace violence prevention plan required by LC section 6401.9.

Serious injury or illness - Any injury or illness occurring in a place of employment or in connection with any employment that requires inpatient hospitalization for other than medical observation or diagnostic testing, or in which an employee suffers an amputation, the loss of an eye, or any serious degree of permanent disfigurement, but does not include any injury or illness or death caused by an accident on a public street or highway, unless the accident occurred in a construction zone.

**Threat of violence** - Any verbal or written statement, including, but not limited to, texts, electronic messages, social media messages, or other online posts, or any behavioral or physical conduct, that conveys an intent, or that is reasonably perceived to convey an intent, to cause physical harm or to place someone in fear of physical harm, and that serves no legitimate purpose.

Workplace violence - Any act of violence or threat of violence that occurs in a place of employment.

Workplace violence includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- The threat or use of physical force against an employee that results in, or has a high likelihood of resulting in, injury, psychological trauma, or stress, regardless of whether the employee sustains an injury.
- An incident involving a threat or use of a firearm or other dangerous weapon, including the use of common objects as weapons, regardless of whether the employee sustains an injury.

The following four workplace violence types:

**Type 1 violence** - Workplace violence committed by a person who has no legitimate business at the worksite, and includes violent acts by anyone who enters the workplace or approaches employees with the intent to commit a crime.

**Type 2 violence** - Workplace violence directed at employees by customers, clients, patients, students, inmates, or visitors.

**Type 3 violence** - Workplace violence against an employee by a present or former employee, supervisor, or manager.

**Type 4 violence** - Workplace violence committed in the workplace by a person who does not work there, but has or is known to have had a personal relationship with an employee.

Workplace violence does not include lawful acts of self-defense or defense of others.

Work practice controls - Procedures and rules which are used to effectively reduce workplace violence hazards.

\*https://www.employers.org/blog/2024/03/05/default/special-alert-finally-the-wvpp-template-is-here/

#### RESPONSIBILITY

The WVPP administrator, Scott J. Tarde, LNHA, has the authority and responsibility for implementing the provisions of this plan for George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc®. If there are multiple persons responsible for the plan, their roles will be clearly described.

Responsible Persons	Job Title/Position	WVPP Responsibility(ies)	Phone #	Email
Scott J. Tarde, LNHA	CEO/Executive Director	CEO approves the final plan and any major changes, organizes safety meetings, updates training materials and handles any reports of workplace violence. CEO also conducts safety walk-throughs, and coordinates emergency response procedures.	619-543-4700	starde@glenner.org

All managers and supervisors are responsible for implementing and maintaining the WVPP in their work areas and for answering employee questions about the WVPP.

#### EMPLOYEE ACTIVE INVOLVEMENT

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® ensures the following policies and procedures to obtain the active involvement of employees and authorized employee representatives in developing and implementing the plan:

- Management will work with and allow employees and authorized employee representatives to participate in:
- Identifying, evaluating and determining corrective measures to prevent workplace violence.
  - Quarterly leadership meetings with employees to discuss identification of workplace violence related concerns/hazards, evaluate those hazards and/or concerns, and how to correct them.
- Designing and implementing training:
  - Employees are encouraged to participate in designing and implementing training programs, and their suggestions are incorporated into the training materials. For example, an employee might suggest a new training scenario based on a recent incident.
- Reporting and investigating workplace violence incidents:
  - Management will ensure that all workplace violence policies and procedures within this written plan are clearly communicated and understood by all employees. Managers and supervisors will enforce the rules fairly and uniformly.
  - All employees will follow all workplace violence prevention plan directives, policies, and procedures, and assist in maintaining a safe work environment.
  - All workplace violence threats will be immediately reported to supervisor.
  - The plan shall be in effect at all times and in all work areas and be specific to the hazards and corrective measures for each work area and operation.

