Fall Protection





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A fall protection system is needed where there is a potential for injury due to falling while working at elevated height. Consult with EHS prior to procurement of any items for a fall protection system. Proper training and inspection of equipment is required to use of any fall protection system. Consult EHS for additional information.

PPE	Specific Type	Characteristics	Applications
Full Body Harness		Provides protection from injury while falling from heights	Working at heights (>4 feet) and confined space retrieval
Locking Carabiner		Connect components of a fall protection system	Working at heights (>4 feet) and confined space retrieval
Shock Absorbing Lanyard		Provides connection from harness to anchor point with ability to lessen fall force factor, working length of 6 feet	Working at heights for fall arrest situations
Self-Retracting Lifeline w/ Swivel		Provides connection from harness to anchor, shorter activation distance reduces fall force factor	Working at heights movement for fall arrest situations where greater work movement flexibility is needed
Anchor		Primary point of attachment for a fall protection system	Working at heights (>4 feet) and confined space retrieval