

MAINTAINING YOUR SAFETY

Discussion Questions

1. Have you ever given in to pressure to get a job done fast by co-workers or a supervisor? If so, what could have been the consequences had something gone wrong?
2. What are some job tasks at this facility that could result in injury or property damage if a hazard assessment isn't conducted before work begins?
3. The program states that following lockout/tagout procedures is the "heart and soul" of safe maintenance operations. What do you feel this means?
4. What are some of the excuses you or a co-worker have given for not using ladders and elevated work platforms safely or not wearing appropriate fall protection? What could have been the result of these unsafe acts?
5. Have you ever used the incorrect tool for a job just because you didn't have the proper one for the job? What injuries could you have received from this improper use?
6. What are some other hazards maintenance workers must consider at this facility that weren't mentioned in the program? What precautions must be taken to ensure these hazards don't result in some type of mishap?