



Identifying and correcting hazards before someone gets hurt ensures workers go home to their families safe and sound after every shift. The information below can be used as a starting point for finding and fixing hazards in your company.

Top OSHA Citations Marine Construction

- Employee Protection from Cave-ins [1926.652(a)(1)]
- Fall Protection [1926.501(b)(1) and 1926.453(b)(2)(v)]
- Duty to Train Workers of Unsafe Conditions [1926.21(b)(2)]
- Supply/Use of Life Vests and other Life Saving Equipment [126.605(d)(3), 1926.106(a) and (c)]
- Hazard Communication Programs & Training Workers on Hazardous Chemicals [1910.1200(e)(1) and (h)(1)]
- Head Protection [1926.100(a)]
- Protection from Materials, and Other Objects Falling [1926.651(j)(2)]
- Inspection of Cranes & Derricks [1926.1412(f)(1)]
- Safe Access of Marine Vessels [1926.605(b)(2)]

Source: OSHA Information System (OIS), 2011-2017, NAICS 237990.

Top Injury Sources Marine Construction

- Overexertion
- Slips, Trips, and Falls
- Contact with Objects or Equipment
- Transportation Incidents
- Exposure to Harmful Substances or Environments
- Workplace Violence
- Repetitive Motion

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2011-2015, Data, NAICS 237990.

Resources on Controlling Hazards

Here are some resources for fixing hazards:

- [Safety Resources](#). Signal Safety Center webpage. Provides access to safety resources, including newsletters, and information on upcoming events.
- [Construction Industry Page](#). OSHA webpage. Provides workers and employers useful, up-to-date information on the construction industry.
- [Cranes & Derricks](#). OSHA webpage. Highlights requirements in place for the safe use and maintenance of cranes and derricks used in construction. This page also highlights letters of interpretation and other compliance assistance products.
- [Training and Outreach](#). OSHA webpage. Provides links to several construction resources for safety and health training.
- [Trenching and Excavation](#). OSHA webpage. Highlights guidance developed and events held dealing with trench safety.
- [Hazard Communication](#). OSHA Fact Sheet. Outlines the hazard communication requirements as they apply to the maritime industry.
- [Fall Prevention](#). OSHA Fall Campaign website. Provides educational materials and resources, as well as training aids.
- [Deck Barge Safety](#). OSHA guidance document. Provides guidance on preventing injuries and illnesses from workplace hazards on deck barges.
- [Spud Barge Safety](#). OSHA Fact Sheet. Provides an incident summary and guidelines on preventing the accidental deployment of spuds.