## CSC Back School

Hanford Occupational Health Services



**CSC HOHS Industrial Rehabilitation** 

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#### Purpose

◆To focus on the management and prevention of back pain.

Offered as a complementary service to ergonomics, safety presentations, and work conditioning.





#### Program Delivery – Class Setting

- Class schedule:
  - Four weeks in length
  - One 60-minute class per week
  - Limited class size
    - 10(min)-20(max) participants
- Location:
  - On site based on work schedule and enrollment.
  - Coordinated with management and safety POC's.
- Structure:
  - Classroom and demonstration/practice
- Class will be taught by CSC HOHS Exercise Physiologists





#### Program Delivery – Workshop Setting

- Workshop schedule:
  - Back Health & Safety Refresher
  - One 2-hour class
  - Limited class size
    - 10(min)-20(max) participants
- Location:
  - Hammer Training Facilities
  - Offered periodically through out the year, advertised through POCs and CSC HOHS "Inside Out" Newsletter
- Structure:
  - Classroom and demonstration/practice using Hanford WorkFit Modules
- Class will be taught by CSC HOHS Exercise Physiologists



#### **Employees Enrolled Will Receive**

A plan for managing back pain and/or maintaining a healthy back.

Safe Posture and Ergonomics Education

Class activities, instruction and take-home materials.



#### Program Goals

### Educate

• Employees, Safety Reps and IH's about common back injuries, signs and symptoms, and basic rehabilitation.

# Identify

• Hazardous postures and situations to prevent injury.

### Learn

 Proper body mechanics for lifting, sitting and standing that reduce and prevent back pain.

# Develop

• Skills to effectively manage and prevent back pain.