



Work Day: Start Safe, End Safe

Introduction: No one plans on coming to work and getting hurt. Let's start the day and end the day safely. Your mind must be clear of any other distractions in your life. On your drive in, safety should be on your mind, as well as when work begins and ends.

How Can My Day Be Completed in the Safest Manner?

- As I start my transition to work, did I walk around the vehicle to ensure everything appears to be in working order? What's my safest way to my destination?
- What equipment will I need today to complete my job? Is it in good working order?
- What type of Personal Protective Equipment will I need today to complete my job?
- Do I have the proper training on machines or equipment I will be working on?

Safety Matters:

- Are all of my tools and/or equipment in good working condition prior to performing my daily tasks?
- Was a job site walk-through conducted to identify and potential hazards before beginning the day?
- Were JSA's filled out to identify tasks at hand to avoid working out of scope?
- As my day progresses, am I continually looking at housekeeping to identify new hazards?
- Am I vigilant of my surroundings at all times and know what my co-workers are doing?
- At day's end, do I ensure my equipment is still in good condition and put away appropriately?
- Is the site safe and secure at end of work?
- Anticipate any unexpected changes for next day work to be proactive.
- Plan travel home with clear head. Leave work at work and plan the safest route home.

Conclusion:

Safety starts when you wake up. It must continually be practiced throughout the day and until you retire for the evening. Accidents are preventable with knowledge and planning. **Start safe and end safe.**

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