



Commemoration of the World Day for Safety and Health
(Beirut, 27 April 2006)

Draft Programme

9:00-9:30 Registration

9:30-10:00 Opening Speeches

- ILO
- General Confederation for Lebanese Trade Unions
- Association of Lebanese Industrialists
- Ministry of Labour

10:00-10:15 Coffee Break

10:20-10:40 To Ban or not to Ban: The Case of Asbestos

Dr. Iman Nuwayhid, *MD, DrPH, Professor and associate Dean,
Faculty of Health Sciences, AUB*

10:40-11:00 Discussion and exchange of ideas

11:00-11:20 Discrimination against workers: The case of HIV/AIDS

Manal Azzi, *Regional Specialist on HIV/AIDS, ILO/RO-Beirut*

11:20-11:40 Discussion and suggestions

11:40-12:00 Workers' right to Know: Is there proper labeling of Hazardous Chemicals?

Dr. Rola Azzi, *School of Safety Sciences
University of New South Wales (UNSW), Australia*

12:00-12:20 Debate

12:20-12:40 The gap between policy and implementation: Are ILO ratified Conventions being enforced?

Dr. Ghassan Awar, *Ministry of Labour*

12:40-13:00 Sharing of ideas

13:00 Working Lunch