

**WAC 296-78-520 Employee's responsibility.** (1) Employees must coordinate and cooperate with all other employees in an attempt to eliminate accidents.

(2) Employees must study and observe all safe practices governing their work.

(3) Employees should offer safety suggestions, wherein such suggestions may contribute to a safer work environment.

(4) Employees must apply the principles of accident prevention in their daily work and must use proper safety devices and protective equipment as required by their employment or employer.

(5) Employees must properly care for all personal protective equipment.

(6) Employees must make a prompt report to their immediate supervisor, of each industrial injury or occupational illness, regardless of the degree of severity.

(7) Employees must not wear torn or loose clothing while working around machinery.

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