Employers must provide effective fall protection for workers who are working at 6 feet or higher by providing either:

- Personal Fall Arrest Systems (PFAS)
- Safety Net Systems
- Guardrail Systems

Fall protection training programs must be provided to workers who might be exposed to fall hazards.

About 70% of workers in residential roofing, siding, and sheet metal construction did not have access to PFAS.

More than 1/2 of workers who suffered a fatal fall did not have access to PFAS.


To learn more, click on: https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/face/ and check out the Construction FACE database to learn about which factors led to these fatal injuries https://cpwr.com/research/construction-face-database.