FReSH eNews
Ag Safety & Health Community of Practice—eXtension

Women in Agriculture

The Ag Safety and Health Community of Practice (FReSH) and the Enhancing Educational Programming for Beginning Farm and Ranch Women are working together to provide a one-stop for resources about agricultural safety, health and mechanization information specifically for women. Visit the website at https://articles.extension.org/pages/74531/women-in-agriculture. New information will be added in the coming weeks!

Coping with the Pressures of Farming

Dr. Julie Sorensen recommended a bulletin on farmer mental health. The publication is provided by Teagasc—the Agricultural and Food Development Authority. Access the bulletin here. Serving Ireland, Teagasc is the national body providing integrated research, advisory and training services to the agriculture industry and rural communities.

Upcoming FReSH Activities:

- Update the CoP reviewer list for FReSH articles based on member’s expertise.
- Begin the review process of current FReSH articles.
- Form work groups to focus on new initiatives: women in agriculture, animal handling, and technology.
- Explore funding opportunities for new initiatives.

Thank you to the CHS Foundation for their support of eXtension.

FReSH Article Highlights:

- Safety in Agriculture for Youth
- Preventing Fires in Baled Hay and Straw
- Silo Fire Prevention and Management

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