

Toolbox Safety Talks

Flammable & Combustible Materials

- 1) What are the hazards involved with Flammable and combustible materials?
 - a. Fire
 - b. Explosions
 - i. Burns
 - ii. Death
- 2) What hazards should you look for when working with or near flammables?
 - a. Ignition sources
 - b. Proper labeling
 - c. Proper storage
 - d. Nearest fire extinguisher
- **3)** What safe practices should be used when working with or near flammables?
 - a. Flammables and combustibles must be stored separately and away from any ignition sources
 - b. Separate different trash types and use lidded disposable cans
 - c. Make sure all cans, bottles, drums, etc. are labeled properly
 - d. If there is no label, do not use until 100% identification is made
 - e. Remove all flammables from the work area when grinding, welding, or when your producing any other source of ignition
 - f. Never punch vent holes in cans or drums you cannot control the vapors
 - g. Wash hands and any other body part that comes in contact with flammables
 - h. No smoking near flammables
- **4)** Do we have a separate storage area for flammable and combustible materials?
- **5)** Are there any containers that are not labeled?
- **6)** What is our policy for shielding around welding, cutting, or grinding areas?
- 7) Has anyone ever been burned, or had a near miss with fire or explosions?
- **8)** What flammables do we have at our facility?
- **9)** Where are our fire extinguishers? Are they inspected to date?



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