



# **California Society of Safety & Security Professionals**

**June 5, 2020**

**Zoom On-Line Webinar  
9 - 11 am**

A meeting invite was sent to your email address on file with us by Stephanie Spann from UCSD on 5/20/20.

Please make time to create your free Zoom account before the webinar date if you have not been on a Zoom call before.



# CSSSP

## California Society of Safety & Security Professionals Los Angeles County Chapter

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### ***New Meeting Location***

Zoom On-Line Webinar  
9 - 11 am

### ***Speaker***

We will be having a presentation by Mr. Dan Leiner. He will be reviewing safety efforts with the COVID-19 guidelines.

### ***No Lunch***

Please take a moment now and follow the instructions to create a free Zoom account before that date if you have not been on a Zoom conference call before. It is best to get this set up before the webinar date so you don't have technical issues that day.

We look forward to connecting up with you all with this new normal.

Stay safe and reach out to us with any questions.

### ***President's Message***

Hello fellow members,

First of all, I would like to thank the board and fellow members for your vote of confidence for having me serve as your president a second term, it is my honor to serve you all.

My message for all you wonderful people is about loving and caring for those that we sometimes take for granted. It's important to let family and friends know how much we love and care about them especially during this pandemic time that we are all living in.

We just never know when and where it may strike and God forbid if it does. It is important to let them know you love them.

A simple act of kindness will go a long way in someone's heart and it will make a big difference in their life perhaps even give them some kind of joy in this world of today.

So please let's spread our gratitude and show our love and care for those who really need it and I pray that it will spread like wild fire in many people's lives because when you really think about it - all we have is family, friends, and others that really matters in life.

Thank your family members who are serving in the health care profession - they are the front line folks trying to keep us all healthy!

Mario Quintanar  
President

## CSSSP June 2020 Meeting

Given the uncertainty and potential risks of in-person lunch meeting during the COVID-19 pandemic, the CSSSP Board has decided to suspend our lunch meetings until it is safe to resume. Until then, we have decided to continue our educational outreach by hold free online webinars in place of our lunch meetings. We will hold the webinars on the same day as our lunch meetings, the first Friday of even number months (February, April, June, August, October, and December). Instead of lunch gatherings, we will hold webinars from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM.

Our first webinar will be held on Friday, June 5th and will be a presentation on ***How COVID-19 and Cal/OSHA's Injury and Illness Prevention Program (IIPP) Come Together to Create a Safe Workplace***. As non-essential employees start to reopening their businesses, the Governor's "resilience roadmap" includes what must be done before reopening. All facilities must:

- Perform a detailed risk assessment and implement a site-specific protection plan;
- Train employees on how to limit the spread of COVID-19, including how to screen themselves for symptoms and stay home if they have them;
- Implement individual control measures and screenings;
- Implement disinfecting protocols; and
- Implement physical distancing guidelines.

This webinar will address how to create a safe work environment through an effective IIPP.

We will be using Zoom as our webinar platform. To make logging on to the webinar seamless on June 5th, please visit [www.zoom.us](http://www.zoom.us) and create a free Zoom account prior to the meeting. Your computer does not need a camera, you can still listen and view the webinar. Stephanie Spann is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Join Zoon Meeting - click to Open Hyperlink below. You will need to provide your name and email address so the system recognizes you.

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## Governor Newsom Announces Workers' Compensation Benefits for Workers who Contract COVID-19 During Stay at Home Order

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- *Benefit will be available for diagnosed workers working outside their homes*
- *Presumption will be workers contracted the virus at work; employers will have chance to rebut*
- *Governor also signed executive order waiving penalties on property taxes for residents and small businesses experiencing economic hardship based on COVID-19; order also extends deadline for filing property tax statements*

SACRAMENTO – As California prepares to enter Stage 2 of the gradual reopening of the state this Friday, Governor Gavin Newsom today announced that workers who contract COVID-19 while on the job may be eligible to receive workers' compensation. The Governor signed an executive order that creates a time-limited rebuttable presumption for accessing workers' compensation benefits applicable to Californians who must work outside of their homes during the stay at home order.

"We are removing a burden for workers on the front lines, who risk their own health and safety to deliver critical services to our fellow Californians, so that they can access benefits, and be able to focus on their recovery," said Governor Newsom. "Workers' compensation is a critical piece to reopening the state and it will help workers get the care they need to get healthy, and in turn, protect public health."

Those eligible will have the rebuttable presumption if they tested positive for COVID-19 or were diagnosed with COVID-19 and confirmed by a positive test within 14 days of performing a labor or service at a place of work after the stay at home order was issued on March 19, 2020. The presumption will stay in place for 60 days after issuance of the executive order.

The Governor also signed an executive order that waives penalties for property taxes paid after April 10 for taxpayers who demonstrate they have experienced financial hardship due to the COVID-19 pandemic through May 6, 2021. This will apply to residential properties and small businesses. Additionally, the executive order will extend the deadline for certain businesses to file Business Personal Property Statements from tomorrow to May 31, 2020, to avoid penalties.

"The COVID-19 pandemic has impacted the lives and livelihoods of many, and as we look toward opening our local communities and economies, we want to make sure that those that have been most impacted have the ability to get back on their feet."

Since declaring a state of emergency due to COVID-19 on March 4, 2020, Governor Newsom has taken several actions to benefit workers on the front lines, including paid sick leave benefits for food sector workers that are subject to a quarantine or isolation order; critical child support services for essential workers and vulnerable populations; additional weekly unemployment benefits; and needed assistance in the form of loans for small businesses and job opportunities in critical industries for workers that have been displaced by the pandemic.

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