



Department of Environmental Safety & Security Personal Fall Arrest PPE

Inspector Name:

Date:

Time:

Location of Inspection:

Annual Fall Protection Personal Protective Equipment; Competent Person Inspection

Using the checklist below and the harness inventory, inspect all harnesses and lanyards checked out to workers. Note any deficiencies and any PPE taken out of service by serial number.

*** Inspections must be conducted on an annual basis**
*** Maintain checklist as documentation of this requirement**

Item	YES	NO	Comments
1. Is the manufacturer tag attached and legible?			
2. Is the manufacture date of harness or lanyard less than 10 years?			
3. Are the connectors and d-rings in good condition free from cracks, chips, deformations and excessive wear?			
4. Is there any distorted hooks or faulty hook springs?			
5. Do all locking devices on the connectors/hooks work properly?			
6. Is there any damage on the harness or lanyard ribbon due to deterioration?			
7. Is there any significant defects; tears, cuts, abrasions, burns, melting, mold, undue stretching of the harness or lanyard ribbon?			
8. Is there any evidence of defects in, or damage to, straps, harness or lanyard ribbon which include fraying, unsplicing, enlaying, kinking, knotting, roping, broken or pulled stitches, soiling, abrasion, alteration, excessive aging, or excessive wear?			
9. Are all buckles flat, working smoothly and lying flat?			
10. Is there any alterations or additions which might affect the harness or lanyard integrity?			
11. Is the shock absorber of the lanyard sealed and in good condition?			
12. Is the red thread showing on the lanyard?			
13. Are lanyard tie-back connectors in good condition and free from cracks, excessive wear?			