



SLIC 2012 - Campaign on psychosocial risks – Country report I Iceland

See instructions!

General description

National legislation	Regulation nr. 1000/2004					
Campaign goals or indicators	Assessment of the tools inspectors use when they are inspecting companies.					
Sectors inspected	Health care and service.					
SLIC inspection tools and methods	Keeping in mind the aim of Slic 2012 we developed our own inspection tools based on questions taken from QPS Nordic and Health related Quality of Life questionaire.					
National tools (existing tools, development of new national tools or adjustment of campaign tools)	QPS Nordic and Health related Quality of Life (HQL) We blended together these 2 questionaires (which are tried and tested questionaires) and made our own questionaire.					
Number of labour inspectors	The total number of labour inspectors? 10.					
	The number of labour inspectors with competence on psychosocial risks? 3.					
	The number of labour inspectors actively taking part in the campaign? 5					







Training	Has specific training for preparation of the campaign taken place? Yes						
	Has training material been developed? Yes.						
	The number of training days per inspector 1						
	The number of inspectors trained all 10 inspectors.						
National evaluation or follow-up	Still on going.						
Development of national information materials	Still on going.						
Development of a national campaign website	No.						

Assessment of the campaign

Usefulness of background material	Relevant but no available in Icelandic.
Usefulness of the inspection tools (toolkit)	Not applicable as we used different tools.
Usefulness of the project flyer	Not applicable as it was not available in Icelandic.
Usefulness of the project website	Little use.

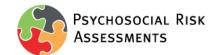






Description of good examples, in attachment if needed	Of 33 institutions asked there were only 5 which needed to take actions to improve their psycosocial work environment. We found that there is a very strong connection between psychosocial work environment and health related quality of life. The work we have done through the Slic project has confirmed that bad psychosocial work environment is directly connected to poor health related quality of life.
The inspectors' overall experiences of the campaign	Positive to very positive.
The employers´ experiences of the campaign	Mostly positive towards gaining a tool to asess psychosocial work environment.







Evaluation

Please, scale the following aspects of the event on a 1-5 basis, where 5 signifies "very much", 4-"somewhat", 3 – "undecided", 2 – "not really" and 1 - "not at all".

	5	4	3	2	1
Did the campaign influence the national priorities?			\boxtimes		
Did the campaign induce measures in the enterprises?	\boxtimes				
Did the campaign contribute to the OSH management and prevention culture in enterprises?	\boxtimes				
Did the campaign contribute to inform employers and workers?		\boxtimes			
Did the campaign induce an increase in adequate risk assessments?		\boxtimes			
Did the campaign improve the national OSH infrastructure?	\boxtimes				
Did the campaign stimulate enforcement in SME:s and high risk sectors?			\boxtimes		
Did the exchange of information with other member states stimulate national development?					

