

Eyewash Station Use

SAVE YOUR SIGHT WITH PROPER EYEWASH STATION USE

Will You Know What to Do If Something Enters Your Eye?



If material enters your eyes causing irritation:

Go to the nearest eyewash station. Yell for help if there are others in the area to help you locate the eyewash station or locate a portable eyewash for you and to contact a supervisor. The immediate seconds after exposure are critical.



Activate the eyewash station.



Flush your eyes continuously for a full 15 minutes or expel the entire contents of a portable/ personal eyewash while keeping your eyes open with your fingers. Roll your eyes in all directions to flush every area of the Eye.



Immediately seek follow up medical attention after flushing eyes in the workplace, no matter how minor it may seem.

SAFETY TIPS

- Perform quality preventative maintenance on eyewash stations as scheduled.
- Never alter or tamper with the eyewash station units and advise supervision every time an eyewash station is used so they can be inspected and refilled.
- Always keep eyewash station areas unobstructed.
- Familiarize yourself with eyewash station locations in your area and take the time to review the manufacturer user instructions located on each unit.