

HEALTH & SAFETY CHECKLIST FOR CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS IN YOUR WORKPLACE

This checklist may be used as a guide to review potential hazards that may arise from direct or indirect exposure to a construction project. If you have indicated a potential hazard may exist it is recommended a hazard assessment (or job hazard analysis) be performed to determine level of risk and measures required to eliminate or reduce harm to workers or the public.

Potential Hazards	Yes	No	N/A	Comments/Actions
Are there blocked access or egress routes?				
Are barriers or workplace delineators between construction work and non-construction work adequate?				
Has good housekeeping been addressed? Poorly placed/stored materials and equipment present a tripping hazard.				
Has communication of the construction activities been communicated? Are Relevant sites/staff aware of the construction work taking place and any changes that may result or be required as a result of work activities.				
Have emergency protocols/procedures been reviewed with all workers, including project workers? Any changes to emergency routes must be communicated.				

<p>Construction activities may include exposures that could cross over to the public or workers. Has adequate protection been taken to address the following exposures?:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Noise • Chemicals • Hazardous Atmosphere (e.g. Carbon monoxide) • Dust • Odours (e.g. tarring roof) • Designated substances (e.g. Asbestos) • Explosive gases • Moving equipment • Electrical 				
<p>Have administration procedures been reviewed such as reporting hazards, injuries, notice of critical injury, emergency contacts, etc.?</p>				
<p>Do construction projects with renovations or repairs that involve structural support including build or tear down have adequate measures in place to protect workers/public?</p>				
<p>Do closed up work areas (rooms, basements, etc) have adequate ventilation when running heating equipment such as salamanders? Open flames or propane powered equipment produce carbon monoxide which displaces oxygen.</p>				
<p>Has personal protective equipment been identified and available/used?</p>				
<p>Are non-routine tasks been assessed for risks and control measures?</p>				
<p>Are electrical hazards been identified and lockout tag out procedures followed?</p>				
<p>Are there debris or uneven walking surfaces that could cause slips, trips or falls?</p>				
<p>Are there excavated materials or other objects that could fall on workers?</p>				
<p>Are vehicles and other mobile equipment used on the worksite?</p>				