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### Toolbox Talk: Scissor Lift Safety



#### Some thoughts.....

1. Do not operate scissor lifts without proper training and authorization.
1. Do not operate any construction equipment when under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
2. Inspect scissor lifts before use.
3. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (i.e. hard hats, goggles, gloves) during operation.
4. Wear fall protection.
5. Report damage or maintenance needs.
6. Never stand on boxes or step ladders while working in a scissor lift.
7. Survey the area for holes, ramps or drop offs. Clearly mark and avoid them before using the scissor lift.
8. Close the guardrail gate and chain when using the lift.
9. Never stand on the guardrail.
10. The guardrail can be a pinch point. Do not place any body part between the guardrail and a fixed object.
11. Never overload the lift load capacity.
12. Check for overhead power lines and other dangers from above.
13. Do not drive the lift with the floor extension out.
14. Do not hang tools or building materials from guardrails.
15. Drive the lift slowly and watch out for pedestrians.
16. Do not climb the scissor lift pantograph (scissor) mechanism.
17. Know emergency descent controls.
18. Use three-point contact when entering and exiting a scissor lift platform.

Please be sure to sign your name to the training certification form.

