

Walking & Working Surfaces: General Requirements

Instructions: This checklist is intended to help you identify potential hazards in your workplace. The questions are based on applicable Federal OSHA standards. Keep in mind that additional state and local regulations may apply, depending upon your location. Please check one answer for each question. If you select “no,” you should investigate further to determine what corrective action may be needed to address the hazard. You can review the specific OSHA Standards outlined below at www.osha.gov/law-regs.html. Choose “General Industry” or “Construction.”

	Questions	OSHA Regulation	Yes	No	N/A
	Walking & Working Surfaces				
1)	Are floors kept clean and dry?	1910.22(a)(2)			
2)	Are aisles and passageways kept clear and in good repairs, with no obstructions that could create a hazard?	1910.22(b)(1)			
3)	Are covers or guardrails provided to prevent persons from falling?	1910.22(c)			
4)	Are load limit weights posted in the storage areas?	1910.22(d)(1)			
5)	Are the loads approved by the building official marked on plates of approved design and securely affixed in a conspicuous place?	1910.22(d)(1)			
6)	Are permanent aisles and passageways appropriately marked?	1910.22(b)(2)			

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