

Workplace Safety

Don't risk falling into fines...get the signs


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Don't Risk Slipping Into Fines **GET THE SIGNS!**

Work Related Falls Account For
\$34 Billion/Year
in Medical Costs (CDC)

\$
\$40,000
per incident


25,000
falls occur daily
in the USA


20%
of all job related
injuries every year


5%
of all accidental
deaths (OSHA)

Common Causes of Slips & Trips

- ▶ Loose rugs or wrinkled carpeting
- ▶ Clutter on floors or stairs
- ▶ Unseen obstructions such as open cabinet drawers
- ▶ Loose cables, cords, or exposed wires
- ▶ Inappropriate footwear for the workplace
- ▶ Slippery surfaces (metal, tile, stone, concrete)
- ▶ Slippery conditions (ice, snow, oil, paint, water, powders)
- ▶ Unexpected steps or unseen platforms

Top 5 Ways to Reduce the Risk of Slips & Trips

1 
Slow down and
be aware of your
surroundings

2 
Keep areas free
from clutter or
obstructions

3 
Wear appropriate
footwear and PPE
in the workplace

4 
Keep flooring free
from cracks and in
good condition

5 
Keep objects
being carried
below eye level

For more information on slip, trip and fall prevention products, please visit NMC's landing page on [MSCDirect.com](https://www.mscdirect.com/betterMRO).