

FIND & FIX HAZARDS: USING FALL PROTECTION

The International Safety Equipment Association is a proud Partner of the national Safe + Sound Campaign. The Safe + Sound Campaign encourages every workplace in the U.S. to have a safety and health program, a proactive approach to identifying and managing workplace hazards before they cause injury or illness.

Falls are among the most common causes of serious work-related injuries and deaths. Employers must set up the workplace to prevent employees from falling off of overhead platforms, elevated work stations, or into holes in the floor and walls. In 2016, there were **229,240 estimated nonfatal injuries from falls, slips, or trips that resulted in days away from work** (U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics). Use the information below to make sure that your fall protection program is protecting your workers.

CORE ELEMENTS OF SAFETY AND HEALTH PROGRAMS

1. Management Leadership



2. Worker Participation



3. Finding & Fixing Hazards



RESOURCES ON FALL PROTECTION

- [ISEA Personal Fall Protection Equipment Use and Selection Guide](#). The ISEA Fall Protection Group of the International Safety Equipment Association has prepared this use and selection guide to provide practical, hands-on guidance for fall protection users and administrators in their selection, use, maintenance, and inspection of fall protection equipment.
- [ISEA Components of a Personal Fall Arrest System infographic: \(English\)](#)
- [OSHA General Industry Fall Protection Topics Page](#)
- [OSHA Construction Industry Fall Protection Topics Page](#)
- [OSHA Fall Prevention Campaign](#)
- [National Safety Council's Safety at Heights Resources](#)
- [National Safety Council's Fall Protection Toolbox Talk](#)