

FALL PROTECTION EQUIPMENT – PRE-USE INSPECTION CHECKLIST

Inspection must follow Manufacturer Specifications and applicable fall protection requirements

Worker/Student:		Location:	
Department/Program:		Date:	
Instructor/Supervisor		Equipment Type:	
Check boxes accordingly: OK = No Issues NO = needs attention / repair N/A = not applicable			
EQUIPMENT CONDITION — VISUAL / PHYSICAL CHECKS	Status OK NO N/A	ANCHORAGE / SYSTEM SETUP (IF APPLICABLE)	Status OK NO N/A
Harness / Body Support		Approved anchorage point selected and suitable for fall protection	☐ ☐ ☐
• Webbing free of cuts, fraying, burns, or excessive wear	☐ ☐ ☐	Anchorage location minimizes swing fall risk	☐ ☐ ☐
• Stitching intact (no loose or broken threads)	☐ ☐ ☐	System properly connected and configured for task	☐ ☐ ☐
• D-rings and hardware free from cracks, deformation, or corrosion	☐ ☐ ☐	Compatible components used (no incompatible connections)	☐ ☐ ☐
• Buckles and adjusters function properly and secure correctly	☐ ☐ ☐	WORKSITE CONDITIONS	Status OK NO N/A
• No oil, grease, or chemical contamination present	☐ ☐ ☐	Walking/working surfaces clean, dry, and free of slip hazards	☐ ☐ ☐
Connecting Devices (Lanyards / SRLs / Lifelines)		Safe access and egress available	☐ ☐ ☐
• No cuts, abrasion, or excessive wear on rope or webbing	☐ ☐ ☐	Work area free of obstructions or trip hazards	☐ ☐ ☐
• Shock absorber intact and not deployed (if applicable)	☐ ☐ ☐	Overhead hazards identified and controlled	☐ ☐ ☐
• Snap hooks / carabiners close and lock properly	☐ ☐ ☐	Edge/opening protection in place where applicable	☐ ☐ ☐
• Retractable devices extend and lock correctly (if applicable)	☐ ☐ ☐	Weather and environmental conditions suitable for work	☐ ☐ ☐
• No contamination that may affect performance	☐ ☐ ☐	Fall hazards identified and controlled	☐ ☐ ☐
Hardware / Components			
• Connectors free from damage or deformation	☐ ☐ ☐		
• All components present and compatible	☐ ☐ ☐		
• No missing, loose, or improperly installed parts	☐ ☐ ☐		

STATUS: ☐ Safe to use ☐ Remove from service / tag out	
Comments / Concerns:	Inspector Signature
Tag Out Procedure If any item is marked NO remove equipment from service, tag and report immediately. Notify Supervisor/Management. Do not use the equipment until it has been serviced, or replace.	
Date and Time :	
Comments :	