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Presentation:

The Physics and Body Mechanics of Slips, Trips and Falls

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The Resources page includes information on resource material presented.

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Are Slip, Trip and Fall (STFs) Injuries Really An Issue?

Number One Non-Fatal Preventable Injury

What Do We Really Know About STFs?

Two Incident Categories for STFs - Same Level & From Elevation

Physics 101 - What goes up must come down

Gravity, Mass, and g-Force

Walking Is Controlled Falling

Action Items:

Texas Association of Counties Risk Management Pool (TAC RMP)

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TAC Risk Control Services

Web: <https://www.county.org/Risk-Management/Risk-Control>

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Fall Prevention Training Guide

Web: <https://www.osha.gov/Publications/OSHA3666.pdf>

Falling Off of Ladders Can Kill Publication

Web: <https://www.osha.gov/Publications/OSHA3625.pdf>

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The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH)

Falls In The Workplace Resource Page

Web: <https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/falls/default.html>

NIOSH Ladder Safety App

Web: <https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/falls/mobileapp.html>

Texas Department of Insurance

Preventing Fatal Falls in the Workplace Resource Page

Web: <https://www.tdi.texas.gov/wc/safety/prvntfatlfalls.html>

State of Texas; State Office of Risk Management

Slips, Trips, and Falls in the Office Video

Web: <https://www.sorm.state.tx.us/office-safety/slipstripsfalls>

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