

2.4.2 Worker Safety

- Wastewater treatment facility can be an extremely unsafe occupational field
- It involves most of the major categories of workplace hazards: biological, chemical, physical, safety and ergonomic, accentuated with other factors such as shift work and diverse tasks.
- Entities including The Occupational Safety and Health Administration(OSHA) National Electrical Code (NEC), National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), Underwriters Laboratory (UL) have recognized these hazards and implemented codes and standards to protect the affected persons and wastewater workers.