

Written Site-specific Fall Protection Plan

Planning plays a key role in protecting workers from fall hazards. This fall protection plan template can assist the planning process. Employers should ensure that fall protection plans are designed to address site-specific conditions and comply with *Safety Acts* and *General Safety Regulations*.

Site address:		Start date:
Site description:	Employer:	
Work area:		
Tasks:		

Site-specific fall hazards *(see diagram on page 2 for more details)*

Max. height (peak):	Max. height (eaves):	Max. height (other):
Roof slope(s), if applicable:		
Proximity to high voltage power lines:		
Ground cover/hazards:		
Other/comments:		

Type of fall protection you will use (see definitions on page 3)

<input type="checkbox"/> Fall restraint	<input type="checkbox"/> Fall arrest	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporary guardrail system
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Equipment inspection

Item	Comment/defect	Item	Comment/defect
<input type="checkbox"/> Full body harness		<input type="checkbox"/> Anchors	
<input type="checkbox"/> Vertical lifelines		<input type="checkbox"/> Ladders	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lanyards		<input type="checkbox"/> Ladder hoist	
<input type="checkbox"/> Rope grabs		<input type="checkbox"/> Toeboards	

Prior to accessing the work location

Checklist	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> First aid attendant/facilities/equipment	
<input type="checkbox"/> Safety headgear available for all workers	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bin in place	
<input type="checkbox"/> Barricades in place	
<input type="checkbox"/> CSA safety footwear for ground work	
<input type="checkbox"/> Safety eyewear if nail guns in use	

Site roof diagram (include anchor locations)

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Ladder setup

<input type="checkbox"/> Set up on a firm, level base	<input type="checkbox"/> Extends approx. 1 metre (3 feet) past edge of roof
<input type="checkbox"/> Set up 4:1 (vertical:horizontal)	<input type="checkbox"/> Secured/tied off

Fall protection system special assembly procedures

Rescue procedures for a fallen worker

Fall protection definitions

Fall restraint means a system to prevent a worker from falling from a work position, or from travelling to an unguarded edge from which they could fall.

Fall arrest means a system that will stop a worker's fall before they hit the surface below.

Guardrail means a guard consisting of a top rail, approximately 107 cm (42 in.) above the floor level, and an intermediate rail centred at approximately the mid-point of the space between the underside of the top rail and the floor level or upper edge of the toe-board if one is fitted.

Notes

Worker sign-off

I acknowledge that I have reviewed the fall protection requirements and procedures for this site with my supervisor and understand my responsibilities, specifically the requirement to use personal fall protection.

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Supervisor name:	Supervisor signature:	Date:
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