

Risk Management tips for Preventing Slips and Falls



Maintain a clean and organised workplace to minimise the risk of slips and falls. This includes regularly cleaning floors, removing debris and spills, and ensuring that walkways are clear.



Choose slip-resistant flooring materials for high-traffic areas and regularly inspect and maintain flooring to ensure it is in good condition.



Ensure that all areas of the workplace are well-lit to help prevent slips and falls due to poor visibility.



Encourage employees to wear appropriate footwear for the workplace, such as slip-resistant shoes or boots.



Place wet floor signs in areas where spills or moisture are present to warn employees of potential slip hazards.



Install ramps and handrails in areas where changes in elevation occur, such as steps or raised platforms, to help prevent falls.



Regularly inspect the workplace for potential slip and fall hazards, such as uneven flooring, loose mats, or cluttered walkways.



Provide regular training for employees on the importance of safe walking practices and how to identify and avoid slip and fall hazards. This can include information on how to report potential hazards and what to do in the event of a fall.