#### **EMPLOYEE COMPLIANCE**

Our system to ensure that employees comply with the rules and work practices that are designed to make the workplace more secure, and do not engage in threats or physical actions which create a security hazard for others in the workplace, include at a minimum:

- Training employees, supervisors, and managers in the provisions of George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® Workplace Violence Prevention Plan (WVPP)
- Effective procedures to ensure that supervisory and nonsupervisory employees comply with the WVPP.
- Provide retraining to employees whose safety performance is deficient with the WVPP.
- Recognizing employees who demonstrate safe work practices that promote the WVPP in the workplace.
- Discipline employees for failure to comply with the WVPP. (You can either refer to George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® existing discipline process or outline specific steps for the WVPP)

#### COMMUNICATION WITH EMPLOYEES

- We recognize that open, two-way communication between our management team, staff, and other employers, about workplace violence issues is essential to a safe and productive workplace. The following communication system is designed to facilitate a continuous flow of workplace violence prevention information between management and staff in a form that is readily understandable by all employees, and consists of one or more of the following:
  - New employee orientation includes workplace violence prevention policies and procedures.
  - Workplace violence prevention training programs.
  - Regularly scheduled meetings that address security issues and potential workplace violence hazards
  - Effective communication between employees and supervisors about workplace violence prevention and violence concerns.
  - Posted or distributed workplace violence prevention information.
  - How employees can report a violent incident, threat, or other workplace violence concern to employer or law enforcement without fear of reprisal or adverse action.
  - Employees can anonymously report a violent incident, threat, or other violence concerns.
  - If there is immediate danger, call for emergency assistance by dialing 9-1-1, and notify immediate supervisor (WVPP Administrator).
  - Employees will not be prevented from accessing their mobile or other communication devices to seek emergency assistance, assess the safety of a situation, or communicate with a person to verify their safety.
  - Employees' concerns will be investigated in a timely manner, and they will be informed of the results of the investigation and any corrective actions to be taken.
  - Updates on the status of investigations and corrective actions are provided to employees.

#### COORDINATION WITH OTHER EMPLOYERS

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc. ® will implement the following effective procedures to coordinate implementation of its plan with other employers to ensure that those employers and employees understand their respective roles, as provided in the plan.

- All employees will be trained on workplace violence prevention.
- Workplace violence incidents involving any employee are reported, investigated, and recorded.
- At a multiemployer worksite, George. G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® will ensure that if its employees experience workplace violence incident that George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc. ® will record the information in a violent incident log and shall also provide a copy of that log to controlling employer.

#### WORKPLACE VIOLENCE INCIDENT REPORTING PROCEDURE

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc. ® will implement the following effective procedures to ensure that:

- All threats or acts of workplace violence are reported to an employee's supervisor or manager, who will inform the WVPP administrator. Employees will report incidents directly to the WVPP administrator.
- Workplace Violence Reporting Hotline: 619-543-4700.

A strict non-retaliation policy is in place, and any instances of retaliation are dealt with swiftly and decisively.

#### EMERGENCY RESPONSE PROCEDURES

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® has in place the following specific measures to handle actual or potential workplace violence emergencies:

- Effective means to alert employees of the presence, location, and nature of workplace violence emergencies by the following:
  - Direct verbal notification, company email and phone.
- George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® will have evacuation or sheltering plans.
- A.L.I.C.E:
  - Alert: Recognize and report the threat immediately.
  - Lockdown: Secure the immediate area by locking or barricading doors. Turn off lights and silence electronic devices.
  - Inform: Communicate the shooter's location and direction, if possible, to help responders and potential victims.
  - Counter: Create noise, movement, and distraction to disrupt the shooter's aim. As a last resort, engage in physical defense.
  - Evacuate: Leave the area as quickly and safely as possible when an opportunity presents itself or when authorities provide instructions.
- How to obtain help from staff, security personnel, or law enforcement:
  - If there is immediate danger, call for emergency assistance by dialing 9-1-1, and notify immediate supervisor (WVPP Administrator).

