

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

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HURRICANES

Emergency Preparedness and Response: Hurricanes ([web page](#))

Keeping Workers Safe during Disaster Cleanup and Recovery Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3698): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3699): [PDF](#)

Disaster Cleanup and Recovery PPE Matrix

- English (FS-3898): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3899): [PDF](#)

Hand Hygiene and Glove Use in Hurricane-Affected Areas

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

FLOODS

Emergency Preparedness and Response: Floods ([web page](#))

Filling, Moving and Placing Sandbags QuickCard™

- English (3361): [PDF](#)

Flood Clean-up Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (no pub #): [PDF](#)

Cleanup Hazards Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [PDF](#)

Fungi Hazards and Flood Clean-up Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

GENERAL RESPONSE AND RECOVERY

Emergency Preparedness and Response ([web page](#))

Search and Rescue Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3269): [PDF](#)

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

Trenching and Excavation Service Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3426): [PDF](#)

Top Four Construction Hazards QuickCard™

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Occupational Safety and Health for Federal Workers Fact Sheet

- English: [PDF](#)

General Decontamination QuickCard™

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

General Decontamination Fact Sheet

- English: [PDF](#)
- English: [PDF](#)

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

PPE for Emergency Response and Recovery Workers ([web page](#))

Construction PPE QuickCard™

- English (3289): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Disaster Cleanup and Recovery PPE Matrix

- English (FS-3898): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3899): [PDF](#)

Protect Yourself Respirators QuickCard™

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [HTML](#)

Hand Hygiene and Glove Use in Hurricane-Affected Areas

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

HEAT

Heat Safety Campaign ([web page](#))

Heat Stress QuickCard™

- English (3154): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3417): [PDF](#)
- Vietnamese (3389): [PDF](#)

Heat Outreach Wallet Card

- English (3556): [PDF](#)

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

- Spanish (3565): [PDF](#)
- Portuguese (3663): [PDF](#)

Heat Hazards: Working Outdoors in Warm Climates Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Heat Illness: Protecting Workers from the Effects of Heat Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3743): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Heat Safety Illustrated, Low-Literacy Fact Sheet (Construction/Agriculture)

- English (FS-3422): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3423): [PDF](#)

Heat Illness Prevention Training Guide; a Lesson Plan for Employers

- English (3437): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3451): [PDF](#)

Heat Illness: OSHA/NIOSH Heat Illness Info Sheet: Protecting Workers from Heat Illness

- English (3438): [PDF](#)

Heat Illness: Health Effects of Heat Worksite, Training Poster

- English (3431): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3432): [PDF](#)

Heat Illness: Protecting Yourself in the Sun

- English (3166): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3168): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Heat Illness: Stopping for Water Keeps You Going, Community Poster

- English (3435): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3436): [PDF](#)

FALLS

Roof Tarping (Blue Roof) Safety Fact Sheet

- English (3926): [PDF](#)

Disaster Response: Protecting Workers from Slips, Trips and Falls QuickCard™

- English (3907): [PDF](#)

Fall Prevention: "Safety Pays. Falls Cost." Sticker

- English (0078): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (0068): [PDF](#)

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls During Residential Construction: Installing Standing Seam Metal Roofs Fact Sheet

- English (3502): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3578): [PDF](#)

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls During Residential Construction: Re-Roofing Fact Sheet

- English (3503): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3579): [PDF](#)

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls during Residential Construction: Erecting Exterior and Interior Walls Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3554): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3581): [PDF](#)

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls during Residential Construction: Floor Joist Installation and Decking Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3555): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3582): [PDF](#)

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls During Residential Construction: Installing Roof Trusses Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3477): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3574): [PDF](#)

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls During Residential Construction: Installing Tile Roofs Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3478): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3575): [PDF](#)

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls During Residential Construction: Roof Repair Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3479): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3576): [PDF](#)

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls During Residential Construction: Roof Sheathing Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3501): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3577): [PDF](#)

Fall Protection: Reducing Falls During Residential Construction: Working in Attics Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3553): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3580): [PDF](#)

OSHA's Final Rule to Update, Align, and Provide Greater Flexibility in its General Industry Walking-Working Surfaces and Fall Protection Standards Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3903): [PDF](#)

LADDER SAFETY

Portable Ladder Safety QuickCard™

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Ladder Safety: Reducing Falls in Construction: Safe Use of Extension Ladders Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3660): [PDF](#)

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Ladder Safety: Reducing Falls in Construction: Safe Use of Job-made Wooden Ladders Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3661): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Ladder Safety: Reducing Falls in Construction: Safe Use of Stepladders Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3662): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

