

Work Safety- Notes

<p>What does WCB stand for, and what do they do?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yukon Workers Compensation Board <sup>Health + Safety</sup></li> <li>• Paid for by employers. (more dangerous the job, the more they pay)</li> <li>• like insurance - investigate employers</li> </ul>
<p>How does it work if someone gets hurt at work?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• WCB pays - wages</li> <li>• Document - medical cost</li> <li>• No fault system</li> <li>• may inspect workplace for further dangers, fine</li> </ul>
<p>What are the 7 most common injuries for workers?</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Back injuries</li> <li>2. Burns</li> <li>3. cuts</li> <li>4. Driving</li> <li>5. Foot stiers</li> <li>6. Machines</li> <li>7. Falls</li> </ol>
<p>What does PPE stand for, and what are 5 examples?</p>	<p>PPE: Personal <del>Protective</del> Protective Equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gloves</li> <li>• High viz. vest.</li> <li>1. Hard hat</li> <li>2. Safety glasses</li> <li>3. tie back hair / hair net</li> <li>4. Hearing Protection</li> <li>5. closed / steel toed shoes.</li> </ul>
<p>Rights of Employee</p>	<p>(Ask questions / receive training)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Right to know - hazards</li> <li>- Right to know - how to do job</li> <li>- Right to participate</li> <li>* - Right to refuse unsafe work!</li> </ul>

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Responsibilities of Employee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Be safe</li><li>• Follow the Rules</li><li>• Wear PPE</li></ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• correct hazards / tell</li><li>• speak out</li><li>• no horseplay</li></ul> <p>. no substance use</p>
Rights of Employer	
Responsibilities of Employer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tell you about hazards</li><li>• Provide training</li><li>• Answer questions</li></ul> <p>- make employees wear PPE</p>
Some reasons why someone might NOT be covered by WCB if they got hurt at work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Horseplay / fighting / practical Jokes.</li><li>- Reported after a year.</li></ul> <p>(unless an unwilling participant)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Drive to or from work (unless you are on property / company business)</li><li>- Impaired by substance abuse</li></ul>
What should you do if you see an unsafe situation at work?	<p>Fix + report problem</p> <p>Warn others</p>
Other important info	<p>No legal minimum working age.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• mine → 16 yrs old.</li><li>• explosives → 18 yrs old.</li></ul>