

Warehouse pedestrian safety

Stay safe in your warehouse

Follow these steps to protect pedestrians and reduce forklift injuries at your worksite:

Remind all employees that they need to be aware of their surroundings at all times

Train forklift operators in the proper use of their vehicles and how to avoid striking pedestrians

Perform regular inspections of lift trucks to detect any defects in steering, brakes, horn or backup alarms

Whenever possible, separate pedestrians from lift trucks by providing separate pedestrian walkways with railings or other protective barriers

Install convex mirrors at blind aisle intersections

Keep aisles and passageways clear



Be sure all materials are handled and stored safely:

Store all chemicals according to the manufacturer's recommendations

Loads of materials should be stacked evenly, with heavier loads on lower or middle shelves

Bags and bundles should be stored in tiers of limited height to prevent tipping

