



Safety Net(work)

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Safety Spotlight:

National CPR & AED Awareness Week

Five Minutes for Safety:

Heat Safety Tips

Quote of the Month:

Success is no accident. It is hard work, perseverance, learning, studying, sacrifice and most of all, love of what you are doing or learning to do.

-Pele

Workers Comp

Claims	Claims
<u>FY20 YTD</u>	<u>FY21 YTD</u>
2,210	1,779
Lost Time	Lost Time
<u>FY20 YTD</u>	<u>FY21 YTD</u>
482	438

National Safety Month 2021

an **nsc** program

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Observed annually in June, National Safety Month focuses on reducing leading causes of injury and death at work, on the roads and in our homes and communities.



[\(Hyperlink to access free downloadable resources\)](#)

Download and share these materials provided by the National Safety Council (control click on image above to access downloadable resources) to help keep each other safe this June and beyond, from the workplace to anyplace. Areas of focus:

- Week 1 – Prevent Incidents Before They Start
- Week 2 – Addressing Ongoing COVID-19 Safety Concerns
- Week 3 – It’s Vital to Feel Safe on the Job
- Week 4 – Advance Your Safety Journey

The Department of Administration – Bureau of State Risk Management secures annual statewide membership through the Wisconsin Safety Council. Memberships include exclusive National Safety Council (NSC) Safety Month materials such as: 5-minute safety talks, videos, posters, checklists, and quizzes. Please contact Jake.Lowell@Wisconsin.gov from the Bureau of State Risk Management – Safety & Loss Control for assistance accessing exclusive materials.

“New Normal” Safety Reminders

Consumer Safety

United States Consumer
Product Safety Commission

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In the recent and coming days and weeks, communications are likely being shared regarding state agencies workplace plans for transitioning to the “New Normal.” While taking into consideration all the “New Normal” guidance, employees may become more active and it’s very important not to lose focus on preventing some of the more common historical injury trends for state employees, specifically the top two: slips, trips & falls and safe lifting.

Over the last several years, BSRM targeted campaigns highlighting slips, trips & falls and safe lifting. Both campaign materials were consolidated into prevention manuals from the individual educational flyers and posters created. While state agencies and employees work through navigating the “New Normal”, whether remote working, onsite or combination of, it would be a perfect time to refresh on some practical preventative measures to reduce these areas of exposure:

[Slip, Trip & Fall Prevention Manual](#)

Includes:

- Tread Safely This Winter – Winter Slip & Fall Prevention
- C.L.I.M.B. Safely – Ladder Slip & Fall Prevention
- Get a Grip – Stairs Slip, Trip & Fall Prevention
- Who Looks at the Bottom of Shoes? – Footwear Slip & Fall Prevention
- See Your Path – Trip & Fall Prevention
- Supplement: Slip, Trip & Fall Hazard Assessment Checklist

[Safe Lifting Injury Prevention Manual](#)

Includes:

- Stretch – Improve Flexibility and Reduce Tightness
- Protect Your Backs – Proper Lifting Techniques
- Moment – Power Zone Lifting
- Proper Transfer Techniques – Guidelines for Nursing
- Shovel – Prevent Snow Shoveling Injuries
- Supplement: Ergonomics Process Checklist

Additional safety resources may also be referenced on the [Bureau of State Risk Management Loss Control](#) webpage.

