



WHY LOCKOUT TAGOUT?

Every year countless workers are killed or injured due to the unintentional release of hazardous energy sources. Numerous incidents could have been prevented with a clearly documented Lockout Tagout procedure.

Effective Lockout procedures can dramatically increase your company's productivity by making Lockout activities more efficient. Your procedures serve as a checklist that allows workers to quickly move through the steps without confusion or mistakes, reducing downtime and damage to machinery.

AN EFFECTIVE ENERGY ISOLATION PROGRAM IS A FOUR-STEP PROCESS:

1

Hazard analysis to determine the type and magnitude of hazardous energy associated with each piece of equipment



2

Identification of steps necessary to isolate that energy and lock out the relevant control points



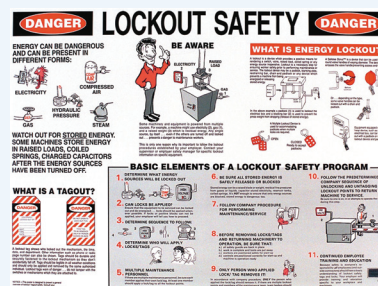
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Documentation of the correct steps to isolate and lock out energy



4

Employee training and periodic procedure review/updates



LOCKOUT TAGOUT IS YOUR KEY TO SAFETY

Key benefits of an effective Lockout Tagout program include:

Improved Productivity - Through Reduction of Equipment Downtime

Cost Savings - Lower Insurance Premiums

Saves Lives - Reduces Injuries and Lost Work Days

Best Practice - Being Adopted Across Various Industries