

## 9am What's in Your Toolbox? Assembling a Successful Risk Management Program

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Health and Fitness Centers are changing at a meteoric pace. To keep up with these rapid changes, participants will learn the basics of a Risk Management program and the tools needed to make it successful and sustainable. Participants will learn to hone their observation and assessment skills using practical, real world examples and gain a better understanding of common issues and themes in every day Risk Management at Health and Fitness Centers.

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