

AVOIDING SLIPS, TRIPS, & FALLS

WATCH OUT!

- Pay attention to where you are walking.
- Don't text or watch videos while walking.
- Slow Down





WHY?

- Costs employers 70 billion dollars annually
- 25,000 people suffer a slip, trip, or fall injury every day.
- These injuries make up 20% of all workplace injuries.



CLEAN & CLEAR

- Clean up spills and debris immediately
- Mark areas that are wet or uneven
- Report flooring that is damaged

GOOD START

- Wear appropriate shoes -Save your sandals for the beach
- Plan your route to avoid known hazards
- Give yourself extra time to avoid rushing

STEP UP

- When needed use a ladder or stepstools to reach things off upper shelves
- Never stand on desks, tables, or chairs
- Ask for help



- Use a flashlight if walking at night or in low light areas
- Report all lights, inside and outside of buildings, that are not working



WATCH OUT FOR YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS

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