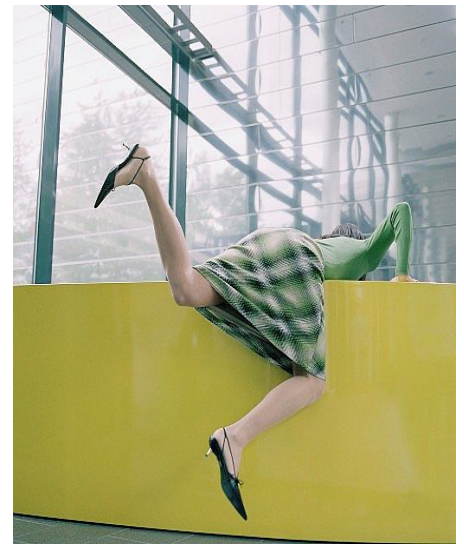


12 MONTHS OF SAFETY & WELLNESS

NOVEMBER: SLIPS, TRIPS & FALLS

Slips, trips & falls account for more than 1,000,000 injuries & 16,000 deaths in the U.S. each year.

- **Slip Hazards:** rainy season, wet or oily surfaces, improper footwear, spills on floors, items dropped on floor, etc.
- **Trips Hazards:** items stored on floor, unsecured electrical cords, open drawers, uneven walking surfaces, etc.
- **Fall Hazards:** improper use of ladders, working too close to open edges, using unsafe devices to reach high areas, etc.



Be Aware – Take Your Time – Take Precautions:

- Wear firm supporting, closed-toed, slip-resistant footwear
- Remove obstacles from walkways & aisles
- Secure rugs, mats, cords & other tripping hazards
- Clean spills immediately & display wet-floor warning signs
- Ensure that you can see over loads that you carry
- SOS Reps: post this flyer & complete the Slips, Trips & Falls section of your [Hazard Assessment & Corrections Tool](#)

