

Top 25 standards violated Oregon OSHA inspections, all industries, 2006

Rank	Standard violated	Subject	Total violations	Serious	Panaat	\A/;11f1	Othor	Total initial penalties	Serious	Repeat	Willful	Other
1	437-3-1501	General fall protection requirements	425	338	Repeat 86	0	1	\$633,035	\$128,370	\$504,500	\$0	\$165
2	437-1-765(2)(a)	Safety committee - 11+ employees	293	8	6	0	279	\$110,040	\$2,665	\$5,300	\$0	\$102,075
3	1910.1200(e)(1)	Written hazard communication program	290	44	2	0	244	\$17,745	\$17,345	\$400	\$0	\$0
4	1910.132(d)(2)	Written certification of hazard assessment	204	2	0	0	202	\$595	\$595	\$0	\$0	\$0
5	1910.215(b)(9)	Abrasive wheel exposure adjustment	131	103	0	0	28	\$19,605	\$19,335	\$0	\$0	\$270
6	437-1-760(1)(a)	Safe operation of equipment training	131	108	16	0	7	\$141,540	\$101,540	\$40,000	\$0	\$0
7	1910.305(b)(2)	Junction box covers	117	17	1	0	99	\$3,200	\$3,000	\$200	\$0	\$0
8	437-1-765(6)(a)(b)	Regular safety committee meetings	114	4	1	0	109	\$1,270	\$720	\$200	\$0	\$350
9	437-1-765(6)(b)(a)	Safety committee meeting - minutes	113	1	1	0	111	\$1,450	\$1,250	\$200	\$0	\$0
10	437-3-503(2)(a)	Written certification of fall protection training	111	13	1	0	97	\$2,780	\$2,580	\$200	\$0	\$0
11	437-3-1501(2)	Fall protection requirements - wall openings	109	92	17	0	0	\$46,665	\$19,565	\$27,100	\$0	\$0
12	1910.157(e)(3)	Portable fire extinguishers checked	106	2	1	0	103	\$920	\$450	\$200	\$0	\$270
13	1910.212(a)(1)	Machine guarding	102	94	0	0	8	\$28,485	\$28,485	\$0	\$0	\$0
14	1910.305(b)(1)	Conductors entering boxes, fittings	90	43	0	0	47	\$8,885	\$8,535	\$0	\$0	\$350
15	1910.242(b)	Use of compressed air for cleaning	87	56	3	0	28	\$11,890	\$9,925	\$1,800	\$0	\$165
16	1910.132(f)(4)	Certify personal protective equipment training	78	1	0	0	77	\$195	\$195	\$0	\$0	\$0
17	1910.303(g)(1)(ii)	Clear space around electrical equipment	77	4	0	0	73	\$595	\$595	\$0	\$0	\$0
18	1910.134(c)(1)	Written respiratory protection program	74	33	1	0	40	\$6,950	\$6,750	\$200	\$0	\$0
19	437-3-1501(3)	Fall protection requirements - floors, balconies	73	67	4	0	2	\$30,035	\$15,335	\$14,700	\$0	\$0
20	437-1-765(6)(d)(a)(i)	Procedures for inspection by safety committee	72	1	0	0	71	\$450	\$450	\$0	\$0	\$0
21	1926.1053(b)(1)	Portable ladder 3 feet above surface	69	62	2	0	5	\$13,915	\$12,315	\$1,600	\$0	\$0
22	437-2-042(1)(b)	Emergency action plan - written and posted	68	7	0	0	61	\$1,455	\$1,455	\$0	\$0	\$0
23	1910.23(c)(1)	Guarding open-sided floors, platforms	67	53	0	0	14	\$13,045	\$13,045	\$0	\$0	\$0
24	437-1-765(7)(c)(b)	Effective safety committee investigations based on type	67	0	0	0	67	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
25	437-1-700(21)(c)	Reporting requirements - overnight hospitalization	66	0	0	0	66	\$75,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$75,000

Note: Standards selected were cited during inspections opened in calendar year 2006. Source: Information Management Division, Research & Analysis Section, Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services, September 2007.

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