Stairs and stairways

Are standard stair rails and handrails present on all stairways having four or more risers?

Are all stairways at least 22 inches wide?

Do stairs have at least 6.5 feet of overhead clearance?

Do stairs angle no more than 50 degrees and no less than 30 degrees?

Are risers on stair steps uniform, with no riser more than 9.5 inches?

Are steps on stairs and stairways provided with a slip-resistant surface?

Are stairway handrails 30-42 inches above the leading edge of stair treads?

Do stairway handrails have at least three inches’ clearance between the handrail and the surface they are mounted on?

Are stairway handrails capable of withstanding a load of 200 pounds applied in any direction?

Where stairs or stairways exit directly into an area where vehicles may be operated, have you provided adequate barriers and warnings to prevent employees from stepping into traffic?