

22 TRANSPORTATION SAFETY PROGRAMS

CASE STUDY

Sharee Watson works for the public transportation department of a mid-sized city. She doesn't work in an office, however; Sharee's job is in the vehicle maintenance facility, handling lubrication and service operations. She's pleased when her supervisor introduces a new employee and asks Sharee to help him get acclimated. The young man has some experience, but Sharee isn't sure he realizes just how many hazards exist in automotive repair. Some are obvious; others aren't.

1. What are some hazards in the lubrications area that she can point out?
2. Is there any area that calls for special precautions?
3. What other steps can management take?