## Mobile elevated work platform safety: Quick tips





Safety is achieved when it's consistently practiced and modeled by supervisors. Safety practices should be regularly reinforced with employees to help prevent injuries and property damage.

- Always follow manufacturer instructions
- Inspect lift prior to use
- Understand emergency procedures
- Understand capacity of lift
- Verify labels are plainly marked and legible
- Use approved fall restraint or arrest system
- Maintain minimum clearance from powerlines
- Utilize outriggers if equipped
- Keep work within easy reach
- Verify ground is adequate for weight

- Never use if not authorized
- Never operate alone
- Never use as a crane
- Never exceed platform capacity
- Never exceed reach limits
- Never operate in windy or severe weather
- Never loan equipment to other contractors
- Never disconnect audible alarm
- Never modify equipment without proper approval

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