

Slips & Trips

Training Scheme



Effective Slip & Trip Avoidance

95% of reported slips and trips result in broken or dislocated bones and well over 1 million working days are lost each year as a result of such accidents. The avoidable nature of slip and trip accidents is borne out by accident investigation reports which indicate that general carelessness and low attention levels are contributory factors in most cases.

Slip and trip accidents occur where contact between the sole of the wearer's footwear and the floor area is insufficient to maintain equilibrium – often as a result of the presence an aqueous agent underfoot. A sound working knowledge of slip and trip protection and the efficient use of safety footwear by skilled and trained operatives are essential for working safely. Against the background of today's regulatory and commercial challenges, it is in an employers interest to select protective footwear appropriate to the identified hazards, and train employees in the proper selection, use and maintenance of all safety equipment.

An effective slip and trip safety regime includes:

- Maximising worker awareness of existing hazards and accident avoidance.
- Implementing an effective housekeeping and hazard elimination regime.
- Implementing expert recommendations on appropriate floor surface composition.
- Deployment of the necessary range of protective footwear.
- Employee training in the selection and correct use of protective footwear.

Safety regulations require employers to train employees, who might be exposed to slip and trip hazards, on how to recognise such hazards and minimise them. Employers are advised to produce certification that identifies the employee trained and the training date. Retraining should be provided as necessary.

Advice, Training & Certification

Anderco's safety consultants can visit your facility to identify slip and trip hazards and determine your site specific protection requirements.

When you purchase protective footwear from Anderco Safety, our certified trainers can hold a formal on-site training program thereby increasing worker safety, comfort and productivity. Although no single measure will completely eliminate all slip and trip hazards, the threat of injury can be substantially minimised by a safety programme focused on increasing worker awareness, management commitment and the appropriate environmental conditions.

Training Tailored to your specific requirements

From a legal, ethical and financial stand point – it pays to offer the best in protective equipment and advice.



Modular Training. to Meet Your Specific Requirements.

The modular training scheme outlined below has been designed to ensure that the appropriate, certified safety training is provided to meet your company's specific requirements and facilitate the implementation of an effective slip and trip avoidance regime.

Module One

Participants: 20 max Duration: 30 minutes

Slip and Trip Hazards Awareness

An overview of potential mechanical, optical and chemical hazards, how they can be identified and the types of injuries associated with each.

Best Practice

An explanation of how best to engineer out the hazard by promoting worker awareness and implementing a management programme to identify problem areas, decide what to do, act on decisions made and check that the steps taken have been effective in preventing or containing slip and trip hazards.

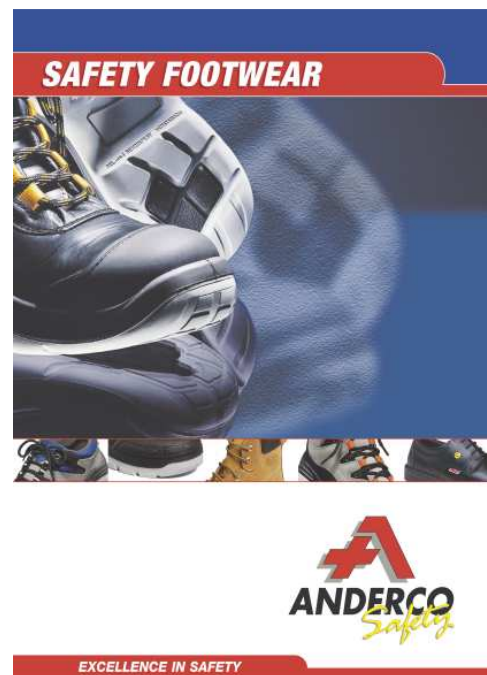
Safety Footwear

An overview of how to select the correct industrial footwear for your working environment based on a full assessment of inherent risks that cannot be otherwise reduced or controlled.

Module Two Train the Trainer

Participants: 6 max Duration: 2 hours

Additional training to provide participants with the competency to deliver the contents of Module One in a clear and instructional manner to other employees. Throughout the training session, the aptitude and safety awareness of individuals will be carefully monitored.



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