

DEATH IN THE WORKPLACE Checklist

Steps	What	Who	Progress
Immediate action	1. Alert emergency services		
	2. Notify police		
	3. Protect the dignity of the deceased		
	4. Remove witnesses and take care of them		
	5. Inform management		
	6. Contact family		
	7. Notify occupational health department		
Convene crisis team	Determine team members and means of convocation in advance		
	9. Convene team as soon as possible		
	10. Gather information		
	11. Assess situation (severity, circumstances, involved, etc.)		
	12. Coordinate response		
	13. Define available resources and support		
	14. Decide whether or not to stop activities		
Announce death	15. Announce to family		
	16. Announce to colleagues		
	17. Notify employees		
	18. Inform suppliers and customers		
	19. Announce to media		
Support	20. Set up support		
	21. Communicate available resources		