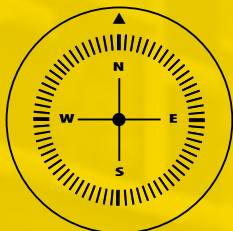


ROADMAP TO

WORKING SAFELY AT HEIGHT



This roadmap is a practical tool
to enhance your safety when
you are working at height.



Let the Compass program
guide you to a safe and healthy
workplace.

We ask you to create a safe work
environment for yourself and others. If
necessary, change your behavior. You may
expect your colleagues to do the same.
More information about the Compass
program, all roadmaps, behavioral guidelines
and other useful information on health and
safety can be found at: hscompass.com.



**THINK FIRST
BEHAVE SAFE**

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Our Policy

Working Safely at Height is part of focus area 'Workplace Safety'.

All employees working at height should be aware of the risk of falling as well as the impact of an object falling down from height.



WHAT THIS MEANS FOR YOU

The safe way is the right way

- >> Working at height may only be performed after receiving formal training.
- >> Be aware of the risks of unsafe behavior in regard to working at height.
- >> All safety guidelines must be complied to when working at height.

Don't walk past a hazard

- >> Management must be notified immediately at all times of dangerous areas which are not clearly marked in regard to working at height.
- >> Keep yourself and others safe by addressing unsafe behavior seen in colleagues, suppliers and customers. Speak up!
- >> Always inform the management about potential threats related to lifting equipment, e.g. cranes, and inadequately labeled dangerous areas.

Think first, behave safe

- >> Areas that are marked dangerous in regard to working at height must be avoided.
- >> Safe behavior must be displayed in all daily activities.
- >> Areas that are marked dangerous in regard to lifting equipment, such as cranes in use, must be avoided.
- >> Unsafe behavior seen in colleagues, suppliers and customers must be addressed at all times. Speak up!
- >> Unsafe situations must be reported to your manager immediately.
- >> Involve your Manager and/or Safety Officer(s) in case advise or assistance is needed on site.
- >> When working at heights above 2 meters make sure that you work secured. This includes working with ladders.



"Working at height always involves risks. Every time I have to work at or with height I make sure to follow all the guidelines. It makes me feel a lot more secure because this way I don't put myself or others in danger."

Please insert all additional legal/regulatory guidelines which are applicable to this topic within your local company