In the event of an emergency, including a Workplace Violence Emergency, contact the following:

Responsible Persons	Job Title/Position	WVPP Responsibility(ies)	Phone #	Email
Scott J. Tarde, LNHA	CEO/Executive Director	CEO approves the final plan and any major changes, organizes safety meetings, updates training materials and handles any reports of workplace violence. CEO also conducts safety walk-throughs, and coordinates emergency response procedures.	619-543-4700	starde@glenner.org

#### WORKPLACE VIOLENCE HAZARD IDENTIFICATION AND EVALUATION

The following policies and procedures are established and required to be conducted by George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® to ensure that workplace violence hazards are identified and evaluated:

- Inspections shall be conducted when the plan is first established, after each workplace violence incident, and whenever the employer is made aware of a new or previously unrecognized hazard.
- Review all submitted/reported concerns of potential hazards.
- Immediate review of all submitted and reported concerns.

#### **Periodic Inspections**

Periodic inspections of workplace violence hazards will identify unsafe conditions and work practices. This may require assessment for more than one type of workplace violence. Periodic Inspections shall be conducted whenever the employer is made aware of a new or previously unrecognized hazard and/or during Support Office site visits.

Periodic inspections to identify and evaluate workplace violence and hazards will be performed by the following designated personnel in the following areas of the workplace:

Specific Person Name/Job Title	Area/Department/Specific location
Program Director	Encinitas ADHC
Program Director	Hillcrest ADP
Program Director	Chula Vista ADHC

Inspections for workplace violence hazards include assessing:

- The exterior and interior of the workplace for its attractiveness to robbers.
- The need for violence surveillance measures, such as cameras.
- Procedures for employee response during a robbery or other criminal act, including our policy prohibiting employees from confronting violent persons or persons committing a criminal act.
- Procedures for reporting suspicious persons or activities.
- Effective location and functioning of emergency buttons and alarms.
- Posting of emergency telephone numbers for law enforcement, fire, and medical services.
- Whether employees have access to a telephone with an outside line.
- Whether employees have effective escape routes from the workplace.
- Whether employees have a designated safe area where they can go to in an emergency.
- Adequacy of workplace security systems, such as door locks, entry codes or badge readers, security windows, physical barriers, and restraint systems.
- Frequency and severity of threatening or hostile situations that may lead to violent acts by persons who
  are service recipients of our establishment.
- Employees' skill in safely handling threatening or hostile service recipients.
- Effectiveness of systems and procedures that warn others of actual or potential workplace violence danger or that summon assistance, e.g., alarms or panic buttons.
- The use of work practices such as the "buddy" system for specified emergency events.
- The availability of employee escape routes.
- Access to and freedom of movement within the workplace by non-employees, including recently discharged employees or persons with whom one of our employees is having a dispute.
- Frequency and severity of employees' reports of threats of physical or verbal abuse by managers, supervisors, or other employees.
- Any prior violent acts, threats of physical violence, verbal abuse, property damage or other signs of strain or pressure in the workplace.

#### WORKPLACE VIOLENCE HAZARD CORRECTION

Workplace violence hazards will be evaluated and corrected in a timely manner. George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc. ® will implement the following effective procedures to correct workplace violence hazards that are identified:

- If an imminent workplace violence hazard exists that cannot be immediately abated without endangering employee(s), all exposed employee(s) will be removed from the situation except those necessary to correct the existing condition. Employees necessary to correct the hazardous condition will be provided with the necessary protection.
- All corrective actions taken will be documented and dated on the appropriate forms.
- Corrective measures for workplace violence hazards will be specific to a given work area.
- Make the workplace unattractive to robbers by:
  - Improve lighting around and at the workplace.
  - Post of signs notifying the public that cameras are monitoring the facility.
  - Utilize surveillance measures, such as cameras, to provide information as to what is going on outside and inside the workplace and to dissuade criminal activity.
  - Install security surveillance cameras in and around the workplace.
  - Provide workplace violence systems, such as door locks, violence windows, physical barriers, emergency alarms and restraint systems by:
  - Ensure the adequacy of workplace violence systems.
  - Post emergency telephone numbers for law enforcement, fire, and medical services.
  - Control, access to, and freedom of movement within, the workplace by non-employees, include recently discharged employees or persons with whom one of our employees is having a dispute.
  - Install effective systems to warn others of a violent danger or to summon assistance, e.g., alarms or panic buttons.
  - Ensure employees have access to a telephone with an outside line. Provide employee training/re-training(refreshers) on the WVPP, which could include but not limited to the following:
  - Recognizing and handling threatening or hostile situations that may lead to violent acts by persons who are service recipients of our establishment.
  - Ensure that all reports of violent acts, threats of physical violence, verbal abuse, property damage or other signs of strain or pressure in the workplace are handled effectively by management and that the person making the report is not subject to retaliation by the person making the threat.
  - Procedures for reporting suspicious persons, activities, and packages.
  - Provide/review employee, supervisor, and management training on emergency action procedures.
  - Ensure adequate employee escape routes.
  - Increase awareness by employees, supervisors, and managers of the warning signs of potential workplace violence.
  - Ensure that employee disciplinary and discharge procedures address the potential for workplace

