



## Safety Message of the Day for IMEA Members



### INSULATED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (IPPE)

#### Verify Testing Dates

- Confirm that rubber insulating gloves and sleeves are within required test intervals before use.
  - Rubber insulating gloves: Test every 6 months
  - Rubber insulating sleeves: Test every 12 months (*6 months is most common*)
- Check for legible test stamps and certification markings.
- Remove any PPE from service that is past due, unmarked, or questionable.

**OSHA Reference: 29 CFR 1910.137(b)(2)(xii); 1910.269(l)(2)**