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Background/Overview: Tri-State Industrial Group is a global organization comprised of four entities. Through one of its contracting organizations -- Tri-State Electrical Inc. -- the corporation began working with the oil and gas market, performing maintenance and construction. The electrical contractor works with the ISNetworld program to manage a variety of data for conformance verification. The small contractor was overwhelmed with the intricacies of the program and needed help managing the data within the program and assisting with reporting safety-related data. The larger industrial group also needed assistance with data management through ISNetworld for its other entities.

Problem/Challenge: Tri-State considered two other companies for the project aside from Ayuda LLC.



Solution: Tri-State chose Ayuda because they had the right knowledge, and at the right price and time. Ayuda helped Tri-State in two areas. The first was in Melinda Traynor's experience and knowledge in reporting incidents. She identified that the company was over reporting incidents. Because of this, Tri-State corrected their methods and saved time taken by employees filling out safety data sheets. A larger project, Ayuda maintains conformance verification data management for Tri-State Electrical Inc. The ISNetworld program requires monthly supervision of operator qualification requirements, which Ayuda coordinates, in addition to updating all documentation and managing subsequent issues.



Outcome: The training and correction of reportable incidents saved Tri-State approximately 30 hours every business quarter in time spent filling out safety paperwork. Also, Ayuda's efforts made the company eligible for new bids due to an improved safety rating. Ayuda manages a wide variety of data for the industrial group, including self-reported health, safety and procurement-related data. This project would be manageable for a full-time staff at a large corporation, but is quite an undertaking for smaller contractors who must maneuver through such intricate programs. Ayuda is also creating an ISNetworld account for Great Plains Construction Inc. This project is ongoing, extensive, and will allow the contractor to electronically manage and submit data for conformance verification.