## SAFETY GUIDELINE Construction & Remodeling Safety

## **Purpose**

This safety guideline outlines the actions UNMC employees and students must follow to ensure their safety in and around construction and remodeling sites on campus.

## **UNMC Employee Responsibilities**

- UNMC employees must not enter construction zones.
- If UNMC employees need to enter construction zones, employees must contact the UNMC Project Manager or contractor.
- If allowed to enter a construction zone:
  - Employees should be aware of potential hazards, including:
    - Moving machinery
    - Trip hazards due to construction material, debris, or tools
    - Electrical Hazards
  - o Employees must wear proper PPE while in construction zones, including:
    - Hard Hats
    - Safety Vest
    - Gloves
    - Safety glasses or goggles
    - Closed to shoes (e.g. no sandals)
- Immediately notify the UNMC Project Manager and EHS if any hazardous conditions are observed.
- UNMC employees must not touch or tamper with equipment, tools, or building materials in the construction zone.

## **Safety Signage and Warnings:**

- UNMC employees must follow all signage and procedures in and outside the construction zone.
- UNMC employees are prohibited from entering areas marked as restricted.

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