

Legislation pertaining to occupational health services in South Africa

ACT	FUNCTION	ENFORCEMENT AGENCY
Occupation Health and Safety Act (OHSA), 1993	Ensures a healthy and safe environment in factories and offices (work places)	Department of Labour
Compensation for Occupational Injuries & Diseases Act (COIDA), 1993	Provides for medical cover and compensation of occupations injuries or diseases in all work-places	Department of Labour
Mine Health & Safety Act (MHSA)	Ensure a healthy and safe environment in mines / quarries	Department of Minerals and Energy
Occupational Diseases in Mines & Works Act (ODMWA), 1973	Provides for compensation of occupational lung diseases in mines and quarries	Department of Health
Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965	Provides for authorisation permit to be issued to a nurse to dispense schedule 1-4 substances at workplace health services	Department of Health