



# RISK MANAGEMENT GUIDEBOOK

Workers' Compensation and Property/Liability Programs



Special District Risk Management Authority

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# About This Guide

The SDRMA Risk Management Guidebook serves as a tool to assist Members with their workplace safety and risk management program efforts. The guidebook consists of two sections: Workplace Safety/CalOSHA Requirements and Risk Management Best Practices.

- **Workplace Safety & Cal/OSHA Requirements** – Each topic includes an overview of the regulation requirements, guidance on how to determine if the regulation applies to your District, and available resources. The topics selected are based on common regulations that may apply to SDRMA members. To access a complete list of all regulations, refer to the [Cal/OSHA Title 8 Index](#).
- **Property/Liability Risk Reduction Best Practices** – Each topic contains regulatory references where applicable, best practices, and guidance. For coverage questions please contact SDRMA Member Services at [memberplus@sdrma.org](mailto:memberplus@sdrma.org).

This Guidebook will be updated periodically as new regulations and pertinent topics emerge.

Your SDRMA Risk Control team is available to assist with many of the requirements and best practices outlined in the Guidebook. In addition, we provide a variety of services, such as risk control evaluations, Cal/OSHA compliance questions, written program development, hazard inspections, ergonomic evaluations, training resources, and risk management guidance.

In addition, valuable resources are available to assist District's with the best practices outlined in this guide. Resources include model programs, risk & safety advisories, training resources, and more at [MemberPlus](#) on the Risk Control page.

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*Please note: This guidebook provides a general overview of the listed topics and best practices. It does not address all possible exposures, hazards, or requirements. Users are encouraged to review the actual regulations and consult with legal counsel when warranted. This information does not ensure compliance with federal, state, county, or local regulations.*

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