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Purposes

Conducts scientific studies and investigations to find ways and means to prevent occupational diseases, and to promote the health of workmen.

Collects and evaluates data on industrial health and serves as a central clearing house for dissemination of this information.

Services

Develops new knowledge needed to combat industrial health problems through scientific research sustained at four leading science centers.

Issues informative reports giving practical engineering measures, medical knowledge, and legal information for preventing industrial diseases and for improving employee health.

Counsel of specialists, comprising Foundation's Engineering, Medical and Legal committees, available within reasonable limits.

Provides monthly abstracts summarizing current literature on occupational health subjects. This is an important labor-saver for company officials. Further, it insures executives against missing vital new developments.

Special problems, surveys, etc., undertaken and supervised for members at cost.

Affiliated companies may turn to one central institution for available knowledge in this field. Membership places a company in contact with many other industrial concerns whose experiences with similar problems often prove helpful.

Broad Problems Require Broad Approach

Air Hygiene Foundation represents an effort by employers, physicians, and engineers to promote the health of the 15 million workmen in "heavy" industry. Healthful working conditions pay dividends to the employer, it is true. But at the same time they contribute to the welfare of the workman, and indirectly to the welfare of his family and the community. Industrial health, per se, is the concern of the individual employer. Yet basically, employee health problems confront all employers through laws and regulations, industrial relations, and public opinion. Plainly then, broad problems demand a broad approach, and call for organized employer action.

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