



Understanding occupational risks in Europe



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EUROGIP in short

EUROGIP is an organization within the **French insurance against accidents at work and occupational diseases** in charge of investigating issues related to prevention of occupational risks and insurance of employees and enterprises that face these risks.

CREATION

1991

STATUS

Public interest grouping [Groupement d'intérêt public, GIP] between CNAMTS and INRS⁽¹⁾

ADMINISTRATION

Equi-representational board consisting of members representing employers and employees

RESOURCES

75% come from the National Fund for the Prevention of Occupational Injuries

25% come from contracts signed with the French authorities and the Community authorities

STAFF

12 employees

[1] CNAMTS (Caisse nationale de l'assurance maladie des travailleurs salariés):
National Health Insurance Fund for Employees
INRS (Institut national de recherche et de sécurité pour la prévention des accidents du travail et des maladies professionnelles):
National Research and Safety Institute for prevention of accidents at work and occupational diseases

Activities

- Performing **comparative surveys** on occupational injuries in Europe, in particular on conditions of recognition of occupational diseases and of victims' compensation (occupational cancers, asbestose-related diseases, work-related mental disorders, etc.), but also on incentives for preventing occupational risks, prevention in SMEs, etc.
- Organizing **European conferences**, *the EUROGIP Discussions*, or **bilateral meetings** on topical issues related to prevention of occupational risks or insurance against occupational injuries in Europe
- Writing and publishing **information on occupational risks in Europe**: newsletter, enquiry reports, thematic notes, statistical data on occupational injuries in EU Member States
- Coordinating a network of French experts within the National "Occupational injury" Insurance on **European and international OSH standards**
- Taking part in **projects of Community interest** coming within the field of OSH and funded by the EU
- Acting as secretariat for the **Coordinations of notified bodies** for the regulatory certification of personal protective equipment and machinery [under the authority of the French Ministries of Labour and Agriculture].



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