

When Pedestrians Share the Work Area with Forklifts, Everybody Needs to...

Be Alert

- Know what people, vehicles, and activities are around you.
- Make sure others are aware of your presence and movements.
- Make sure forklift loads are within the vehicle's capacity.

Follow Sensible Safety Practices

- Operate a forklift only if you're specially trained and authorized.
- Don't fool around on or around forklifts.
- Don't permit or indulge in unauthorized rides on a forklift, including riding on the forks.
- Don't smoke in a forklift refueling or battery charging area.



Obey Traffic Rules

- *Forklift operators:*
 - Obey speed limits.
 - Keep alert to pedestrians walking or working in the area.
 - Use horns or other signals to let people know where you are and what you're doing.
 - Yield right of way to pedestrians.
- *Pedestrians:*
 - Stay in pedestrian walkways whenever possible.
 - Look both ways before crossing aisles.
 - Obey traffic signs.
 - Heed forklift horns or other warning signals.

