

CHPRC SCAFFOLD CHECKLIST – USER

Use scaffolds only for their intended purpose.

Do not use unstable objects or makeshift devices to increase the working height of the scaffold.

Do not straddle, stand on, or work outside of the guardrail. Avoid leaning over or extending the upper body beyond the guard railing in attempts to achieve additional reach to access the work source or area.

Use mobile scaffolds on firm, level surface. Lock the casters or wheels before using.

Do not "ride" on a scaffold while it is being moved unless special controls are implemented, per procedure.

Remove or secure any tools or materials before moving or relocating a scaffold.

Use designed access means to descend or ascend a scaffold (stairs, attached ladder or specially designed end frames). Do not use cross bracing or side rails.

Keep only the tools and materials on the platform that are necessary to perform the task. Control all slipping and tripping hazards by removing or securing the tools/materials.

Use fall protection systems (guardrail systems or personal fall arrest systems) when working six feet or more above a lower level.

Work from tagged scaffolds that have a GREEN or YELLOW status tag affixed, complying with any special conditions/controls identified on the tag. Do not attempt to modify or remove a scaffold system component or status tag. Notify supervision immediately if a scaffold is damaged, weakened or otherwise deficient.

Do not position yourself or use tools/equipment where there is a possibility of contacting an energized overhead line. Contact Electrical Utilities Operations (EUO) for additional requirements if any portion on your body, tools, or materials will come within 20 feet of the energized line.