



## **OSHA - The National Safety Stand-Down To Prevent Falls In Construction Rescheduled**

**September 14 -18, 2020**

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) has announced that the [7th annual National Stand-Down To Prevent Falls In Construction](#), originally scheduled for May is now rescheduled for September 14-18 and will coincide with [Construction Safety Week](#), which is also rescheduled to the week of September 14-18.

Falls from elevation are a leading cause of death for employees, accounting for 320 of the 1,008 construction fatalities in 2018<sup>1</sup>, so join the rest of the nation in reinforcing the importance of fall hazard awareness.

There are many resources available to use for planning your company's Stand-Down week, so why wait. The information can be used in toolbox meetings and other ways from now until the stand-down.

The information can be found at:

[National Safety Stand-Down to Prevent Falls in Construction, stopconstructionfalls.com](#)  
[online ordering form](#)

Source references:

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.bls.gov/charts/census-of-fatal-occupational-injuries/number-and-rate-of-fatal-work-injuries-by-industry.htm>

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.bls.gov/iif/oshwc/foi/cftb0330.htm>

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