LEV Examinations - Beyond the Basics

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There are currently approximately 13,000 deaths each year due to occupational disease in the whole of industry.
Approx 13,000 died from work related disease

99% health

133 workers died in accidents at work

1% safety
HSE Priorities

Key part of HSE workplan is to improve impact on serious occupational health issues:

- Respirable Crystalline Silica
- Asthmagens
- Carcinogens

In specific industries where the risks need improved control
‘TRIPE’ Subcommittee

TExT Reporting Initiative, Providing Examples (TRIPE) Subcommittee
LEV Thorough Examination reports – Good Criteria

- Description
- Conclusion
- Recommendations
- Easy to understand
Here we can see a stonemason who is exposed to dust containing crystalline silica.
SUMMARY

• Long term health issues a priority for the HSE
• ‘TRIPE’ initiative has HSE support