Equipment Hazards Frequently Found During DOSH Consultation Visits, January–April 2017

Equipment in poor condition can cause injury!

Bent or missing hand grabs

Removed or damaged guards

Windows that impair visibility

WAC 296-54-573(20) A safe and adequate means of access and egress to all parts of logging machinery must be provided.

WAC 296-54-573(39) Each machine shall be equipped with guarding to protect employees from moving elements.

WAC 296-54-57320(3) Glass installed in logging machines must be removed or replaced if defective or broken glass impairs the vision of the operator.

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