EYE &WORK



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VISUAL CAPABILITY

OCULAR INJURY

EYE PROTECTION

VISUAL CAPABILITY

- Visual acuity
- Contrast sensitivity
- Visual fields
- Color vision
- Oculomotor function
- Open Depth perception

OCCUPATIONAL EYE INJURIES

• DIRECT EYE INJURIES

Mechanical

Non-mechanical

• INDIRECT EYE INJURIES

EPIDEMIOLOGY OF WORK RELATED EYE INJURY

- Work related accidents (5%-19%)
- Ocular injuries (8%-60%)
- Traumatic blindness (24%)
- Preventable (90%)
- Chemical induced (10%)

Mechanical Eye Injury

Foreign body

Penetrating

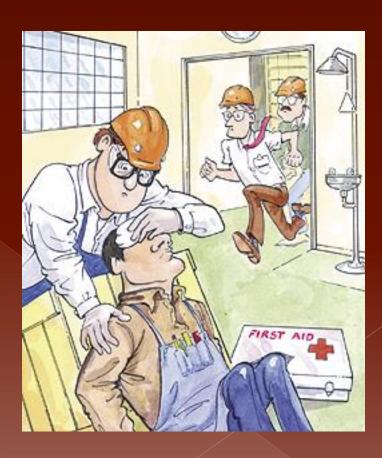
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Non-mechanical Eye Injury

- Chemical
- Radiation
- Thermal
- Electrical
- Eye-strain

EMERGENCY TREATMENT OF CHEMICAL EYE BURNS

- IN THE WORKPLACE
 - 1. Wash the eye with copious
- IN THE EMERGENCY FACILITY
 - 1. Irrigate with saline
 - 2. Topical anesthetic
 - 3. Remove foreign body
 - 4. Test the PH
 - 5. Remove damaged epithelium
 - 6. Dilate the pupil
 - 7. Give topical antibiotic
 - 8. Patch the eye & Refer



Radiation Related Eye Injury

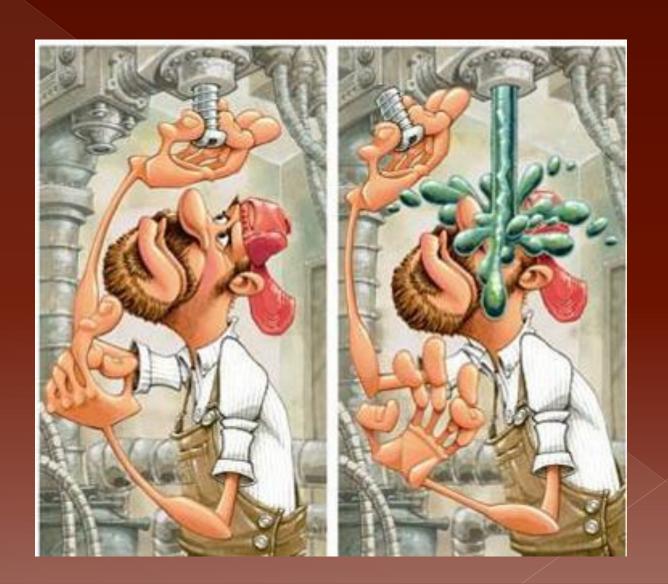
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- Non-ionizing radiation
 - A) UV
 - B) VL
 - C) IR
 - D) MW
 - E) LASER

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EYE PROTECTOR



IDEAL EYE PROTECTOR

- Provide the necessary protection
- Comfortable during wear
- Light-weight
- Easily cleaned
- Low cost
- Does not impair visual function
- Durable, Non-flammable, Non-irritant
- Suitable optical quality
- Cosmetically acceptable
- Compatible with other protectors



