

2020



# State of safety

As a **NEW YEAR** begins, here is some data to help paint a picture of the current safety landscape.



THE THREE INDUSTRIES WITH THE MOST WORK-RELATED DEATHS CONTINUE TO BE :

CONSTRUCTION

TRANSPORTATION AND WAREHOUSING

AGRICULTURE

**FALL PROTECTION – GENERAL REQUIREMENTS (1926.501)** was OSHA's most-cited standard in fiscal year 2019, with **7,014 VIOLATIONS.**

## TOP 10 "Serious" Violations, Fiscal Year 2019

	STANDARD	TOTAL VIOLATIONS
1	Fall Protection (1926.501)	5,677
2	Scaffolding (1926.451)	2,939
3	Hazard Communication (1910.1200)	2,754
4	Ladders (1926.1053)	2,463
5	Lockout/Tagout (1910.147)	2,415
6	Respiratory Protection (1910.134)	1,902
7	Machine Guarding (1910.212)	1,737
8	Powered Industrial Trucks (1910.178)	1,593
9	Fall Protection – Training Requirements (1926.503)	1,584
10	Personal Protective and Life Saving Equipment – Eye and Face Protection (1926.102)	1,449

OSHA defines a "serious" violation as "one in which there is a substantial probability that death or serious physical harm could result, and the employer knew or should have known of the hazard."

THE LARGEST PENALTY OSHA issued to an employer in FY 2019 was nearly **\$1.8 MILLION.**



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The National Safety Council estimates that **work-related injuries and deaths** annually cost society **\$164.6 BILLION.**



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