

# U.S. Department of Labor

## Mine Safety and Health Administration



MSHA's Small Mine Office—Serving the small mines in America

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# Week 12

Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Duration: \_\_\_\_\_

### 1) Compressed Airlines

- Always “bleed” air from cylinders and tanks before beginning repairs
- Never place your finger over a small hole in an airline. The pressure could puncture your skin
- Do not direct compressed air at yourself or another person
- Use safety lashing at connection between hose and tool and at all connections

### 2) Clothing

- Do not wear loose or torn clothing that could become entangled in moving machinery
- Wear the proper Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) when cutting or welding
- Keep clothing free of oil and grease when cutting or welding
- Wear leg straps to secure pant cuffs

### 3) Personal Protective Equipment - Hearing

- Use earplugs or other appropriate hearing protection in designated areas
- Know how to insert earplugs to gain the maximum benefit – one size does not fit all
- Keep earplugs or hearing protecting clean to prevent an ear infection – do not reuse disposable earplugs

Attendees:

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Employees Comments: