

# SAFETY FIRST:

## Stay Ahead of the Curve with Job Safety Analyses

Job Safety Analyses, or JSAs, are a systematic analysis of each task an employee performs. See if you can spot all of the potential hazards on the warehouse floor.

**Moving Machinery:** Many machines have moving parts that can be dangerous if safety precautions are not set in place.

**Falling objects:** Elevated boxes can injure the unsuspecting if stored improperly.

**Loading Docks:** Areas with vehicles and foot traffic pose higher risks for injury and should be monitored closely.

**Forklift Hazards:** When operated incorrectly, forklifts can cause serious damage to operators, nearby workers, and property, calling for immediate assessment of procedures.

**Hazardous Spills:** Liquid spills can sometimes go undetected. JSAs can help point out the hidden hazards before they spread.

## 5 STEPS TO CONDUCT JSA

- 1 Determine Job Tasks:** Select individual tasks to be analyzed prior to beginning the JSA.
- 2 Identify Hazards:** Consider hazards produced by the environment and conditions connected to the task deemed problematic.
- 3 Assess Risks:** Determine risks by comparing frequency and probability of potential hazards.
- 4 Control Measures:** Decide what actions are necessary to minimize the identified hazards.
- 5 Communicate with the team:** Involve employees affected by potential changes and continue to search for feedback.

## 5 BENEFITS OF A JSA

- 1 Prevent injuries before they occur**
- 2 Meet safety standards**
- 3 Improve communication**
- 4 Increase productivity**
- 5 Train more efficiently**

Learn how Fit For Work can assist your organization implement a Job Safety Analysis and stay ahead of the curve by preventing injuries before they occur.

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