SafetyHead, Inc.

Aerial Platform Operator

Safety Training Reference Card

Aerial Platform Definitions:

Scissor and vertical personnel lift
Boom/Extendible boom

Safety decals:

Always pay close attention to safety decals posted on the aerial platform.

And safety symbols:

Safety Symbols alert workers of potential hazards.

DANGER This signal word indicates an imminently hazardous situati hic t av esult in death.

WARNING This signal word indicates a potentially hazardous situation h, i oid ld res death or serious injury.

CAUTION This signal word indicates a potentially hazardo tion , if r ded inor or moderate injury.

Personal Protective Equipme be of ' PPE ments)

*Hard hat *Sa sses
*Safety shoes *Sa arne otectio

-Kn et assis ase em
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sit afety nd posted sign

Be op ing a platform, always perform inspections

Site Inspection

Before operating any a form, learn as m out the work area as possible. Walk a e worksite and i the area in which you will be expect vel and work. L or hazards.

Be aware of:

-Slip rfaces
-Tree
-Holes
-Overh ards
-Slopes, s
-Ditches
-Obstructed vision
-Narrow aisles
-Large rocks
-Confined areas
-Utilities
-Speed considerations
-Moving equipment
-Scattered materials
-Pedestrian traffic
-Drop-offs
-Powerlines
-Water hazards

Check the site regularly for condition changes.

Aerial platform Inspection

Before each shift, the operator should always inspect the aerial platform. Be sure to check the following:

-Hydraulic fluid level
-Tires
-Horn and alarms
-Electrical
-Safety equipment
-Steering
-Lights
-Deck controls
-Guardrails, basket
-Scissor, boom
-Brakes
-Fuel level
-Grease fittings
-Hoses, belts and cables
-Deck surfaces
-Ground controls

If your inspection reveals a problem or damage to the aerial platform, do not operate the unit.

Manuals

All aeri orms ld be equipped with Operator's Manuals fety uals. Read the manuals before op rating If anuals are ing, sup or, men t ctu tra c

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