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HEALTH SAFETY ENVIRONMENTAL



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Dropped Objects

We've recently had incidents involving dropped objects. No one was injured, but remember that when working at heights, dropped tools and materials can pose a significant safety hazard to people, property and the environment.

Some key points to remember:

- ✓ Identify potential hazards of dropped objects of working at heights on the JSEA.
- ✓ Always utilize and fill out the "Dropped Objects Checklist" to assist with identifying potential hazards when working at heights.
- ✓ Always use the proper procedure to barricade and label areas for all drop zones to prevent unaware employees from entering the area below operations on the upper level.
- ✓ Workers should maintain proper housekeeping of materials and tools before, during and after tasks has been completed.
- ✓ It is the responsibility of every employee to ensure that proper communication has been established between all of the different work groups that are performing (SIMOPS) Simultaneous Operations.
- ✓ All pre-job planning and procedural control of tasks should address the position of personnel and the potential dangers.



Report all incidents immediately to the GIS Hotline 1-855-543-5163.

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