

**Chapter 49.24 RCW**  
**HEALTH AND SAFETY—UNDERGROUND WORKERS**

**Sections**

49.24.010	Pressure defined.
49.24.020	Compressed air safety requirements.
49.24.030	Medical and nursing attendants.
49.24.040	Examination as to physical fitness.
49.24.060	Penalty.
49.24.070	Enforcement.
49.24.080	Requirements for underground labor.
49.24.100	Lighting appliances.
49.24.110	Exhaust valves.
49.24.120	Fire prevention.
49.24.130	Air chambers—Hanging walks.
49.24.140	Locks.
49.24.150	Explosives and detonators.
49.24.160	Air plant—Feed water.
49.24.170	Electric power requirements.
49.24.180	Inspection.
49.24.190	Cars, cages, buckets—Employees riding or walking.
49.24.200	Speed of vehicles.
49.24.210	Oil supply restricted.
49.24.220	Explosives, use of—Blasting.
49.24.230	Firing switch—Warning by blaster.
49.24.240	Inspection after blast.
49.24.250	Code of signals.
49.24.260	Requirements as to caissons.
49.24.270	Shields to be provided.
49.24.280	Caissons to be braced.
49.24.290	Cages—Hoisting apparatus.
49.24.300	Buckets in vertical shafts.
49.24.310	Telephone system for tunnels.
49.24.320	Location of lights.
49.24.330	Generators, transformers, etc., to be grounded.
49.24.340	Electrical voltage.
49.24.350	Lamps to be held in reserve.
49.24.360	Insulators required.
49.24.370	Director to make rules and regulations.
49.24.380	Penalty.

*Coal mining code: Title 78 RCW.*

*Protection of employees: State Constitution Art. 2 s 35.*

*Supervisor of safety: RCW 43.22.040.*