

Safety Message of the Day for IMEA Members



Slips, Trips, and Falls Safety Message

According to the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). In 2020, the total incidence rate of slips, trips, and falls in utility industry was 21 per 100,000 full-time workers. In this category, falls on the same level were the most prevalent (9.7 incidence rate) followed by falls to a lower level (6.0 incidence rate).

OSHA offers several tips to help workers avoid slips, trips, and falls. They include planning ahead to get the job done safely, providing workers with the correct equipment—including personal protective equipment (PPE)—and training everyone appropriately.