violence.

- Establish a policy for prohibited practices (eg.no-weapons policy).
- Provide c"buddy" system will be implemented for specified emergency events.

#### PROCEDURES FOR POST INCIDENT RESPONSE AND INVESTIGATION

After a workplace incident, the WVPP administrator or their designee will implement the following post-incident procedures:

- Visit the scene of an incident as soon as safe and practicable.
- Interview involved parties, such as employees, witnesses, law enforcement, and/or security personnel.
- Review security footage of existing security cameras if applicable.
- Examine the workplace for security risk factors associated with the incident, including any previous reports
  of inappropriate behavior by the perpetrator.
- Determine the cause of the incident.
- Take corrective action to prevent similar incidents from occurring.
- Record the findings and ensure corrective actions are taken.
- Obtain any reports completed by law enforcement.
- The violent incident log will be used for every workplace violence incident and will include information such as: (See attached APPENDIX A.)
  - The date, time, and location of the incident.
  - The workplace violence type or types involved in the incident.
  - A detailed description of the incident.
  - A classification of who committed the violence, including whether the perpetrator was a client or customer, family or friend of a client or customer, stranger with criminal intent, coworker, supervisor or manager, partner or spouse, parent or relative, or other perpetrator.
  - A classification of circumstances at the time of the incident, including, but not limited to, whether the employee was completing usual job duties, working in poorly lit areas, rushed, working during a low staffing level, isolated or alone, unable to get help or assistance, working in a community setting, or working in an unfamiliar or new location.
  - A classification of where the incident occurred, such as in the workplace, parking lot or other area outside the workplace, or other area.
  - The type of incident, including, but not limited to, whether it involved any of the following:
    - Physical attack without a weapon, including, but not limited to, biting, choking, grabbing, hair pulling, kicking, punching, slapping, pushing, pulling, scratching, or spitting.
    - Attack with a weapon or object, including, but not limited to, a firearm, knife, or other object.
    - Threat of physical force or threat of the use of a weapon or other object.

- Sexual assault or threat, including, but not limited to, rape, attempted rape, physical display, or unwanted verbal or physical sexual contact.
- Animal attack.
- Other.
- Consequences of the incident, including, but not limited to:
  - Whether security or law enforcement was contacted and their response.
  - Actions taken to protect employees from a continuing threat or from any other hazards identified as a result of the incident.
  - Information about the person completing the log, including their name, job title, and the date completed.
  - Reviewing all previous incidents.
  - Support and resources, such as counseling services, are provided to affected employees as well as information about employee assistance programs and time off work, if necessary.

Ensure that no personal identifying information is recorded or documented in the written investigation report. This includes information which would reveal identification of any person involved in a violent incident, such as the person's name, address, electronic mail address, telephone number, social security number, or other information that, alone or in combination with other publicly available information, reveals the person's identity.

#### TRAINING AND INSTRUCTION

All employees, including managers and supervisors, will have training and instruction on general and job-specific workplace violence practices. These sessions could involve presentations, discussions, and practical exercises. Training and instruction will be provided as follows:

- When the WVPP is first established.
- Annually to ensure all employees understand and comply with the plan.
- Whenever a new or previously unrecognized workplace violence hazard has been identified and when changes are made to the plan. The additional training may be limited to addressing the new workplace violence hazard or changes to the plan.

