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# SAFETY WALK: PRACTICE PREVENTS PROBLEMS



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Safety is everyone's business. Take a safety walk with members of your team and check your workspace for possible dangers, such as awkward lifts, exposed cords or improper equipment. You can use a checklist from **LMPartnership.org** (link below) or simply address any hazards you observe. Do it regularly, perhaps weekly, with a "Make it Safer Monday" or "Safety Walk Wednesday."

**BE SAFER!**

**B**e observant. What task causes you the most concern for your safety or others?

**E**nsure the lines of communication are open. Ask your co-workers about their safety concerns and solutions.

**S**olve small issues immediately.

**A**lert others if you see a problem that can't be solved right away.

**F**ind the right person to eliminate hazards.

**E**ngage the whole team. Discuss safety concerns and solutions at your UBT meetings.

**R**otate the safety "walker." Fresh eyes mean fresh perspectives and ideas.



#### Tools you can use

Check out the "Make the Workplace Safer" How-to Guide on [LMPartnership.org](http://LMPartnership.org). It includes an action guide with practical tips for finding and fixing safety hazards, as well as checklists for doing safety walks in 11 different departments. Download the full toolkit here: [bit.ly/LMPSafetyToolkit](http://bit.ly/LMPSafetyToolkit)