

VelocityEHS has created this helpful checklist to simplify your search for the best EHS software solution. Whether you're new to EHS software or looking to upgrade, it's the easy way to keep the award-winning features, benefits, service and support provided by VelocityEHS at the top of your list.

Features & Benefits	VelocityEHS	Other
<b>1. Vendor Profile</b>		
Industry standing & market experience	Industry leader since 1996	
Number of current customers	13,000+	
Number of current system users	8 million+	
Customer retention rating	97%	
Number of customers on latest product release/version	100%	
<b>2. Design/User Experience</b>		
Make data entry, analysis and reporting fast and easy for users of all levels with our simple and intuitive user interface	✓	
Scale the system across your entire enterprise, from the individual department or facility level, to every location throughout your organization	✓	
Access core system features and functionality through your tablet or smart phone with our fully responsive mobile design	✓	
Provide system access in the language your people understand, with a user interface translated into 16 standard languages and growing	✓	
Walk users through each of the system's features and functions using built-in Training Toolkit videos, guides and tutorials to get you up and running faster	✓	
Maintain your system without the need to hire additional IT staff or system admins using our easy-to-use administrative controls	✓	
<b>3. Comprehensive Management of Change Capabilities</b>		
Maintain a clean and comprehensive audit trail of all MOC activities to ensure compliance with a wide range regulatory requirements and standards including OSHA PSM, HSE COMAH, EU Seveso III Directive, ISO/OHSAS, etc.	✓	
Simplify the management of virtually any type of organizational change (process, technology, procedural, materials, equipment, staffing, facilities, etc.) using a simple, yet versatile MOC template design	✓	
Initiate temporary, permanent, and emergency change requests, manage change workflows, assign and track action items, and monitor evaluate change completion through a single cloud-based system	✓	
Gain full visibility and control of MOC activities and status with user-configurable workflows that feature built-in approvals and automated email notifications at every stage	✓	
Attach process hazard analyses (PHAs), HAZOPs, risk analyses, photos, links and other documents to change requests for quick, convenient, centralized access to change-related information	✓	
Build and distribute user-configurable Pre-Startup Safety Review (PSSR) checklists that can be easily tailored to individual change scenarios	✓	
Evaluate organizational changes, ensure follow-up actions are performed, and verify successful completion with integrated Post-Startup Checklists	✓	
Instantly schedule, assign, and track pre-and post-startup action items, and automatically distribute escalating email notifications to assigned individuals when deadlines are approaching or missed	✓	
Quickly submit, edit and manage MOC requests, including checklists, action item assignments, and status notifications right from your mobile device	✓	



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<b>4. Robust Reporting in Real-Time</b>		
Search and view MOC requests across each of your locations, and filter results by date, status, change type, change category and assigned users, or by user-defined location tags	✓	
Automatically generate and deliver selected reports to individual system users on a recurring basis with Report Scheduling, helping you save time and money	✓	
Drive employee engagement and track preventive activities with user-configurable dashboards that show you active MOC requests by workflow stage to assess MOC activities across locations at-a-glance	✓	
<b>5. Customer Care &amp; Training</b>		
Configure your system according to your unique EHS management needs with personalized customer implementation and onboarding, and one-on-one consultation	✓	
Give your people the skills to succeed with remote and on-site user training courses, including System Administrator/Super User Training and End User Training	✓	
Join a community of EHS experts whose experience and feedback drive the integration of industry best practices and innovate new features into VelocityEHS products at an accelerated pace	✓	
Resolve issues quickly and accurately with full application support services, including convenient access to our Customer Support Team, at no additional cost	✓	
<b>6. IT Support &amp; Data Security</b>		
128-bit SSL Certification and data encryption protocols	✓	
Hosting facility is staffed 24/7, with state-of-the-art security features including photo and biometric ID systems	✓	
System safeguards including RAID 5 storage, multiple redundant web, mobile app, database and file servers, redundant power supplies, facility environmental controls and back-up equipment	✓	
All customer data is automatically backed up on a nightly basis and stored at secure off-site facilities	✓	
Servers are monitored 24/7 for attempted network incursions using a suite of continuously-updated cutting-edge network security software	✓	
Alignment with PIPEDA, EU Data Protection Directive 95/46/EC and GDPR, CSAE 3416 Type 2, SSAE 16 SOC 1 Type 2, ISAE 3402 Type 2, CICA, and Privacy Shield control standards	✓	
Third-party verified for compliance with AICPA SOC 2 Type II across the entire solution stack, including data colocation, cloud hosting, and disaster recovery services	✓	
<b>7. Total Cost of Ownership</b>		
<b>DOES NOT</b> require third-party consultants to implement and maintain the system	✓	
<b>DOES NOT</b> charge based on a per-user fee, enabling all of your employees to access the system at no additional cost	✓	
Solution includes Reports and Dashboards, Corrective Action management capabilities, and responsive mobile design features - at no extra cost	✓	
True cloud-based hosting services eliminate the need for additional IT resources, hardware, and software licensing costs	✓	
Software updates are applied to your system instantly and automatically, at no additional fee, giving you the latest and most advanced system features as soon as they are released	✓	
Easy system configurability eliminates the need for costly software customizations, and provides the flexibility you need to ensure long-term value for your business	✓	

