

Don Bentley, CIH, PE

Don Bentley is a Board-Certified Industrial Hygienist and Professional Engineer with more than 30 years of experience in the industry.

Don has comprehensive industrial hygiene and engineering experience. He has conducted hundreds of industrial hygiene and indoor air quality surveys and has provided industrial ventilation evaluated industrial ventilation systems and recommendations to clients in many industries. Don has developed exposure monitoring plans, conducted exposure assessments, performed exposure tracking, fume hood evaluations, noise monitoring, and industrial hygiene monitoring of a wide range of metals. chemicals including sampling for welding fumes. silica. acids. inhalable/respirable/total particulate, solvents, and gases. Don also has extensive experience evaluating and recommending controls including ventilation systems and noise control.

Don has developed and presented a variety of training including indoor air quality, industrial hygiene sampling and calibration, hazard communication, noise and hearing conservation, hazard assessment and toxicology fundamentals and industrial ventilation. He is a member of the instruction team for the Fundamentals of Industrial Hygiene and Beyond the Fundamentals of Industrial Hygiene courses.

Most recently at Safex, Don assisted a health care service company with development of environmental chemical monitoring and air exchange procedures, forms and training; assisted a large assisted living facility with evaluating its water systems and water maintenance procedures; assisted several manufacturers with documenting performance and improving ventilation around processes where chemical exposure requires the use of respiratory protection equipment. Don is also providing industrial hygiene support for several steel manufacturing locations that are involved with VPP.

Prior to joining Safex, Don worked at the Ohio BWC where he served on the safety grant board that reviewed grant applications and awarded approximately \$3 million per year to employers using creative techniques to reduce the risk of injury or illness in the workplace. During that time, he supervised safety, industrial hygiene and training staff, and provided technical oversight for a staff of up to 28 industrial hygienists.

Don graduated from Ohio University with a B.S. in Civil Engineering.