

PROTECT YOURSELF FROM THE **5** PREVENTABLE TOP INJURIES

>> Wear Appropriate Shoes

Slip & Fall

Wear appropriate slip-resistant shoes. Periodically check the condition of the soles and replace them as they wear down. Be cautious of uneven surfaces, poor lighting and obstructions.



>> Examine/Educate

Motor Vehicle Accidents

Examine the cause factors that may have led to previous motor vehicle collisions and educate yourself accordingly on appropriate prevention tips. Perform a root cause analysis with a focus on driver qualifications and training.



>> Stretch and Warm Up

Lifting

Remember to stretch and warm up before lifting. Limber muscles are less likely to pull or tear. Practice proper lifting techniques. Always try to get help and use mechanical aids when available.



>> Honk Your Horn

Animal Bites

When you pull up to a customer's location, honk your horn and announce yourself. This will help bring a dog to the front if there is one. Do not try to pet the dog or make eye contact. Do not try to run.



>> Three-Point System

Twisting

Use the three-point system when entering and exiting your truck, trailer or dock area. Step slowly and do not rush. Be aware of your surroundings and look for hazards.

