

Public Service Announcements

Hearing – 15 seconds

Did you know that a tractor idling, barn cleaners, conveyers and grain elevators are all considered in the decibel danger zone? Practice proper hearing safety during Farm Bureau's Ag Safety Awareness Program Week – March 4th through 10th – and throughout the year.

National Ag Safety Database

<http://bit.ly/NASDHearingProtection>

Respiratory – 15 seconds

While farming is often associated with fresh air of the outdoors, there is an array of respiratory hazards in this line of work. No one can replace you. Learn more today about identifying and reducing respiratory risks in your work areas on the farm.

Penn State Extension – Agricultural Safety and Health

<http://bit.ly/PSUFarmRespHazards>

Impaired Driving – 15 seconds

Did you know that rollovers account for a large majority of tractor fatalities? There are two types of rollovers: a rearward rollover and a sideways rollover. Review equipment safety and handling procedures on your farm or ranch to help prevent accidents.

Show Me Farm Safety – Prevent Rollovers

<http://bit.ly/ShowMeFarmSafety>

Impaired Driving – 15 seconds

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, farming and ranching is one of the top 10 most dangerous professions in the country. Most accidents occur due to equipment mishandling, a preventable mistake. Learn about equipment safety during Farm Bureau's Ag Safety Awareness Program Week.

Missouri Farmer Today and Bureau of Labor

<http://bit.ly/MOFarmerToday>

Fire – 30 seconds

According to the U.S. Fire Administration, on average, 20,000 agricultural-related fires cause 102 million dollars in direct property losses and result in 25 fatalities each year. More than half of agricultural fires involve brush or grass, while about one-third are equipment fires that involve vehicles, processing equipment, fixed wiring, heaters and torches. Develop a plan to protect your farm or ranch from fire during Farm Bureau's Ag Safety Awareness Program Week – March 4th through 10th.

Insurance Institute for Business and Home Safety

<http://bit.ly/StepsinReducingRisk>

General Health – 15 seconds

Do employees on your farm or ranch know where to seek healthcare? Do you know safety precautions for working in agriculture? Protect your farm and those working on it by visiting Osha.gov during Farm Bureau's Ag Safety Awareness Program Week, March 4th through 10th.

United States Department of Labor – Agricultural Operations

<http://bit.ly/OSHAHealth>