

THE FACTS OF FALL PROTECTION

#1 OSHA Violation for Over 10 Years

ANNUALLY

5,464

Citations¹

\$28.7

Million in Penalties¹

645

Fatalities²

21,170

Injuries²

Train your team to the proper OSHA Standards to avoid injuries and fines.



FALL PROTECTION
29 CFR 1926.501

LADDERS
29 CFR 1926.1053

SCAFFOLDING
29 CFR 1926.451

OSHA requires that fall protection be provided where workers are exposed to potential falls from the following heights:



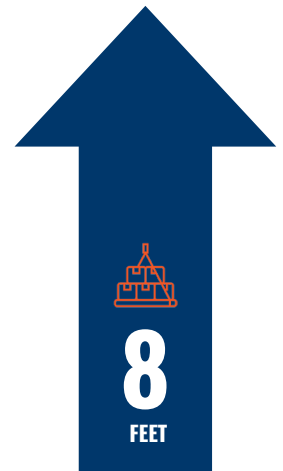
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SHIPYARDS



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**LONGSHORING
OPERATIONS**

Train your team to recognize and minimize fall hazards with ClickSafety's comprehensive online fall protection training.

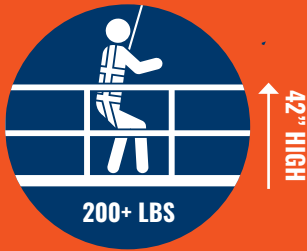
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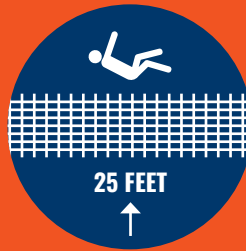
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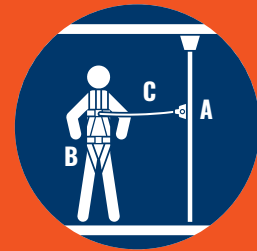
WHAT KINDS OF FALL PROTECTION SHOULD EMPLOYERS USE?



GUARDRAILS
must be **42" high** and able to withstand a force of at least **200 pounds**
(Reference OSHA Standard 1926.501)

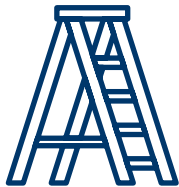


SAFETY NETS
must be provided when workplaces are more than **25 feet** above the ground
(Reference OSHA Standard 1926.105)



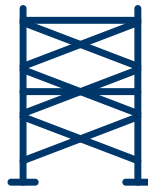
PERSONAL FALL ARREST SYSTEMS
Know the ABCs - Anchorages, Body Harnesses, Connecting Devices
(Reference OSHA Standard 1926.501)

LADDER SAFETY



- **Falls from Ladders** account for **80%** of construction injuries and **20%** of injuries in General Industry
- **Fixed Ladders** –Fall Protection must be used when the ladder is **24 feet or taller**
- **Mobile Ladder Stands & Platforms** - Must be capable of supporting **4 times** their maximum intended load

SUPPORTED VS SUSPENDED SCAFFOLDS



SUPPORTED SCAFFOLDS

- Platforms and walkways should be at least **18 inches wide**
- Fall protection can be either a personal fall-arrest or guardrail system
- Fall protections must be used on any scaffold **10 feet or more** above a lower level



SUSPENDED SCAFFOLDS

- Platforms and walkways should be at least **18 inches wide**
- OSHA requires both a personal fall-arrest and a guardrail system
- The gap between the scaffold platform and the structure being worked on cannot be more than **14"**

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