



Eye Protection

In construction, more than 10,600 eye injuries each year force workers to miss work. Construction has a much higher rate of eye injuries than any other industry.


There are a lot of different ways that a person can injure their eyes on a construction site. Nails, metal shavings, splinters can be flying in the air. Mixing of cement, sawing, grinding, and chipping produce dusts and grit. So does heavy machinery moving across a site. Chemicals and arc flash can also burn your eyes.

With so many ways to injure your eyes we are fortunate that we have several ways to protect them.


When we evaluate the hazards in our work area we must consider the hazards that can harm our eyes. And select a proper way to protect them

- Points To Remember:**
- Every task requires your eyes
 - It's up to you to protect them
 - Eye protection rated ANSI Z87 is the minimum requirement for eye protection.
 - Eye wash should be available at concrete pours.


Safety Glasses:
Many projects require everyone to wear Safety Glasses rated ANSI Z87




Goggles:
Goggles are used when there is a possibility of having a substance splashed in the eyes or airborne particles.



Face Shields:
Face Shields are used to protect the face and eyes from flying objects but may require additional protection against high impact objects for the eyes, Such as; Goggles or Safety Glasses.



Cutting / Welding:
When cutting with a torch you should use Shade 5 or greater eye protection and when welding, a welding helmet with an appropriate lens should be worn.



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