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® will provide its employees with training and instruction on the definitions found on page 1 of this plan and the requirements listed below:

- The employer's WVPP, how to obtain a copy of the employer's plan at no cost, and how to participate in development and implementation of the employer's plan.
- How to report workplace violence incidents or concerns to the employer or law enforcement without fear of reprisal.
- Workplace violence hazards specific to the employees' jobs, the corrective measures George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® has implemented, how to seek assistance to prevent or respond to violence, and strategies to avoid physical harm.
- The violent incident log and how to obtain copies of records pertaining to hazard identification, evaluation and correction, training records, and violent incident logs.
- Opportunities George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® has for interactive Q & A's with a
  person knowledgeable about the George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® plan.

- Strategies to avoid/prevent workplace violence and physical harm, such as:
  - How to recognize workplace violence hazards including the risk factors associated with the four types of workplace violence.
  - Ways to defuse hostile or threatening situations.
- How to recognize alerts, alarms, or other warnings about emergency conditions and how to use identified escape routes or locations for sheltering.
- Employee routes of escape.
- Emergency medical care provided in the event of any violent act upon an employee
- Post-event trauma counseling for employees desiring such assistance.

**Note:** Employers must use training material appropriate in content and vocabulary to the educational level, literacy, and language of employees.

#### **EMPLOYEE ACCESS TO THE WRITTEN WVPP**

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® ensures that the WVPP plan shall be in writing and shall be available and easily accessible to employees, authorized employee representatives, and representatives of Cal/OSHA at all times. This will be accomplished by the availability of this plan on company Intranet.

- Whenever an employee or designated representative requests a copy of the written WVPP, we will provide the requester with a printed copy of the WVPP, unless the employee or designated representative agrees to receive an electronic copy.
- We will provide unobstructed access through a company server or website (Intranet), which allows an employee to review, print, and email the current version of the written WVPP. Unobstructed access means that the employee, as part of their regular work duties, predictably and routinely uses the electronic means to communicate with management or co-employees.

#### RECORDKEEPING

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® will:

- Create and maintain records of workplace violence hazard identification, evaluation, and correction, for a minimum of five (5) years.
- Create and maintain training records for a minimum of one (1) year and include the following:
  - Training dates.
  - Contents or a summary of the training sessions.
  - Names and qualifications of people conducting the training.
  - Names and job titles of all people attending the training sessions.
- Maintain violent incident logs for minimum of five (5) years.
- Maintain records of workplace violence incident investigations for a minimum of five (5) years.
  - The records shall not contain medical information per subdivision (j) of section 56.05 of the Civil Code.
- All records of workplace violence hazard identification, evaluation, and correction; training, incident logs and workplace violence incident investigations required by <u>LC section 6401.9(f)</u>, shall be made available to Cal/OSHA upon request for examination and copying.

#### EMPLOYEE ACCESS TO RECORDS

The following records shall be made available to employees and their representatives, upon request and without cost, for examination and copying within 15 calendar days of a request:

- Records of workplace violence hazard identification, evaluation, and correction.
- Training records.
- Violent incident logs.

#### REVIEW AND REVISION OF THE WVPP

George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® WVPP will be reviewed for effectiveness:

- At least annually.
- When a deficiency is observed or becomes apparent.
- After a workplace violence incident.
- As needed.

Review and revision of the WVPP will include the procedures listed in the EMPLOYEE ACTIVE INVOLVEMENT section of this WVPP, as well as the following procedures to obtain the active involvement of employees and authorized employee representatives in reviewing the plan's effectiveness:

- Review of George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® WVPP should include, but is not limited to:
  - Review of incident investigations and the violent incident log.
  - Assessment of the effectiveness of security systems, including alarms, emergency response, and security personnel availability (if applicable).
  - Review that violence risks are being properly identified, evaluated, and corrected. Any necessary revisions are made promptly and communicated to all employees.

