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# Documentation, Documentation, Documentation

Speakers:

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### **Course Objectives**

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- At the completion of this session the attendees will be able to:
  - explain the documentation expectations for the OSHA Challenge and VPP.
  - describe best practices and potential pitfalls in maintaining documentation through the OSHA Challenge and VPP application process.

# **Typical Questions**

 Should our documentation be in paper or electronic? Or both?

- How much is too little? Or too much?
- How many examples should you have of each document?

### **Documentation**

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- Paper vs Electronic?
  - Presently, sites use a combination of paper & electronic formats.
  - What should be in paper and what should be electronic?
    - Prior to the audit, sit down with your OSHA VPP coordinator and communicate what best suites the company and balance that with what the audit team needs to do their job.
  - What makes sense?
    - Databases Electronic (sample reports)
    - Anything already paper leave as is!

### **Documentation**

- Paper vs Electronic
  - If you choose to show documents electronically then make sure that you have someone that can navigate your system seamlessly.
    - One person for each laptop available to the auditors.
  - Be prepared. Have multiple back up systems.

### How to organize

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- Paper
  - Very Common Binders
- Electronic
  - Elements/Sub-element folders



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- How much is too little or too much?
  - Remember the requirement Have all VPP elements and sub-elements been in place for at least 1 year? Therefore, prepare to demonstrate.
- How many examples of each item?
  - This is your time to tell the audit team what your company really does BEST.

## **Pitfalls**

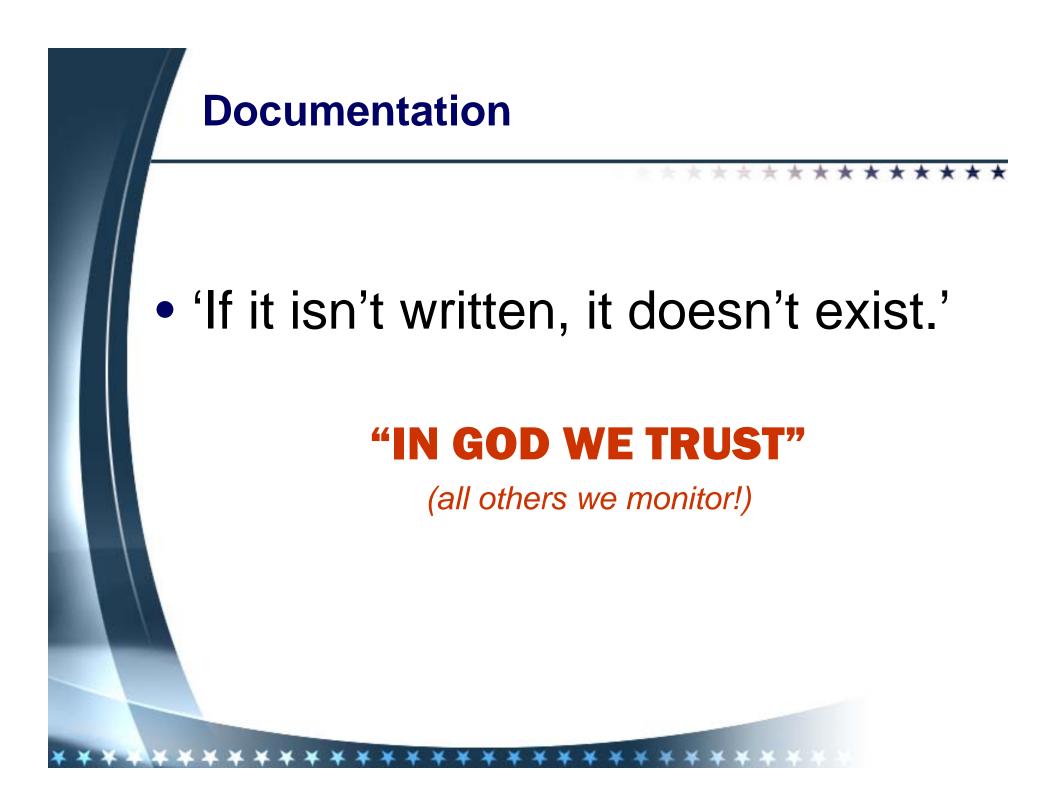
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- Documents are not completely filled out. Examples:
  - Training dates
  - Trainers Information
  - Review dates
  - Signatures missing
- Documents are missing

## **Pitfalls**

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- Where are the documents kept both electronic and paper?
  - Create a list of document "owners"
- Company abbreviations different from OSHA terms
  - Create a "thesaurus" of terms and abbreviations
- One person is responsible for keeping the documentation in order
  - Have multiple members of your VPP team know how the documents are filed.



