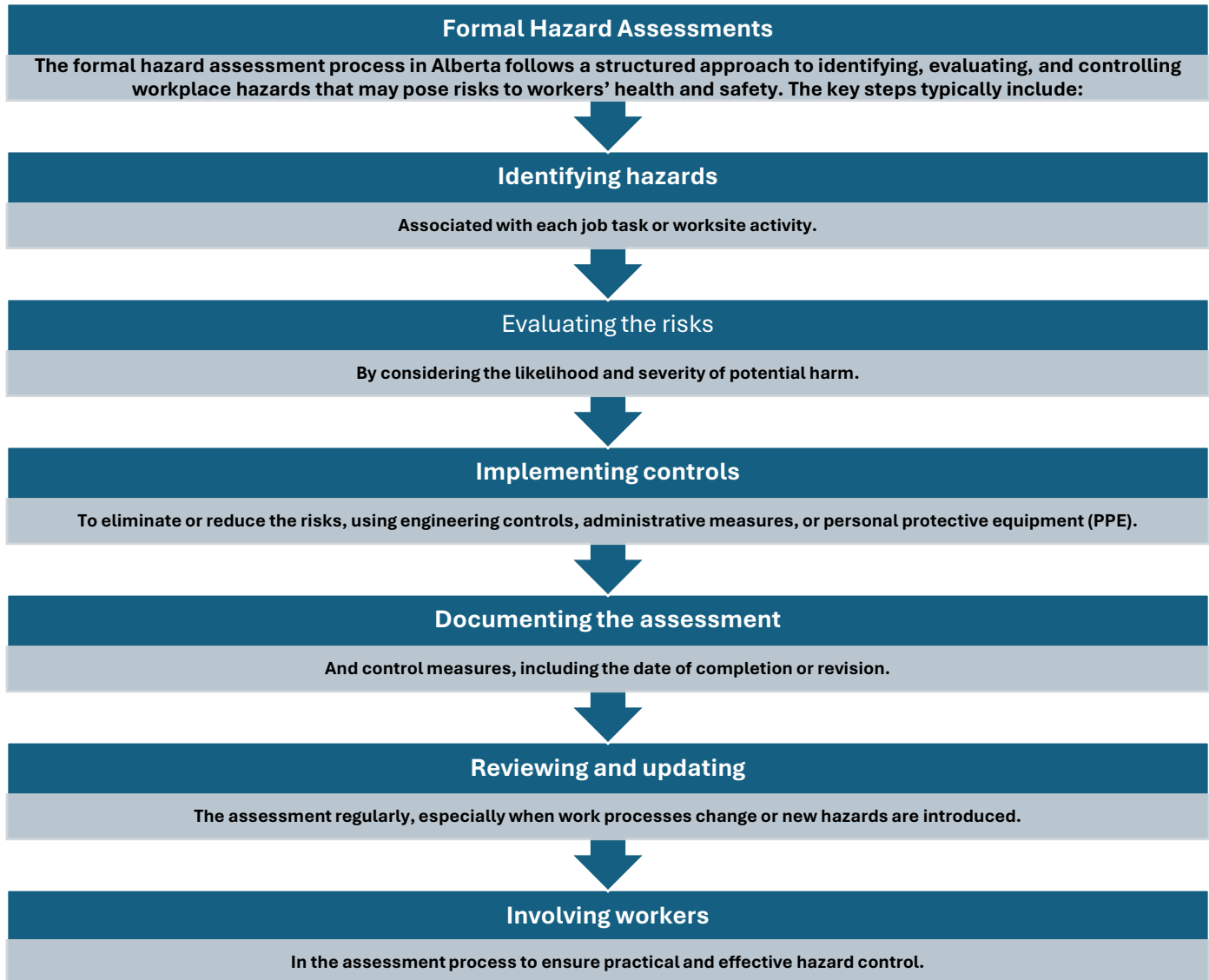A Formal Hazard Assessment is a critical component of any workplace safety program. It provides a structured and proactive approach to identifying potential hazards, evaluating associated risks, and implementing effective controls to protect workers. In Alberta, this process is not only a best practice, it's a legal requirement under the Occupational Health and Safety Code.

Formal Hazard Assessments

The formal hazard assessment process in Alberta follows a structured approach to identifying, evaluating, and controlling workplace hazards that may pose risks to workers' health and safety. The key steps typically include:

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Identifying hazards

Associated with each job task or worksite activity.

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Evaluating the risks

By considering the likelihood and severity of potential harm.

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Implementing controls

To eliminate or reduce the risks, using engineering controls, administrative measures, or personal protective equipment (PPE).

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Documenting the assessment

And control measures, including the date of completion or revision.

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Reviewing and updating

The assessment regularly, especially when work processes change or new hazards are introduced.

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Involving workers

In the assessment process to ensure practical and effective hazard control.

By conducting Formal Hazard Assessments by position, Qualico demonstrates its commitment to due diligence and proactive safety management. Formal hazard assessments contribute to safer work environments, enhance operational efficiency, and support compliance with regulatory requirements.

For more information on Formal Hazard Assessment see link below!

Formal Hazard Assessment (Job Hazard Analysis)