

Memorandum

Date: April 6, 2009
From: Joseph C. Fowler, Jr.
 Executive Director
To: District Council Business Managers
 Training Center Directors
cc: Regional Managers
 Regional Health and Safety Directors
 Field Coordinators
Re: Skin Cancer Prevention



For over a decade, the Laborers' Health and Safety Fund of North America has been promoting skin cancer prevention through the Sun Sense Program. The Program has been growing with each new year. We are hopeful that this means that more people are being educated about the importance of sun protection in an effort to prevent skin cancer as well the importance of self-examinations and screenings by doctors to detect skin cancer as early as possible.

May is Skin Cancer Prevention Month. We are happy to be able to continue to offer educational materials as well as samples of sun screen products in honor of such an important observance. It is our goal to have members incorporate sun protection measures into their daily routine just as they would any other safety behavior. To help Laborers protect themselves, the LHSFNA is offering several products to LIUNA training centers and local unions for distribution to LIUNA members including: health alerts, neck flaps, sun screen towelettes, posters, book marks and lip balm. The Sun Sense program curriculum is also available and our staff would be happy to make arrangements to do a train-the-trainer for your instructors. The attached sheet shows a sample of these items.

Sun Sense Program supplies are available to you at no charge (some in limited quantities and distribution). If you would like to receive any of these items for distribution to LIUNA members, please complete the bottom portion of this memo and **send or fax it to LHSFNA, Attn: Jamie Becker, 905 16th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20006, fax (202) 628-2613.** If you have any questions regarding skin cancer or these products, please feel free to contact Jamie at (202) 628-5465. Thank you!

Please indicate quantity next to each item requested. Thank you!

Name: _____

Address: _____

Facility: _____

Sun Sense Program Curriculum
Updated 4/2009

Health Alerts - English -Spanish

Neck Flaps* (limit 150 per request, for additional quantities contact LHSFNA)

Sun Screen Pump* for Training Centers or Worksites with Sun Screen Pump Brackets

Sun Screen Pump Bracket* (only if training center or worksite does not currently have bracket and/or needs additional brackets)

Sun Screen Towelettes*

**Save Your Hide....
 Poster (11x17)**

**Safety Check List
 Poster (11x17)**

**...Pain in the Neck
 Poster (11x17)**

**Protect Your Skin
 Poster (11x17)**

**...Burned at Work
 Poster (11x17)**

UV Cards*

Lip Balm*

Book Marks*

*Limited quantities available. Please indicate desired quantity.