



AEA SAFETY COMMITTEE
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WATER, REST AND SHADE
GETTING THROUGH THE SUMMER MONTHS

Heat-related illnesses can be prevented. Prevention requires employers and workers to recognize heat hazards. Management should commit to:

Take extra precautions to [protect new workers](#).

- [Train supervisors and workers](#) to control and recognize heat hazards.
- Determine, for each worker throughout each workday, whether total [heat stress is too high](#), both from the conditions of that day and recognizing carryover effect possibilities.
- Implement [engineering and administrative controls](#) to reduce heat stress.
- Provide sufficient [rest, shade, and fluids](#).

You can learn more about these preventive measures by exploring the links above.



HURRICANE SEASON IS HERE
GREAT TIME TO REVIEW YOUR EMERGENCY PLANS!

[Hurricane Preparedness](#)

[Emergency Preparedness-Getting Started Guide](#)

[Fema Planning Guides](#)

The Importance of Machine Guarding

Moving machine parts have the potential to cause severe workplace injuries, such as crushed fingers or hands, amputations, burns, or blindness. Safeguards are essential for protecting workers from these preventable injuries.

[Machine Guarding Standards](#)

[Machine Guarding Overview](#)

[OSHA-Amputations Quick Guide](#)



If you have any safety or risk management issues the AEA Safety Committee is here to help!

Need answers or resources email JKessler@acua.com or Karen@aeanj.org

Our committee meets quarterly if you would like to join us!

Our next scheduled meeting is Friday, October 20, 2023 at 10:00 am via zoom