



ARCO SAFE TOOL BOX TALKS

Cranes and Derricks – Inspections

1926 Subpart CC, Cranes and Derricks in Construction



There are over 8,000 crane incidents with cranes every year. That is over 8% of all the cranes in the United States will be involved in a reportable incident this year! There are three types of inspections to help prevent equipment failure.

Inspect before **EACH SHIFT**:

- Must be completed by a competent person (someone who has knowledge of the equipment). Must be done according to manufacturer's specifications. OSHA does not require documentation.

Inspect **MONTHLY**:

- Also can be complete by a competent person but **MUST** be documented. Must include items inspected, date, name and signature of who completed the inspection.

Annual/Comprehensive inspection:

- Must be completed by a qualified person (has school/training and holds a certificate).
- The purpose is to detect a deficiency that is not apparently in a visual inspection but it detectable through taking apart equipment components.
- A copy of the annual/comprehensive inspection is required to be delivered to ARCO before the crane is allowed to operate on a job site.