# Protecting Foresters & Loggers



Foresters and loggers are working in one of the most hazardous industries with high rates of job-related injury, illness, and fatality. Foresters face unique environmental exposures, ergonomic challenges, and health disparities across all ages. Logging is physically demanding and can be dangerous. Workers spend all their time outdoors, sometimes in poor weather and often in isolated areas.

AgriSafe is working to reduce occupational health disparities among foresters and loggers. We believe that a continued focus on safety culture in the workplace can improve worker safety behavior and risk reduction practices.



## Free Training Opportunities: Tailored for Forestry & Logging



# PREVENTING WORKPLACE VIOLENCE

In this training, forestry employees and employers alike will learn: how to report violent incidents to the authorities; their legal rights as employees; and safe work practices.



#### CHAINSAW SAFETY TRAINING

This training instructs workers and managers in both the agricultural and forestry industries how to identify potential hazards related to chainsaw use, as well as how to safely operate chainsaws.



#### SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING

The mental health crisis among American foresters & loggers must be addressed.

This AgriSafe suicide prevention training will teach employers how to recognize and respond to mental health crises.



### MUSCULO-SKELETAL & ERGONOMIC

In this training, foresters will learn how to identify ergonomic issues that lead to musculoskeletal injuries and also what resources are available to aid in injury treatment and prevention.



For more info on these trainings, visit <u>agrisafe.org/forestry-and-logging-workers</u> or scan this QR code!

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