

## PINCH POINTS

Pinch points can be a common injury in the tyre maintenance field. By completing a Personal Risk Assessment (Take 5, 60 Secs for Safety etc.) or a Job Hazard Assessment (JHA), prior to performing the task that identifies all the pinch points and their location will ensure people are aware of the potential injury.

A list of tips is provided below to help minimize the risk of potential injury.



### *Tips to help prevent injury;*

1. Consider pinch points within task planning, JHAs, and formal risk assessments.
2. Share your pinch point lessons from your observations with fellow employees & supervisory personnel.
3. Consider what life would be like without a finger, or even without a hand.
4. Identify pinch points within your workplace and discuss/document in your safety meetings.
5. Ensure that pinch points are clearly highlighted with paint or stickers to warn users of the risk.
6. Include pinch points in your procedures.
7. Do not place body parts or clothing near identified pinch points.
8. Identify and implement correct PPE to protect yourself against pinch points.

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