## WORKPLACE INJURIES

## Report all workplace injuries immediately.

Tell your Supervisor, your Union Health & Safety Rep and your Union Steward. This applies to all workplace injuries and incidents. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Cuts, Scrapes, and Punctures
- Trips, Slips, and Falls
- Pain, Tremors, Weakness in arms, hands or other soft tissues from task-related overuse, repetition and strain.
- Sprains and Broken Bones
- Getting debris or product in your eyes
- Inhaling any debris or toxic substance
- Skin contact with any toxic or poisonous substance
- Getting clothing, hair, body caught in any machinery
- Tell your Doctor if you believe that pain, swelling, weakness or any other injury you experience is work related.

  See the Union's flyer on What Your Doctor Needs to Know.
- If you suffer a work-related injury that results in lost time and wages, or that is ongoing, you should ensure that a claim is filed with the Workplace Safety & Insurance Board (WSIB).

See the Union's WSIB Claims & Appeals flyer.

- Your employer has a Duty to Accommodate injured workers upon your return to work.
  - Read the Union's flyer on Work Reintegration and Duty to Accommodate.
- You have the Right to Refuse Unsafe Work. If you believe that a job task you're required to perform will endanger you or a co-worker, you can refuse to do the task. You MUST follow the proper procedure to Refuse Unsafe Work.

See the Union's Right to Refuse Unsafe Work flyer.

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for more resources and information.

Contact your Union Steward or Union Rep if you have any questions or concerns.





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