

	MAINTENANCE HAZARDS	Date:
	TOOLBOX / TAILGATE TALK	Presenter:

Maintenance Hazards

Introduction

1. Review any accidents or "near accidents" from the past week.
2. Describe the hazards of the work as they relate to your project. Explain or show the Safe way of doing the job.
3. Give the Tool Box Safety Talk

Workers doing maintenance on machinery and equipment are at risk of being struck by machine and or equipment parts and misused tools. Injuries can range from minor cuts and lacerations to serious fractures; puncture wounds, amputations, and fatalities. Take these precautions when performing maintenance:

- Lock out equipment and machinery to render it inoperable during maintenance and repair.
- Wear appropriate protective equipment; i.e. safety goggles, hard hat etc.
- Block and prevent the movement of all equipment being repaired.
- Never tamper with machine guards.
- Always replace guards after making repairs or adjustments to equipment.
- Be sure potential energy is rendered harmless.
When moving equipment use proper lifting techniques



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