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Where did LOcHER start?

‘How can we help vocational students/apprentices protect their future health and safety in college and on entering the world of work?’

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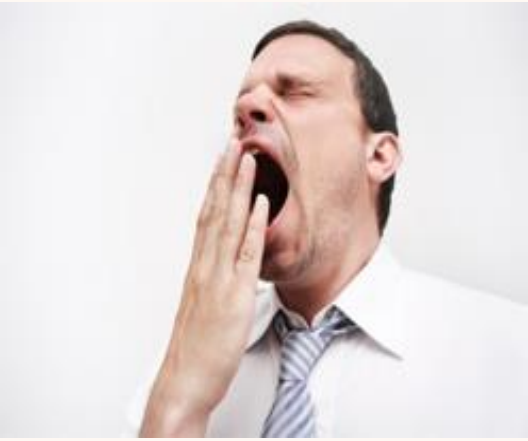
Lets go right back to

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Where in the Act or any of the regulations does it say that H&S training has to be dull, boring, monotonous?

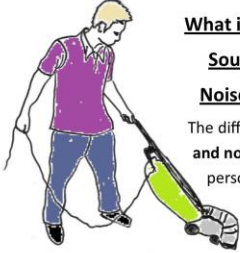
When most workers hear “Health & Safety”



LOcHER helps make Health and Safety more engaging and interesting?

What's the LOcHER process?

- Research the Health Hazards in their occupational area, the illnesses caused by exposure and how to reduce the risk
- Let the group be as creative as they want to be – Make it a bit of fun, run a competition!
- Let the group learn from each other – (and teach us)!!
- Like in the following examples.....



HOME

What is sound and noise?

Sound is what we hear.

Noise is unwanted sound.

The difference between **sound** and **noise** depends upon the person and the situation.



WORK



At home or work, you can reduce exposure to noise very simply, by:

- **Eliminating the source**—turn the Hoover or the machinery off
- **Substitute the source**—use a sweeping brush, buy materials pre-cut
- **Use a barrier**—move to another room to watch TV or place the machine in a separate area in the workplace
- **Re-arrange activities**—watch your TV program later or do the noisy work when less people are about
- **Use a form of ear protection**—not the easiest thing to do at home but in the workplace, if not other option is available wear ear plugs or ear defenders



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SO.....



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Outside of work, Spray Booth clearance is similar to this:

I'd give it a few minutes, if I was you!!!



Learning Occupational Risks
by Experiencing Risks

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