



Maine Chapter

Company _____ Job Name _____ Date _____

Weekly Tool Box Talk: **SAFETY GOGGLES**

OSHA requires all workers to wear wrap-around safety goggles when you're engaged in work activities such as sawing, chipping, welding, brazing, chopping, jackhammering, or performing any job that causes little chips of wood, or metal, or aluminum, or PVC, or cast iron, or rock, or glass to fly right into your eyeball and take away your vision forever.

In 50% of the cases when a construction worker suffers an eye injury, it is on the side of the eye, closest to the temple. If you don't have wrap-around safety goggles, that shard of metal, or glass, or PVC, comes right into your eye and damages that optic nerve.

Wrap-around safety goggles should be worn at all times, particularly when doing the following tasks:

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| Using an Air Hose | Sawing (hand) |
| Operating a track hoe | Grading |
| Brazing | Skil-saws |
| Overhead work | Grinding |
| Chipping | Sledge hammering |
| Powder-actuated tools | Hammering |
| Chiseling | Soldering |
| Pouring concrete | Handling chemicals |
| Clearing undergrowth | Spraying |
| Power saws | Hoe-ramming |
| Dry-wall sanding | Welding |
| Painting | Jack hammering |
| Emptying dumpsters | Torching |

Wrap-around safety goggles are worn by the best-of-the-best, professional construction workers who value their health, and their precious sight.

Safety Recommendations: _____

Job Specific Topics: _____

M.S.D.S. Reviewed: _____

Attended By: _____

