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"SIMPLY WONDERFUL" ERGONOMIC INTERVENTION

Congratulations to Lawrence

Mullen, an electronics mechanic at NAVAIR Depot Jacksonville, the winner of the 2005 DoD Workplace Safety and Health Forum's Success Story Competition. Mr. Mullen presented his winning ergonomic intervention at the Orlando Forum on 20 September.

The competition judges were impressed with Mr. Mullen's excellent presentation of his Command's problem and successful solution. With a clear presentation and effective photographs, Mr. Mullen



described a problem that caused concern for mission success and operator health. The subsequent effective solution was reached through the support of top management, consultation with an ergonomics expert and contributions of the operator.

Curious to see just what the intervention involved? Go to the Forum Web site: http://www.dodforums.org/Presentations/Mullen.ppt to see the full presentation.

Successful Ergonomic Programs require command support. Kudos to:

Supervisor - Robert Bradshaw

Division Director - Roy Luke

Ergo Program Manager - Barbara Wright

Safety Director - Chris Williamson

Commanding Officer - CAPT David Beck