### **EMPLOYER REPORTING RESPONSIBILITIES**

As required by <u>California Code of Regulations (CCR)</u>, <u>Title 8</u>, <u>Section 342(a)</u>. <u>Reporting Work-Connected Fatalities and Serious Injuries</u>, George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.® will immediately report to Cal/OSHA any serious injury or illness (as defined by <u>CCR</u>, <u>Title 8</u>, <u>Section 330(h)</u>), or death (including any due to Workplace Violence) of an employee occurring in a place of employment or in connection with any employment.

I, Scott J. Tarde, CEO/Executive Director of George G. Glenner Alzheimer's Family Centers, Inc.®, hereby authorize and ensure, the establishment, implementation, and maintenance of this written workplace violence prevention plan and the documents/forms within this written plan. I am committed to promoting a culture of safety and violence prevention in our workplace and believe that these policies and procedures will help us achieve that goal.

Printed Name: Scott J. Tarde, LNHA

Title: CEO/Executive Director

Signature:

Date: 6/21/24

# CONFIRMATION OF RECEIPT OF GEORGE G. GLENNER ALZHEIMER'S FAMILY CENTERS, INC.® WORKPLACE VIOLENCE PREVENTION PLAN

I have received, understand and have had the opportunity to ask questions/provide feedback about raining and will report any perceived and/or suspected workplace violence threats to my supervi	
Employee's Printed Name:	
Employee's Signature:	
Date:	

#### APPENDIX A

## Violent Incident Log

This log must be used for every workplace violence incident that occurs in our workplace. At a minimum, it will include the information required by LC section 6401.9(d).

The information that is recorded will be based on:

- Information provided by the employees who experienced the incident of violence.
- Witness statements.
- All other investigation findings.

All information that personally identifies the individual(s) involve will be omitted from this log, such as:

- Names
- Addresses physical and electronic
- Telephone numbers
- Social security number

Location(s) of Incident	Workplace Violence Type (Indicate 1, 2, 3, 4. Defined below.)		

Check below and indicate in the table above which of the following describes the type(s) of incident you are reporting and explain in detail. (Types are defined below.)

- ☐ **Type 1 violence** Workplace violence committed by a person who has no legitimate business at the worksite, and includes violent acts by anyone who enters the workplace or approaches employees with the intent to commit a crime.
- ☐ **Type 2 violence** Workplace violence directed at employees by customers, clients, patients, students, inmates, or visitors.
- ☐ **Type 3 violence** Workplace violence against an employee by a present or former employee, supervisor, or manager.
- ☐ **Type 4 violence** Workplace violence committed in the workplace by a person who does not work there, but has or is known to have had a personal relationship with an employee.

**Note:** It's important to understand that "Workplace Violence Type" and "Type of Incident" have separate requirements. For this part of the log, "Type of Incident" specifically refers to the nature or characteristics of the incident being logged. It does not refer to the type of workplace violence.

- □ Physical attack without a weapon, including, but not limited to, biting, choking, grabbing, hair pulling, kicking, punching, slapping, pushing, pulling, scratching, or spitting.
- ☐ Attack with a weapon or object, including, but not limited to, a firearm, knife, or other object.

		Threat of physical force or threat of the use of a weapon or other object.
		Sexual assault or threat, including, but not limited to, rape, attempted rape, physical display, or unwanted verbal or physical sexual contact.
		Animal attack.
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Where the incident occurred:
Consequences of the incident, including, but not limited to:
■ Whether security or law enforcement was contacted and their response.
Actions taken to protect employees from a continuing threat or from any other hazards identified as a result of the incident.
Were there any injuries? Yes or No. Please explain:
Were emergency medical responders other than law enforcement contacted, such as a Fire Department, Paramedics, On-site First-aid certified personnel? Yes or No. If yes, explain below:
Did the severity of the injuries require reporting to Cal/OSHA? If yes, document the date and time this was done, along with the name of the Cal/OSHA representative contacted.
A copy of this violent incident log needs to be provided to the employer. Indicate when it was provided and to whom.
This violence incident log was completed by:
Printed Name: Scott J. Tarde, LNHA
Title: CEO/Executive Director
Signature:
Date: