

Forewarned is forearmed...



Dear colleague,

Despite the increasing awareness for safety, inattention remains one of the primary causes of accidents at work. That is why this campaign focuses on the consequences that inappropriate behaviour or a work accident can have on both your professional and private life.

Certainly at moments that there are (more) inexperienced people at work, it is even more important to make sure that every employee, new or temporary, young or older, is informed about all the risks and the sometimes life-threatening safety prescriptions.

So therefore pay attention to all risks around you, at all time and everywhere– both at your work area, your colleagues' and outside. And always making sure you properly protect yourself in the right way.



Femke used to work in a food company. She knew her job inside out, but she never understood why her employer always insisted on the use of protective glasses, when she was only handling 'food stuff'. Until a bottle with concentrated citric acid slipped out of her hand and splashed on the floor, Femke got a bead of it in her eye and had to be rushed into the hospital with serious burns. She partly regained her sight a few months later, but she will always have to wear those dark glasses. Furthermore she now has to make it on her own with a much lower replacement income.

Do you want to drastically reduce your chances of having an accident? Then always follow the safety regulations and use the correct protective equipment! Ask your manager for advice if you're not sure what the exact requirements are in your specific work environment.

With best wishes,

The Management