

## **America's Safest Companies Treat Safety as a BUSINESS Value**

“America’s Safest Companies” for 2003 is a list of America’s best as compiled by *Occupational Hazards*. The list covers companies in a wide range of sizes, locations, industries, and products. Included on the *Occupational Hazards* list are companies such as Bechtel Group Inc., DuPont, ExxonMobil Chemical, Johnson & Johnson, Motorola Inc., and Quincy Compressor. As the story in *Occupational Hazards* points out, these companies appear to have little in common.

However, a closer look reveals that from tiny Quincy Compressor of Bay Minette, Ala., with its 141 employees to the super-large Johnson & Johnson, with 108,000 employees in 54 countries, those companies on the America’s Safest Companies listing have one important similarity: they all treat safety as a business value. Not a priority. Not a process. Not a program. But a value.

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