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## **OIL & GAS INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE**

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Wayne Vanderhoof is the Senior Consultant and President of RJR Safety Inc., a safety consulting company focusing on providing services to the oil and gas industry in western PA, eastern Ohio, and northern West Virginia.

Mr. Vanderhoof has twelve years of direct safety experience in the oil and gas industry in the upstream and midstream segments including the operations of:

- Site preparation
- Drilling – top holes and laterals
- Stimulation/Flowback
- Production
- Pipelines
- Compressor stations

Wayne Vanderhoof is certified as an API 1169 Pipeline Construction Inspector.

Mr. Vanderhoof is a Co-Chair of the Pennsylvania Independent Oil & Gas Association (PIOGA) Safety Committee, a member of OOGA, IOGAWV, and involved in the STEPS Networks in the tri-state area.

Other applicable experience includes five years of designing and the construction of process equipment for petrochemical plants.

Mr. Vanderhoof is actively involved with various national standards development groups including:

- ANSI/ASSP Z390.1 – Accepted Practices for Hydrogen Sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S) Training Programs
- American Petroleum Institute (API) Recommended Practice 99 - Flash Fire Risk Assessment for the Upstream Oil and Gas Industry

Other active voting member involvement with national standards include:

- ANSI, BSR/ASSP A10.50 for Heat Stress Management
- Machinery Safety Standards Working Groups in the Plastics Industry

Training Authorizations include SafeLand USA, AWARE Hydrogen Sulfide Train-the-Trainer, OSHA Outreach Training for General Industry (10- & 30-hour classes) and American Red Cross First-aid/CPR/AED. Mr. Vanderhoof is an adjunct Instructor for West Virginia University Safety & Health Extension at the OSHA Training Institute Education Center National Resource Center and an adjunct Instructor at Thiel College.

Mr. Vanderhoof partners with Operators/Leaseholders and Service Companies on issues of worker and operational safety ranging from site audits to emergency response planning to contractor management to pipeline safety audits.