ELECTRICAL

Electrical Safety QuickCard™

- English (3294): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#) (also in Spanish)

Electric Power: Electrical Protective Equipment Requirements Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3875): [PDF](#)

Electrical Hazards: Controlling Electrical Hazards Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3075): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Electrical Hazards: Downed Electrical Wires Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Electrical Safety Hazards of Overloading Cable Trays Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Working Safely with Electricity Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (no pub #): [PDF](#)

GENERATORS

Portable Generator Safety QuickCard™

- English (no pub #): [PDF](#)

Generator Safety: Grounding Requirements for Portable Generators Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Generator Safety: Using Portable Generators Safely Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

TREE TRIMMING, CHAIN SAWS, AND WOOD CHIPPERS

Tree Care Work Hazards - Hazard Bulletin

- English (HB-3731): [EPUB](#), [HTML](#), [MOBI](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (HB-3740): [EPUB](#), [HTML](#), [MOBI](#) & [PDF](#)

Tree Care Work: Electricity and Tree Care Work Pamphlet

- English (3861): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3861): [PDF](#)

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Tree Care Work: Know the Hazards Pamphlet

- English/Spanish (3572): [PDF](#)

Tree Trimming Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [PDF](#)

Chain Saws: Working Safely with Chain Saws Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (no pub #): [PDF](#)

Chain Saws Safety QuickCard™

- English (3269): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (no pub #): [PDF](#)

Chipper Machine Safety QuickCard™

- English/Spanish (3279): [PDF](#)
- English/Portuguese (3595): [PDF](#)

DEMOLITION AND DEBRIS REMOVAL

Demolition Safety QuickCard™

- English/Spanish (3290): [PDF](#)
- English/Portuguese (3597): [PDF](#)

Protecting Yourself While Removing Post-Disaster Debris from your Home or Business (Fact Sheet)*

- English: [PDF](#)
- Vietnamese: [PDF](#) & [PowerPoint Training](#)

Protecting Yourself While Removing Post-Disaster Debris from your Home or Business: NIEHS Awareness for Post-Disaster Property Debris Cleanup*

- English: [PDF](#)

RODENTS, SNAKES, INSECTS AND OTHER ANIMAL HAZARDS

Rescue of Animals (Dogs) QuickCard™

- English: [PDF](#)

Rodent, Snakes & Insects QuickCard™

- English: [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

OSHA/NIOSH Guidance: Protecting Workers from Occupational Exposure to Zika Virus ([web page](#))

Zika Virus Protection for Outdoor Workers QuickCard™

- English (3380): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3381): [PDF](#)

West Nile Virus Fact Sheet

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

MOLD

Mold Safety and Health Topics ([web page](#))

Mold QuickCard™

- English (3691): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (3692): [PDF](#)

Mold: Worker and Employer Guide to Hazards and Recommended Controls (EPA/HUD/NIH/OSHA)

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Mold Fact Sheet

- English: [PDF](#)

Mold Hazards during Disaster Cleanup

- English (FS-3713): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3901): [PDF](#)

Mold: Preventing Mold-Related Problems in the Indoor Workplace

- English (FS-3304): [PDF](#)

A Brief Guide to Mold in the Workplace

- English (SHIB 03-10-10): [HTML](#)

Fungi Hazards Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (no pub #): [PDF](#)

OTHER POLLUTANTS/CONTAMINANTS (INCLUDING CONTAMINATED FLOOD WATER)

Asbestos

Asbestos Safety and Health Topics ([web page](#))

Asbestos: Protecting Workers from Asbestos Hazards Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)

Asbestos: Protecting Workers from the Hazards of Asbestos-Containing Flooring Material Maintenance Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3693): [PDF](#)

Asbestos Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3507): [HTML](#) & [PDF](#)
- Spanish (FS-3737): [PDF](#)

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

Asbestos: Worker and Employer Guide to Hazards and Recommended Controls (EPA/HUD/NIH/OSHA)

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Silica

Crystalline Silica Safety and Health Topics ([web page](#))

Crystalline Silica Exposure - Health Hazard Information for Construction Employees Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3177): [HTML](#)

OSHA's Crystalline Silica Rule: Construction Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3681): [PDF](#)

Silica: Small Entity Compliance Guide for the Respirable Crystalline Silica Standard in Construction Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3902): [PDF](#)

Silica: Controlling Exposures in Construction While Doing Tuckpointing/Mortar Removal Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3632): [PDF](#)

