



Fall Protection Equipment Inspection Checklist

Date: _____

Inspector: _____

Equipment Assigned To (optional): _____

Full Body Harness (SN: _____)	Accepted	Rejected	Comments
1 Hardware: Includes D-Rings, buckles, keepers, and back pads. Inspect for damage, distortion, sharp edges, burrs, cracks, and corrosion.			
2 Webbing: Inspect for cuts, burns, tears, abrasions, frays, excessive soiling and discoloration.			
3 Stitching: Inspect for pulled or cut stitches.			
4 Other:			
Lanyards (SN: _____)	Accepted	Rejected	Comments
1 Hardware: Includes snaphooks, carabineers, adjusters, keepers, thimbles, and D-rings. Inspect for damage, distortion, sharp edges, burrs, cracks, corrosion and proper operation.			
2 Webbing: Inspect for cuts, burns, tears, abrasions, frays, excessive soiling and discoloration.			
3 Stitching: Inspect for pulled or cut stitches.			
4 Synthetic Rope: Inspect for pulled or cut yarns, burns, abrasions, knots, excessive soiling and discoloration.			
5 Energy Absorbing Component: Inspect for elongation, tears and excessive soiling.			
6 Labels: Ensure all labels are securely held in place and are legible.			
Snaphooks (SN: _____)	Accepted	Rejected	Comments
1 Physical Damage: Inspect for cracks, sharp edges, burrs, deformities and locking operations.			
2 Excessive Corrosion: Inspect for corrosion, which affects the operation and/or the strength.			



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Snaphooks (SN:)	Accepted	Rejected	Comments
3 Markings: Inspect and make certain marking(s) are legible.			
4 Other:			
Retractable (SN:)	Accepted	Rejected	Comments
1 Impact Indicator: Inspect indicator for activation (rupture of red stitching, elongated indicator, etc.).			
2 Screws/Fasteners: Inspect for damage and make certain all screws and fasteners are tight.			
3 Housing: Inspect for distortion, cracks and other damage. Inspect anchoring loop for distortion or damage.			
4 Lanyard/Lifeline: Inspect for cuts, burns, tears, abrasion, frays, excessive soiling and discoloration. (See impact indicator section.)			
5 Locking Action: Inspect for proper lock-up of brake mechanism.			
6 Retraction/Extension: Inspect spring tension by pulling lanyard out fully and allowing to retract fully (lifeline must be taut with no slack).			
7 Hooks/Carabineers: Inspect for physical damage, corrosion, proper orientation and markings.			
8 Labels: Inspect, making certain all labels are securely held in place and are legible.			
Overall Disposition:	Accepted	Rejected	Comments
Grade the overall condition of all fall protection equipment.			