

Stairways & Ladders

Use this list to help ensure that your subcontractor's safety program is effective

Stairway Requirements & Ladder Safety



Stairways

- ❖ Handrails required for three or more steps
- ❖ Provide a 20" landing beyond the swing of doors
- ❖ Full width and depth on steps including temporary steps
- ❖ Uniform rise and run on stairs



Ladders

- ❖ Proper selection (Height, Type and Capacity)
- ❖ Proper Set-up
- ❖ No Standing on Top Plates (step ladders)
- ❖ 3 foot extension for accessing higher levels (Extension Ladders)
- ❖ Tie off ladders when practical to prevent movement