Silica: Controlling Exposures in Construction While Operating Hand-Operated Grinders Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3628): [PDF](#)

Silica: Controlling Exposures in Construction While Operating Handheld Masonry Saws Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3627): [PDF](#)

Silica: Controlling Exposures in Construction While Operating Jackhammers Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3629): [PDF](#)

Silica: Controlling Exposures in Construction While Operating Rotary Hammers Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3630): [PDF](#)

Silica: Controlling Exposures in Construction While Operating Stationary Masonry Saws Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3631): [PDF](#)

Silica: Controlling Exposures in Construction While Operating Vehicle-Mounted Drilling Rigs Fact Sheet

- English (FS-3633): [PDF](#)

Silica: Controlling Silica Exposures in Construction Fact Sheet

- English (3362): [PDF](#)

Lead

Lead Safety and Health Topics ([web page](#))

Lead in Construction QuickCard™

- English (no pub #): [PDF](#)
- Spanish (no pub #): [PDF](#)

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

Lead in Construction Publication Booklet

- English (3142): [PDF](#)

Protecting Workers from Lead Hazards Fact Sheet

- English (no pub #): [PDF](#)

Lead: Worker and Employer Guide to Hazards and Recommended Controls (EPA/HUD/NIH/OSHA)

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Radon

Radon: Worker and Employer Guide to Hazards and Recommended Controls (EPA/HUD/NIH/OSHA)

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

OSHA ALLIANCE PROGRAM PARTICIPANT PRODUCTS

National Telecommunications Safety Panel Shoveling Fact Sheet*

- English: [PDF](#)

Alliance Sprains and Strains Prevention Toolbox Safety Talk*

- English: [PDF](#)

Alliance Strains, Sprains and Material Handling Safety Tips for Employers*

- English: [PDF](#)

National Association of Homebuilders Safety Card: Trenching Hazards in Home Building*

- English/Spanish: [PDF](#)

National Association of Homebuilders Safety Card: Power Nailer Hazards in Home Building*

- English/Spanish: [PDF](#)

National Association of Homebuilders Safety Card: Roofing Operations*

- English/Spanish: [PDF](#)

Alliance Toolbox Talk: Power Tools; Safety Measures to Ensure Proper Use and Avoid Serious Injuries*

- English: [PDF](#)

Alliance Toolbox Talk: Portable Generator Safety*

- English: [PDF](#)

Alliance: Safety Tips Sheet No. 3: Safe Lifting Practices*

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Alliance Toolbox Talks: Ladder Safety - Choosing the Right Ladder*

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

Inspect Ladders Carefully*

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Do's and Don'ts of Using a Ladder*

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Set Up and Use of a Ladder*

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Extension Ladder Safety*

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Using a Stepladder Safely*

- English: [PDF](#)
- Spanish: [PDF](#)

Altec Chipper Safety Pamphlet*

- English/Spanish: [PDF](#)

PSYCHOLOGICAL RESILIENCE DURING AN EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) Disaster Distress Helpline ([web page](#))*

- Phone: 1-800-985-5990
- Text message: text "TalkWithUs" to 66746

Tips for Supervisors of Disaster Responders: Helping Staff Manage Stress When Returning to Work (SAMHSA)*

- English: PDF

A Guide to Managing Stress in Crisis Response Professions (SAMHSA)*

- English: [PDF](#)

Disaster Responders-SAMHSA Disaster Behavioral Health Information Series Installment ([web page](#)) *

Psychological First Aid for First Responders (SAMHSA)*

- English: [PDF](#)

Tips for Disaster Responders: Understanding Compassion Fatigue (SAMHSA)*

- English: [PDF](#)

A Post-Deployment Guide for Supervisors of Deployed Personnel (SAMHSA)*

Worker Safety and Health Resources for Hurricane and Flood Cleanup and Recovery

- English: [PDF](#)

Introduction to Disaster Behavioral Health Webinar (SAMHSA)*

- English: [PDF](#)

Health, Safety, and Resilience for Disaster Responders (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, CDC)*

- English: [PDF](#)

Surviving Field Stress for First Responders (CDC) ([web page](#))*

Traumatic Incident Stress: Information for Response Workers (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)*

- English: [PDF](#)

Psychological First Aid Manual (U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs)*

- English: [PDF](#)

SAMHSA's Efforts for Disaster Preparedness, Response, and Recovery ([web page](#))*

U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs' Disaster Mental Health Treatment ([web page](#))*

Coping with a Disaster or Traumatic Event (CDC) ([web page](#))*