

SLIPS TRIPS & FALLS



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CEMEX EMEA Campaign to Prevent “Slips Trips & Falls” 2022



Dear Managers,

From July to November we will launch an interactive 'Slips, Trips & Falls' prevention campaign.

As you can see on the pictures, the principle will be to focus actions on the four following topics that represent the major STF risks :

- **July/August: Stairs and Floors**
- **September: Outside Housekeeping**
- **October: Inside Housekeeping**
- **November: Lighting**

Involvement of the teams will be requested using 'risk hunting activities'.

In parallel, during that period, posters will be provided to alert employees to the importance of good behaviour to avoid this risk.

While you will improve your site, it will be the right moment to standardize the look of sites (Best practices will be provided).

The next pages describe the four focus activities. We are requesting you to anticipate & be ready by early July.

Thanks for you collaboration



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Focus on.... Lighting Quality



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Remember: Poor lighting presents a H&S risk

- ❑ If lighting isn't up to standard there is a real risk of slips, trips and falls
- ❑ It also could impact the ability for teams to complete their work safely and to a high standard
- ❑ Poor lighting can make team members feel vulnerable and unsafe



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This month, we are asking teams to:

- ❑ In November early morning or late afternoon, when it is dark:
 - ❑ Check the range, intensity and quality of lighting in all areas. If necessary, add lighting
 - ❑ Verify the access, exit & the different parking lots of the site
 - ❑ Pay particular attention to pedestrian routes and safety signage
 - ❑ Verify workshops, where using equipment and better / task lighting may be required
 - ❑ Don't forget the internal lighting – offices, workshops, storage etc
 - ❑ Include in your safety register the task of checking site lighting at least quarterly

- ❑ Also ask your team to check the lights of their mobile equipment and vehicles – whether it is a truck, plant vehicle, company car or personal car
- ❑ Don't forget about the environment – try to select the best low energy technology lighting system possible



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- ❑ When the audit of on-site lighting is complete, discuss the results with your team and explore improvement opportunities such as:
 - ❑ Are lights on sensors / timers where required?
 - ❑ Are lights, reflectors and diffusers clean?
 - ❑ Are all the bulbs working?
 - ❑ Are we checking emergency light systems?
 - ❑ Are head torches / torches available where required?
 - ❑ Are lights energy efficient? Do we use pir sensors as required to ensure they don't stay on unnecessarily?

- ❑ Finally:
 - ❑ In case of doubts or difficulties, please speak to your H&S Specialist and consider a light measurement survey.



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ARE YOUR VEHICLES AND SITE EQUIPMENT SAFE TO USE?

It's not just building lighting that is important – all mobile equipment and vehicles should be checked to make sure they have lights that are working correctly.

Don't forget trucks, plant vehicles and the cars used by your staff as they travel to and from site – whether they are company or personal cars!

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CAN YOUR TEAM SEE WHAT THEY ARE DOING? CAN THEY WORK SAFELY?

The lighting on your site should be checked at least quarterly, to ensure it is all working correctly and conditions are safe for workers.

Check the range, intensity and quality of lighting in all areas. Don't forget workshops, storage and mixer areas. If necessary, add more lighting.

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DO YOUR PEDESTRIAN AREAS KEEP PEOPLE SAFE?

It's important that pedestrians moving around your site can see where they are going and don't feel vulnerable. Slips, trips and falls are a real risk if lighting is poor.

Check lighting regularly in car parks and walkways – is it bright and clean with good range?

Are you using energy efficient lighting solutions?

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the higher
standards we
set, the more
we achieve!

