

Facility Safety

## The Cost of Slips, Trips, and Falls

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Slips, Trips, and Falls are a major cause of workplace injuries. Unsafe conditions and behaviors, along with a lack of safety awareness, can lead to these types of accidents.

- Costs of employee slip and fall accidents are approximately **\$70 Billion per year\***
- 30% of same-level falls result in more than **21 workdays lost+**
- Slip-and-falls are the **leading cause of death** in the workplace and cause 20% of all disabling workplace injuries\*

### Why Should Businesses Care?

Addressing slips, trips, and fall effectively will lead to:

- Increased efficiency and productivity
- Reduction in workman compensation claims
- Ergonomics – easier to use for long periods of time
- Reduction in liability
- Reduction in lost work days

*\*National Safety Council (NSC)*

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