

# **Behavior Based Safety BPS 2323**

# **Identifying Critical Behaviors**

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## **Chapter Description**

At the end of this chapter, student should be able to explain about D.O.I.T process, S.O.O.N and ABC model in BBS approach.

#### **Expected Outcomes**

Students able to explain:

- How to conduct BBS program in workplace
- What to emphasize when performing behavioral observation
- When to apply ABC model

#### References:

- 1. Geller, E.S. (2001). "Working Safe, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed". Lewis Publishers.
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#### Content

- ☐ Introduction of
- ☐ BBS approach (D.O.I.T)
- ☐ Behavioral Observation
- ☐ ABC Model



#### Introduction

**How to Change Behavior?** 

Quick – fix for safety?

Safety requires...

Continuous improvement process

Ongoing and comprehensive involvement



## BBS Approach

**Define** 

**Observe** 

Intervene

**Test** 

Critical Target Behavior (s)

#### To identify

- Natural environment
- Social factor

To change behavior

> in desired direction

**Continue** 

observe record

the target behavior

that *influence* target behavior

to test the impact

#### Benefit of D.O.I.T

### Can define...

- 1. <u>Desirable</u> behaviors to be <u>encouraged</u>
- 2. <u>Undesirable</u> behavior to be <u>changed</u>

### The Focus of D.O.I.T Processes

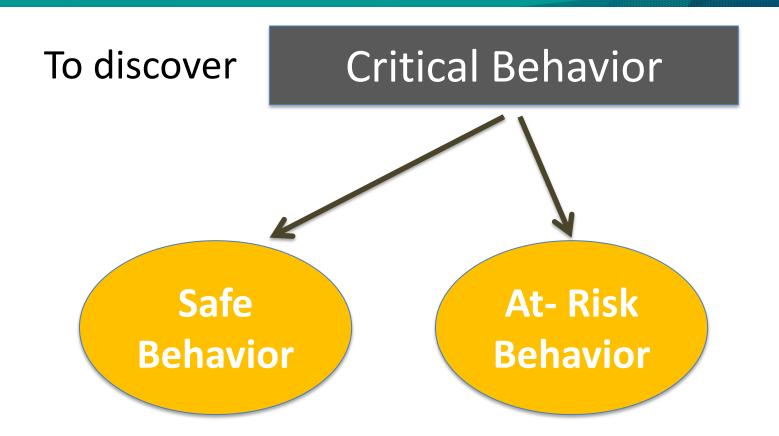
are depends on ....



#### Interview with Workers

- Discuss with workers on how they performing their jobs
- Workers know already the available hazards in their workplace.
- Workers also know what they need to do to avoid injury.
- They know which safety policy or procedures that sometimes ignored.

## Reviewing Safety Related Documents



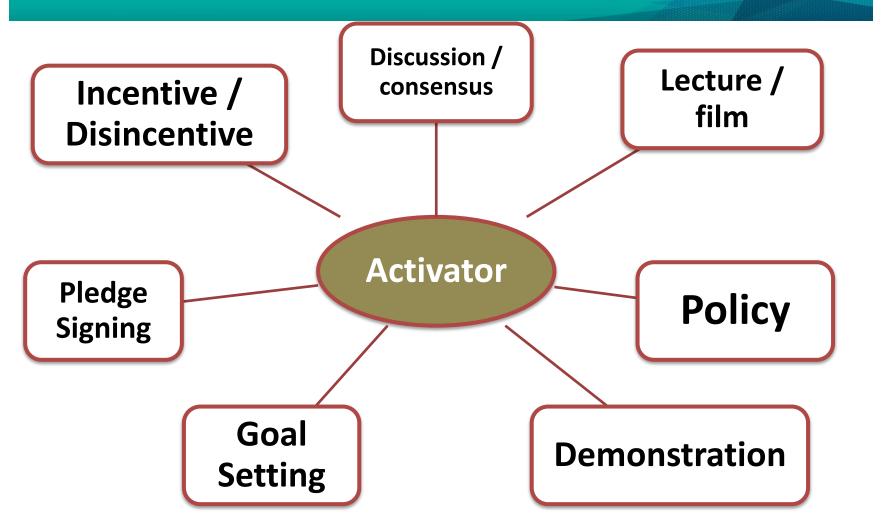
## Behavioral Observation

• Specific Observable Objective • Naturalistic No interpretations Unambiguous Normal Overt behavior nor attributions Interaction Countable and Real - world "What" not "Why" activity recordable

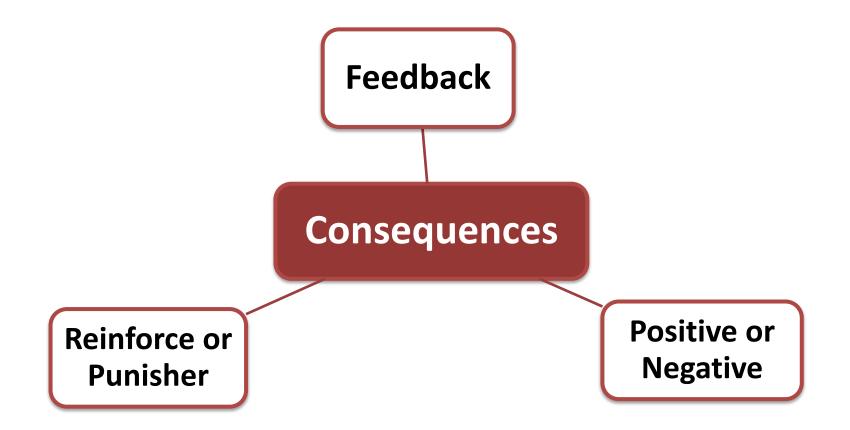
### How to develop

behavior change intervention?









#### Critical Behavior Checklist

#### Name of Activity

Other factors that may influence (environmental, workplace condition etc..)

Target Behavior	Safe	At- Risk	Comments
Totals:			

**Total Safe Observations** 

% safe observations:

X 100 =

Total Safe Observations + At- Risk Observations

#### Conclusion

Critical behaviors need to be identified, to make sure the observation and intervention process is smooth.

Critical behavior checklist can be used as BBS tool to identify critical behaviors

By using ABC model, effective consequences may be set up to develop workers' safe behaviors.



