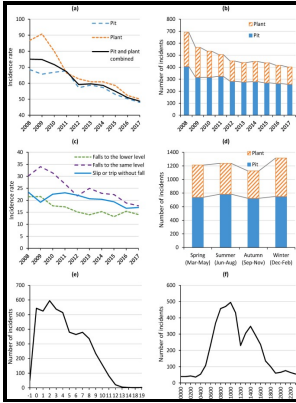


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Identification of risk factors and countermeasures for slip, trip and fall accidents during the delivery of mail

The general idea behind this theory is that all landowners owe others a on their prope rty. For example, place a 12 foot ladder so that the bottom is 3 feet away from the object the ladder is leaning against.

3 Big Causes of Slips, Trips and Falls

I have been living in Barcelona for the past five years. As we build the EHS Daily Advisor community, we are looking for professionals, managers, and executives to be a part of our Faces of EHS profile series as well as contribute thoughtful content that can help our colleagues in the field with their compliance and cultural efforts.

Slips, Trips, and Falls Prevention

This review covers the incidence and financial cost of slips, trips and falls among firefighters. Nobody chooses to slip and fall. Once notes are compiled, review them as part of the audit to identify the root cause of the problem and look for alternatives to having items on the floor.

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Reviewing each of these areas and the factors that could contribute to slips or falls will help with prioritizing a plan. A 2014 revealed the most frequent factors in slip, trip and fall incidents at their workplaces—and a whopping 95% of respondents cited one of three causes. There are quite a few OSHA standards that apply to slip, trip, and fall prevention.

4 Risk Factors that Influence Slips, Trips and Falls

A floor safety program that is developed, owned and managed by the company itself may be more effective because the company will be more driven to make it successful. Raise or lower needed materials with a rope before ascending or descending a ladder.

Slips, Trips, and Falls Prevention

Depending upon the kind of work being done, there could be additional hazard areas due to material on the floor dust, shavings, liquids , heat or temperature changes that could make a floor slippery, or grime brought in from outside equipment. See UW-Stevens Point Facility Snow Removal plan for details. Wet or slippery surfaces are a major cause of slips.

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Incident reports and workers compensation claims can also help identify previous trouble spots and their causes.

3 Big Causes of Slips, Trips and Falls

Keep in mind that more slips and falls happen during the winter months and on rainy days, so it is also a good idea to plan maintenance schedules around weather events to minimize hazards. The chances of fall accidents in stairways increases with inattention, illness, fatigue, and haste, so take care when ascending and descending stairways. There is a need to reduce occupational risk factors leading to slips, trips, and physical injury during firefighting operations given the serious consequences of falls in the fire service.

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