

Central States Center for Agricultural Safety and Health

Generational Safety: Young and Beginning Farmers on the Farm Tips for Their Health and Safety



Who's at Risk on the Farm? Young and Beginning Farmers

- Agriculture continues to be one of the most dangerous occupations in the United States
- Due to a lack of farming experience, farmers and ranchers who have been farming for less than 10 years are at a greater risk for injury
- Transportation incidents, including tractors and ATVs, cause the most fatalities on farms
- Common hazards in farming include respiratory hazards, noise, and chemical hazards
- There are many training and educational resources available for young and beginning farmers
- Creating a safety plan and completing health and safety checklists are good ways to maintain a safe work environment

Prevention Tips



Create a farm safety plan



Wear personal protective equipment



Educate yourself on farm safety

Check out the back of the flyer for more resources!



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More Resources

Scan QR codes using your smart phone's camera to access the links.

HEALTH & SAFETY CHECKLIST



You are in your work environment day in and day out. This makes it difficult to see hazards. Please use this checklist to identify hazards and address them with practical solutions.

https://nasdonline.org/static_content/documents/7060/d002348.pdf



The Young Farmers and Ranchers program is comprised of men and women ages 18-35 who are looking to develop their leadership skills while also meeting and networking with their peers.

<https://www.nefb.org/yfr/>



The National Ag Safety Database offers many resources for child farm safety.

[NASOnline.org](https://nasdonline.org)



The Central States Center for Agricultural Safety and Health (CS-CASH) website offers information about farm and ranch safety.

www.unmc.edu/publichealth/cscash



Cultivate Safety provides easy access to agricultural safety resources.

<https://cultivatesafety.org>

