

Forklift and Powered Industrial Truck Safety

Operating forklifts and other Powered Industrial Trucks (PIT) can be dangerous if you do not take the correct precautions. According to OSHA, 70% of accidents can be prevented with proper training.

Watch our all-new safety training webinar to review OSHA training and inspection requirements for all types of PITs and how to tailor your training program to get the best results for your work environment.

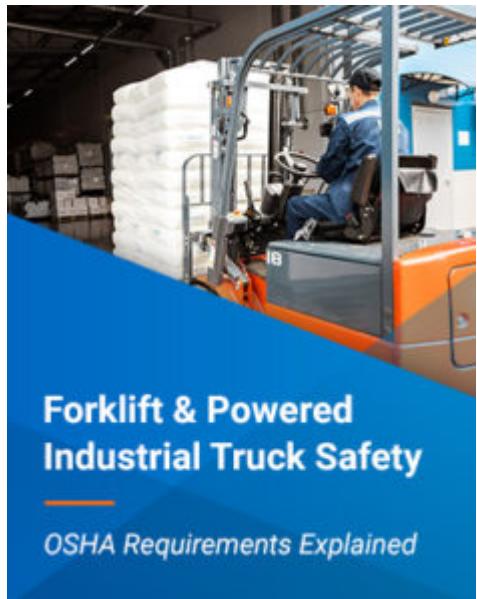
In this webinar, you'll learn

- OSHA PIT Standard Defined
- Operator training requirements
- Keeping pedestrians safe
- Training program development

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Warning Signs of Work Comp Fraudsters

VISUAL INSPECTION	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hydro and mast are not worn, bent, cracked or damaged.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Upper mast lock is in place and not loose, cracked or broken.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Attachments are in place and not loose, cracked or broken.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Attachments operating correctly and are not damaged.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Attachments control - operating correctly.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Engine oil level is full and free of water.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hydraulic fluid level is full and free of water.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Water cooler level is full and free of water.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hydraulic hoses are full and free of water.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Valve assemblies, fittings and hoses of hydraulic lines or damage, loose nuts are tight.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hydraulic connections are secure, not loose.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Drive gear is attached, and transmission is responsive.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hydraulic cylinder rod mounting bolts are responsive.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Steer belt is accessible and functioning correctly.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Steering nuts are tight, without water or leaks from the pitot.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Steering wheel is in the center position correctly.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Turn signal if installed is functioning correctly.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All headlights, stoplights and turn signal lights functioning and armed correctly.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Oil and cooling system fluid levels correctly without excess drift.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Brake system - Pedal response - Accelerating correctly.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Brake system - Pedal response - Decelerating correctly.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Brake system - Brake functioning correctly and freely, return to operating position is responsive, functioning smoothly, free of excessive play.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Brake system - Pedal response - Pedal return to operating position correctly.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Parking brake functioning correctly and set firmly when on an incline.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hydraulic fluid for gas (lpg) : Blue, minimum, leakage.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hydraulic fluid for gas (lpg) : Blue, minimum, leakage.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Steer belt is good condition without major tears or places missing.

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Daily Checklist: Electric Forklift

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Forklift Operator Evaluation

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Operator Name:	Evaluation Date:	Evaluator:	Supervisor:
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Evaluation Description:	Evaluation Date:	Comments:	
1. PRE-OPERATION INSPECTION		POOR	FAIR
a. Does operator's safety checklist		COMPLIANT	
b. Hydraulic visual inspection of forklift		COMPLIANT	
c. Identifies any obvious damage, make-in		COMPLIANT	
d. Documents corrective actions on daily checklist		COMPLIANT	
e. Moves/Transports forklift with 3 point checklist		COMPLIANT	
f. Tires and objects secured		COMPLIANT	
g. Performs quick visual of surroundings		COMPLIANT	
2. Task Name:		POOR	FAIR
a. Does not lower or raise the load while traveling		COMPLIANT	
b. Maintains load at safe travel height of 4 ft maximum		COMPLIANT	
c. Operates forklift at a safe speed		COMPLIANT	
d. Follows all site rules, wearing signs and mouthwash requirements		COMPLIANT	
e. Maintains arms and legs inside forklift		COMPLIANT	
f. Follows other vehicles at safe distance		COMPLIANT	
g. Stays closer when going around corners		COMPLIANT	
h. Stays closer and yields for pedestrians		COMPLIANT	
i. Actively uses horns or blind intersections or other vehicles to prevent collisions		COMPLIANT	
j. Travels with load positioned safely while on inclines or ramps		COMPLIANT	
k. Lifts or lowering load a small, slow and gradual descent if height does not obstruct travel		COMPLIANT	
l. Travels carrying over objects or debris		COMPLIANT	
m. Operates forklift in a smooth and safe manner		COMPLIANT	

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