

**(Effective until October 1, 2020)**

**WAC 296-874-20056 Provide specific fall protection for specific types of scaffolds.** (1) You must use a personal fall arrest system to protect employees on the following scaffolds:

- (a) Boatswain's chair;
- (b) Catenary scaffold;
- (c) Float scaffold;
- (d) Ladder jack scaffold;
- (e) Needle beam scaffold.

(2) You must use a personal fall arrest system and a guardrail system to protect employees on:

- (a) Single-point adjustable suspension scaffolds;
- (b) Two-point adjustable suspension scaffolds.

(3) You must protect employees working on a self-contained adjustable scaffold that has the platform:

(a) Supported by the frame structure, using a guardrail system with a minimum two hundred pound toprail capacity.

(b) Suspended by ropes, using:

(i) A guardrail system with a minimum two hundred pound toprail capacity; and

(ii) A personal fall arrest system.

(4) You must protect employees on walkways located within a scaffold by using a guardrail system that meets all of the following:

(a) Has a minimum two hundred pound toprail capacity;

(b) Is installed within nine and one-half inches (24.1 cm) of the walkway;

(c) Is installed along at least one side of the walkway.

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