



Reduce the risk of slips, trips and falls

According to OSHA, slips, trips and falls constitute the majority of workplace accidents. In 2002, 37% of workplace injuries were slips, trips and falls. Falls, fatal and nonfatal, are a serious safety concern in the workplace, taking 715 lives and causing 313,335 injuries involving a work absence every year. In fact, same level falls, like slips and trips, make up 65% of fall injuries.

There are several things you can do to reduce the risk of accidents:

- Use proper signage for wet areas
- Use cleaning products that dry more quickly
- Use equipment that extracts water faster for more rapid drying
- Consider microfiber technology for cleaning with less water
- Keep areas well-lit by replacing dead light bulbs immediately
- Establish a protocol for cleaning and drying for spills
- If areas require drainage, check frequently to ensure drains are working
- Train environmental services staff to address wet areas quickly and properly

Memphis Chemical & Janitorial Supply can help you reduce the risk of slips, trips and falls in your facility. Here are just a few of the solutions we offer:

- Cleaning products designed to dry more quickly
- Cleaning products that break down grease and oil
- Products to prevent ice from accumulating in traffic areas
- Microfiber technology to clean more with less water
- Equipment options such as super extractors for faster drying

In addition to our products and service, we can also provide training to your staff in how to use these products and equipment more safely.

If reducing slips, trips and falls is a priority for you, talk to us.