MIOSHA RESIDENTIAL INSPECTION CHECKLIST

Site Location:				
Project Name:	Site Foreman:			
Date of Inspection:	Work Activity:			
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FALL PROTECTION		Yes	No	N/A
Is fall protection in place or used when working at heights of 6' or more? (i.e., Guardrails, Midrails, Safety Nets, Personal Fall Arrest System) *A Personal Fall Arrest System is composed of a safety harness, lanyard, and appropriate anchor point.				
Is a written Fall Protection Plan in use? Is it site-specific? Does it document why it is infeasible or creates a greater hazard to use conventional fall protection?				
Are employees trained how to recognize fall hazards; install fall protection, (i.e., guardrails); and properly use a Personal Fall Arrest System? Is this training documented?				
Are holes and other openings, such as stairway openings, properly covered? (i.e., covers are securely fastened, support 2x the intended load, marked "hole" or "cover")				
SCAFFOLDING		Yes	No	N/A
Are guardrails in place on scaffold platforms at heights of 10' or more?				
Are baseplates and adequate mudsills in place?				
Is the scaffold designed by a competent person to meet the design requirements for supporting 4 times the maximum intended load?				
Has the scaffold been inspected for defective and missing components? (i.e., damaged planking, bent bracing, not fully planked)				
Does the Rough Terrain Fork Lift Truck Scaffold meet the design requirements? (i.e., toeboard, guardrail, anchorage point to attach lanyard, platform secured to the forks)				
Is a Personal Fall Arrest System being used while working on a Ladder Jack Scaffold?				
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LADDERS		Yes	No	N/A
Do extension ladders extend 3' above the landing area? Are they tied off or secured?				
Are all ladders Type 1 or Type 1A? (Type II or Type III ladders are not allowed.)				
Are ladders set up on solid footing and free of trip hazards at the base and top?				
Are step ladders fully opened with the spreaders locked?				
Are ladders in good condition with no defects/damage? (i.e., broken rungs or split side rails)				
Are ladders, ramps or steps provided at elevation changes of 19" or more?				
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TOOLS		Yes	No	N/A
Are guards in place on table saws, portable electric saws, grinders	, compressors, etc.?	_		
Are damaged tools tagged or removed from service?				

ELECTRICAL	Yes	No	N/A
Are all electrical tools protected by a functioning GFCI receptacle, GFCI circuit or GFCI adapter?			
Are extension cords and trailing cords in good condition and free from damage, wear, missing ground prongs, etc.?			
Are energized electrical parts protected from accidental contact? (i.e., electrical panel covers are in place, receptacles are secured an approved junction box, temporary wiring is secured at ceiling level, ends of wires are capped or taped)			
Are power lines clearances being maintained at a minimum of 10' from tools and equipment?			
PPE	Yes	No	N/A
Are hard hats worn where risk of being struck by falling/flying objects or from contacting an object?	res	NO	N/A
Are safety glasses worn during cutting/sawing/nailing or other operations having a risk of flying particles or objects? *Both a hard hat <u>AND</u> safety glasses are required when operating a nail gun or when working in the vicinity of a nail gun.			
Is footwear adequate for site conditions and work activities? (i.e., safety boots)			
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SITE CONDITIONS	Yes	No	N/A
Is there safe access and egress for employees to access the site and structure? Are ground conditions adequate to support equipment? (i.e., cranes and aerial lifts)			
Is the excavation around the foundation properly sloped or shored to prevent collapse?			
Is housekeeping being maintained for the site?			
Are toilets and drinking water available for employees?			
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ADMINISTRATIVE	Yes	No	N/A
Has an Accident Prevention Program been developed, maintained, and coordinated with employees? Is it available at the work site?			
Is there an employee trained in basic first aid and a first aid kit available at the work site?			
Are emergency procedures in place in the event of an incident?			



Disclaimer:

This list is meant to be used as a tool to assist employers with the inspection of their worksites to identify potential hazards that may be present. This checklist will not identify all hazards or items present at your worksite and additional inspection checklists, tools, or aids will be necessary to properly inspect your site. Remember that it is an employer's obligation to provide to their employees' employment and a place of employment that is free from recognized hazards which can cause death or serious physical harm. For additional assistance contact MIOSHA's Consultation, Education, and Training Division at 517-284-7720. (MIOSHA/CET #0181)