Fall Protection

Fall protection must be provided for each worker on a walking/working surface with an unprotected side or edge at a height 6 feet or greater.

Common Fall Protection Equipment:



Shock-Absorbing Lanyard



Rope & Cable Grabs



Carabineers



Self-Retracting Lifeline



Full Body Harness

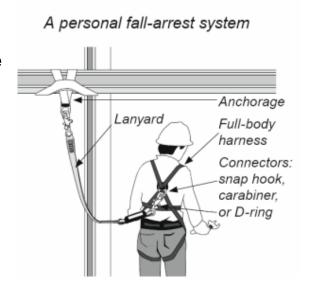
Management Should:

- Develop, implement and commit to a fall protection program.
- Provide training on the fall protection program.
- Evaluate the program on a regular basis to insure the program's effectiveness and determine whether it needs to be changed or updated.

Use at least one of the following whenever workers are exposed to a fall of 6 feet or more above a lower level:

- Guardrails on ladders, roofs and platforms
- Safety Net Systems
- Fall Arrest Systems





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Preventing Falls