



# Youth Fatal Facts

## Don't Let This Happen to You!

Like everyone who works, teen workers are at risk of serious or fatal workplace injuries. The Michigan teen workers below were killed from work-related injuries.

### Airport

- An 18-year-old male was run over by a luggage tug after releasing it

### Car Wash

- An 18-year-old male was entangled in a revolving brush

### Construction

- A 19 year-old male was struck by a concrete slab he was helping move
- A 19-year-old male was crushed by a steel girder being lifted by a crane
- An 18-year-old male was buried by an excavation cave-in
- A 19-year-old male was electrocuted when a crane boom struck electric lines
- A 19-year-old male fell through a skylight to the ground 27 feet below

### Resort

- A 19-year-old male was pinned under a lawnmower that overturned

### Restaurant

- A 16-year old male was shot during a robbery at a pizza shop

### Scrap Yard

- A 16-year old male was pinned under a vehicle while removing parts

### Follow these Safety Tips to Protect Yourself

- Follow safety rules and instructions
- Use safety equipment and protective clothing when needed
- Leave safe guards in place
- Keep work areas clean and neat
- Know what to do in an emergency
- Look out for co-workers
- Report safety and health hazards to your supervisor
- Ask questions when you're not sure how to perform the job safely



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