HURRY CAN HURT

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- When it comes to safety, being in a hurry can hurt!

1 wear safety glasses



Even when the job will only take a couple minutes, safety glasses are a must wear item. Just remember, your eyes are non replaceable.

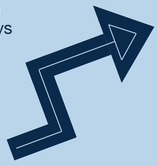
2 use the right ladder



Each ladder was built for different jobs, thus use the proper ladder even it's far away.

3 ALWAYS use proper lock out procedures

Even if no one is around, and you think the problem is easy and quick to fix, do the right thing and always practice proper lock out and tag out procedures.



4 skip the short cut

Don't skip between machinery and stock piles of materials. Isles and pathways were created for YOUR safety

5 always use a ladder



Not only should you use the right ladder, but use a ladder! Don't climb up the side of a bin instead of getting a ladder.

6 use the proper tools for each project

For example, wrenches are designed for wrenching. Hammers are designed for hammering. Don't use a wrench to hammer!



7 wear your tool belt

Always remember your tool belt instead of climbing a ladder with a pocket full of tools that are unsecured and can fall and hurt someone else.

8 use plug adapters

For example, don't cut the grounding prong of a three-way ground wire plug because there wasn't an adapter.

9 keep safety guards on machines



If you need to take the safety guard off for a special run or to repair the machine, remember to put the safety guard back on!

10 don't reach over while on a ladder

Place your ladder in the appropriate spot before climbing, so that you don't have to reach over to grab what you need.

11 unplug power tools



ALWAYS un plug your power tools! Even if you only have to make a small adjustment and don't want to un-plug it just to plug it back in.

12 use sharp cutting tools



Be sure that all cutting tools are sharp, even if you need to replace a blade for just one more cut.

13 stay cautious around blind corners



Just because no one has ever been around that corner before, don't mean that someone can't be, stay cautious around those blind corners!

14 bend nails sticking out of loose boards

Immediately bend any nails sticking out of loose boards that you lay down.