### Univar USA Inc. ChemCare Documentation

### Daryl Bladt Health and Safety Manager 5/17/2016

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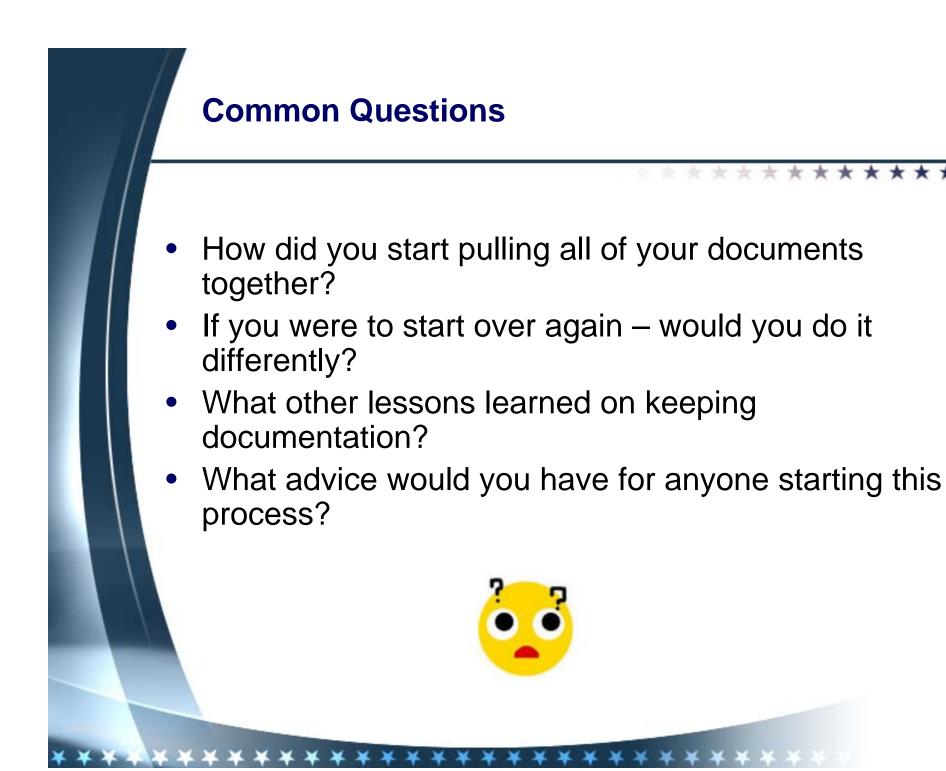
Hazardous and Non-Hazardous: Recycling Fuels blending Aqueous treatment Deep well injection Onsite service work such as tank cleaning, and site clean up Incineration Lab Packing Landfill Waste to Energy



## **Topics**

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- Our approach.
- Lessons learned.
- Examples.

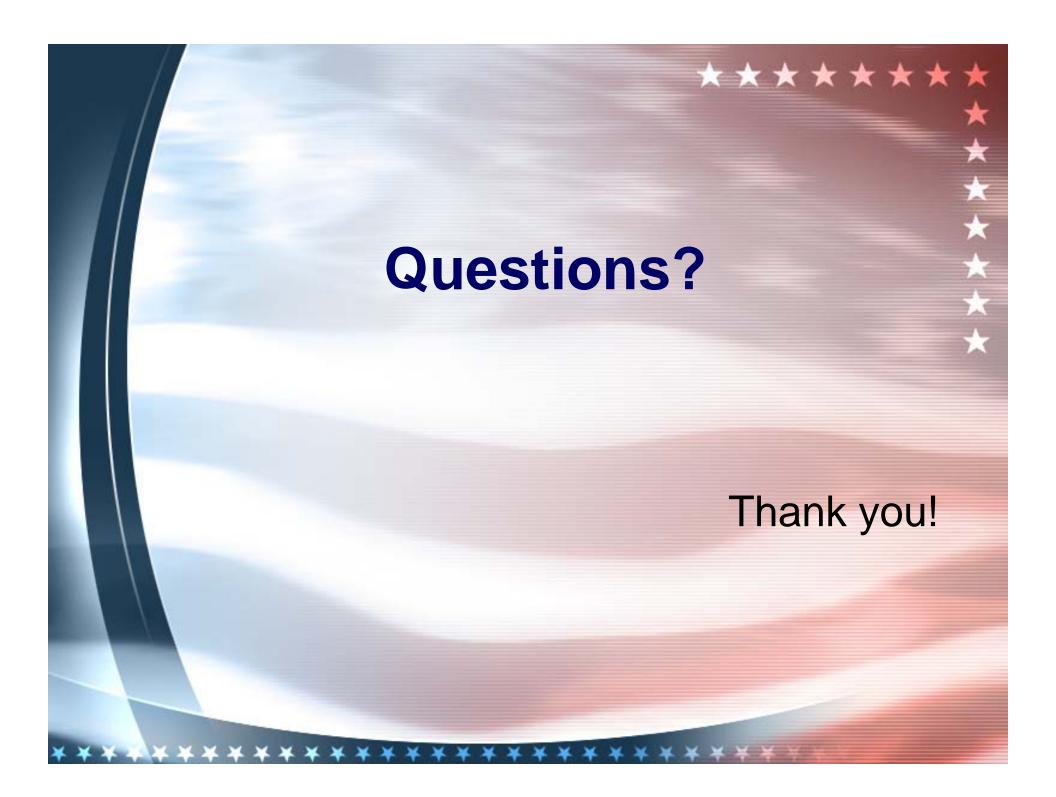


## **OCTPS- How we set up our files**

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	Participant Name Administrator Name		Report Period	
Univar USA Inc ChemCare	Gulf Coast Safety Institute	Time Period	Time Period 13-Aug	
		Year	2013	
Stage III	Management Leadership and Em	ployee Involvement		
1. Management Commitment - Required Actions Participant Statu				Administrator Status
. Safety and Health Mission and Policy Statements. Continue to communicate the site's				
Safety and Health Mission and Policy Statements for the total site and to take necessary steps to				
ensure all employees and contractors understand the statements. Ensure that appropriate information			Completed	Completed
about the site's Safety and Health Mission and Policy Statements becomes routinely a part of the site's				
general communication and of specific training for new employees and contractors.				
Participant Goal: Review Mission st	atement and update accordingly, communic	ate Mission and Policy		
statement during January training to CC Houston. Provide Contractors with copies. Develop means of				
competency for contractors and en				
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