Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Inspection Checklist

Date:		**Inspector:**	
Location/Area:		**Department:**	
Inspection Type:		**Hazard Assessment Date:**	

Part 1: Eye and Face Protection

#	Inspection Item	OK	Fail
1	Lenses — No cracks, chips, scratches, or pitting; correct shade/tint; seated securely in frame		
2	Frame and Temples — No cracks, bending, or distortion; proper tension and fit; side shields present if required		
3	Straps/Headband — Elastic, adjustable, no fraying; face shield ratchet functional; secure fit		
4	Ventilation — Goggle vents not blocked; indirect vents intact for splash protection		
5	Markings — ANSI Z87.1 marking visible on lens and frame; impact rating (Z87+) present if required		

Part 2: Head Protection

#	Inspection Item	OK	Fail
1	Shell — No cracks, dents, gouges, or penetration; no chalking/brittleness from UV; no unauthorized modifications		
2	Suspension System — All attachments connected; headband adjustable; crown straps intact; proper standoff distance		
3	Brim and Peak — No cracks or chips; no warping or deformation		
4	Electrical Rating — Class E or G appropriate for exposure; no conductive materials added		
5	Markings and Age — ANSI Z89.1 marking visible; type and class legible; within manufacturer service life (typically 2–5 years)		

Part 3: Hand Protection

#	Inspection Item	OK	Fail
1	Physical Condition — No holes, tears, punctures, or thinning; seams intact; no excessive wear		
2	Chemical Resistance — No swelling, stiffening, softening, or discoloration from chemical exposure		
3	Cut Resistance — ANSI/ISEA 105 cut level appropriate; no cuts or nicks; coating intact		
4	Flexibility and Fit — Maintains dexterity; proper size; cuff length adequate		

5	Insulation (if applicable) — Thermal/electrical insulation intact; electrical gloves tested per schedule		

Part 4: Foot Protection

#	Inspection Item	OK	Fail
1	Safety Toe — Toe cap not exposed, dented, or cracked; upper material intact over cap		
2	Soles — Adequate tread depth; no separation from upper; puncture-resistant plate intact if applicable		
3	Upper and Closures — No holes, tears, or excessive wear; laces/buckles/zippers functional		
4	Electrical Hazard Rating — EH-rated: sole and heel intact; no conductive modifications		
5	Markings — ASTM F2413 compliance marking visible; protection ratings appropriate for hazards		

Part 5: High-Visibility and Body Protection

#	Inspection Item	OK	Fail	N/A
1	High-Visibility Garment — ANSI/ISEA 107 class appropriate; retroreflective strips intact; fluorescent material not faded			
2	Protective Clothing — Chemical suits/FR clothing: no holes, tears, or contamination; seams sealed; closures functional			
3	Hearing Protection — Earplugs: no hardening or cracking; earmuffs: cushions pliable, headband pressure adequate, NRR rating appropriate			

Deficiencies Found

#	Description	Corrective Action	Assigned To	Date Fixed
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WARNING: Defective or damaged PPE shall not be used per 29 CFR 1910.132(e). Remove from service and replace immediately. Do not attempt to repair PPE unless authorized by the manufacturer.

Inspector: _____ **Date:** _____

Safety Manager: _____ **Date:** _____

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