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EYE AND FACE PROTECTION SAFETY

Be alert to the common causes of eye injury:

- Flying and falling objects
- Hazardous liquid splashes
- Swinging objects
- Glare
- Heat
- Radiation.

Select the proper eye protection for the job hazard:

- Goggles with no side perforations for toxic vapors or liquid splashes
- Goggles with no side perforations and tinted lenses for welding, acetylene cutting, and other high heat jobs
- Full face shields for liquid, gas, or spray exposure or the possibility of getting hit by light objects.

Check that the eye protectors you select:

- Protect against the hazard you face
- Are reasonably comfortable
- Fit snugly, but allow you to do your job
- Are in good condition
- Provide safety and correct your vision problems if you wear prescription glasses.

On the job, help prevent eye injuries:

- Check the MSDS for eye hazards and protection recommendations when working with a chemical.
- Don't open a container just to see what's inside.
- Keep shields around all expected flying objects.
- Try to contain as many processes as possible to avoid the chance of accidents.
- Look out for the other guy.

When you remove your eye protectors:

- Check the condition of lenses and straps
- Clean them
- Disinfect them if they've been exposed to hazardous chemicals.