III. Program

The Injury and Illness Prevention Program (IIPP) describes basic elements pertaining to health and safety at SDSU and assigns specific responsibilities for preventing injuries and illnesses. In some respects, the IIPP functions as a "stand-alone" document in which generally applicable safety-related requirements are specified. It is important to note, however, that the Program is not limited to the items specified in the IIPP document. Rather, the IIPP acts as an "umbrella" program that incorporates all of the hazard control programs and procedures that are in use at SDSU. (Note: See Glossary of Terms, Attachment 9, for definitions or descriptions of terms in boldface.) Taken collectively, these hazard control programs and procedures act in conjunction with the requirements described in the IIPP to produce a program that is comprehensive in scope and sufficient in detail.

IMPORTANT: Specific requirements contained in related SDSU Hazard Control Programs are cited in this document as they pertain to the element under discussion. For example, certain types of training required by the SDSU Hazard Awareness and Communication Program also satisfy some of the employee safety training requirements of the IIPP. It must be emphasized, however, that all requirements and responsibilities contained in the SDSU Hazard Control Programs are hereby incorporated by reference as elements of the IIPP.