



Incident Hot Sheet

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Purpose of Incident Hot Sheets:

- To make all jobs aware of any significant incidents
- To make sure all jobs relay the information to all Cajun employees by tool box safety meetings and document the meeting

Description:

Over the past four months the Monthly Hazard Focus has been accidents dealing with “**Struck by**” either **equipment, material or by objects**. So in the effort to bring these types of accidents to your attention in the hopes we can learn from them so as to prevent Struck by accidents in the future. Please review the below accidents in you next tool box safety meeting.

In your safety meeting please start a discussion with your employees on what we could have done in the accidents below that would have prevented the accident.

Struck by Accidents:

A carpenter was installing rebar bands on pipe rack piers. While tying the bands to the dowels, the employee pulled on the pliers to tighten the wire, the pliers slipped striking him in the mouth and chipping two of his teeth. The employee was taken to the clinic and referred to a dentist. Both teeth have been repaired and the employee has been released back to work full duty. This incident is being classified as a Medical Only OSHA Recordable.

A carpenter was working on grout forms at ground level, and another contractor was working overhead. While nailing up a form, a piece of 2x4 approximately 6" long fell from overhead, striking the employee in the middle part of his back. The employee said he was fine, but was checked out by the site medic as a precaution and released back to work. The following day, the employee reported that he was having problems and wanted to be seen by the doctor. He was taken to the clinic for an evaluation, diagnosed with a contusion and released to return to work full duty.

A carpenter and his co-worker each using a burke bar to remove a 4'x4'x3/4" steel plate hole cover from a catch basin. The employees were going to pry at the same time and slide the plate from the catch basin, but one of the burke bars slipped causing all of the weight to be shifted to one bar. The bar was overloaded, forcing it upwards and striking the carpenter in the chest. The

employee was taken to the clinic where he was diagnosed with a contusion and released back to work full duty. At this time the incident is not OSHA Recordable.

An ironworker was using an 8lb maul to straighten an anchor bolt when the hammer glanced off the bolt striking the employee's right calf. He was taken to the clinic, x-rays were negative and he was diagnosed with a lower leg contusion. The employee was instructed to keep it iced as tolerated, told to take OTC medication if necessary and released back to work full duty. At this time the incident is not OSHA Recordable.

A carpenter was removing wedge bolts while wrecking forms, when one of the bolts that was under pressure flew out striking the employee in the groin area.

A crude oil line was under test pressure at 40 psi, a crew were snooping flanges when a third party inspector stated that when they test at 100psi the 2" quick connection cap will need to be removed and install a threaded cap. He then decided to touch the 2" quick connect cap and the cap blew off striking him in his right forearm.

A pipe crew was setting up to lift a 6" fire water line with a track-hoe. A pipefitter was removing the shackle pin when the operator decided to lower the bucket down to the PF without being signaled. The PF was looking down, unaware that the bucket was being lowered and he was grazed on the top of his hard hat by the hydraulic cylinder protruding from the bucket. He was taken to the clinic as a precaution and diagnosed with a minor contusion and released to work full duty.

Employee was struck in the head by 2" combo wrench. The wrench was knocked off the scaffold deck and fell below.

A welder had just returned to his work area after lunch when he was in the process of transitioning from his Cajun hard hat to a hard hat with welding hood. At the same time he and the fitter helper decided to move the 7' tall field fabricated hooch over a few inches. A piece of rebar on the top of the hooch that had been tacked in place broke loose on one end and struck the welder on top of the head. This case is a recordable.

Corrective Action: The bullet items below are Cajun Programs, Training and Policies to help identify, eliminate/control hazards on our jobsites.

- We can use our Pre-Task Plan in identifying Struck by possibilities in the work steps and work to eliminate/control these types of hazards.
- Hazard Recognition/Near Miss Program.
- Jobsite Observations/Audits.
- Award Program for best Hazard Recognition/Near Miss
- HATBOX Training- HB.027, HB.046, HB044, HB.051

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