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Thank you for your interest in our Consortium services. The information below should be helpful.

Oswego Hospital D.O.T. Drug & Alcohol Random Testing Consortium

As a member of the Oswego Hospital Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) Drug & Alcohol Random Testing Consortium, each company is responsible for following the rules & regulations as stated in 49 CFR Part 40. Our goal is to assist each company with meeting his/her requirements. This includes enforcing all regulatory requirements. There have been significant changes in the regulations since August, 2001. More importantly, as stated in 49 CFR Part 40.355 (o)...while the Consortium must follow the D.O.T. agency regulations, the actual employer remains accountable to D.O.T. for compliance, and the consortium's failure to implement any aspect of the program as required in this part and other applicable D.O.T. agency regulations make the company subject to enforcement action by the Department.

As a member, Oswego Hospital provides for you:

- ✓ Medical Review Officer services (Dr. Carlos Dator & Dr. Christina Liepke)
- ✓ D.O.T Employee/Supervisor Drug & Alcohol Training
- ✓ Certified collectors and Breath Alcohol Technicians
- ✓ 24 Hr Post Accident testing through Oswego Hospital Emergency Dept.
- ✓ Consortium/Third Party Administrator services
- ✓ We are members of DATIA (Drug & Alcohol Testing Industry Association), a national organization

You can begin by sending your employees for pre-employment testing, <u>unless you have</u> documentation that they have been covered during the past year by the other program. If you would email me a list of names. My email address is <u>gmillar@oswegohealth.org</u>. You can download the Federal regulations regarding drug & alcohol testing by going to http://www.dot.gov/ost/dapc/oamanagers.html click on rules & regulations for the DOT agency your company falls under. Feel free to contact us at any time. Looking forward to working with you!

Cordially,

Gerri Millar, RN Program Coordinator