Personal Protective Equipment – Landscaping Infographic



Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

PPE is designed to protect employees from serious workplace injuries and illnesses resulting from contact with chemical, radiological, physical, electrical, or mechanical hazards. The importance of PPE is paramount, as it provides the last line of defence against an injury.

98% of employees said they have seen others not wearing PPE when they should have been

30% said this happens repeatedly

Top 4 excuses for not wearing proper PPE:

Looks unattractive	Too hot
Poor fit	Not easily accessible



9% of all injuries are head injuries.



50% of construction workers will suffer a serious eye injury during their career.



25% of all workplace accidents involve hands and fingers.



25% of workers are regularly exposed to noises at or above recommended limits

84% of employees who sustain a head injury are not wearing head protection.

90% of all workplace eye injuries are preventable with the use of proper safety eyewear.

Wearing gloves reduces hand injury risk by **60%**

99% of noise-induced hearing loss is preventable if proper hearing protection is used.

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