Box Cutters

Protect yourself from Box Cutter injuries

Box cutters are an efficient way to slice through bulky materials. But they can also be a source of injury, if not used correctly. It is important that you have training on how to use and sharpen box cutters.

Best Practices:

☑ Keep the blades as sharp and as short as possible
☑ Replace dull or broken blades
☑ Wear metal mesh gloves and other protective gear
☑ When using a box cutter, angle it away from the body
☑ Watch the blade at all times

When finished using a box cutter, you should:

☑ Retract the blade
☑ Cover the box cutter and store it in a secure place
☑ Use puncture-resistant containers for the disposal of dull or damaged blades

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