

PPE SELECTION QUICK GUIDE

Personal Protective Equipment Selection

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This guide supports the selection of suitable personal protective equipment based on workplace hazards and exposure conditions.

01 IDENTIFY THE HAZARD

- Assess hazards, exposure routes and working conditions before the task begins.
- Review chemical, mechanical, electrical, thermal, biological and physical risks separately.

02 PRIORITIZE CONTROLS

- Apply elimination, substitution, engineering and administrative controls first.
- Use PPE only as the final line of defense against remaining risk.

03 SELECT SUITABLE PPE

- Select eye and face protection for flying particles, splashes, radiation and chemicals.
- Choose hand protection based on cuts, heat, chemicals and vibration.
- For respiratory protection, confirm the contaminant, concentration and oxygen level.

04 FIT AND INSPECT

- Ensure the PPE fits the user and is compatible with other equipment.
- Inspect for damage, deformation, contamination and service life before use.
- Remove damaged or unsuitable PPE from service immediately.