



WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT SAFETY?

Are you truly aware of the dangers of operating machinery? Are you on guard? Take this machine guarding quiz to determine how much you know about safety.

1. What is the purpose of a machine guard?
 - a) To slow production
 - b) To inhibit workers' movements
 - c) To prevent accidental injuries
 - d) To add features to the machine

2. If you notice that a machine needs to be repaired, who is typically allowed to remove the machine guarding to get it fixed?
 - a) The employee that notices the defect and potential need for repair
 - b) A supervisor or designated staff member
 - c) Anyone employed by the company
 - d) Select members of the machine's manufacturer only

3. If you notice that a machine guard has been removed, you can still go ahead and use the machine because someone must have taken it off for a good reason.
 - a) True
 - b) False

4. Explain the functionality of the machine guards on three of the machines at your job.

5. List the potential dangers associated with not having a machine guard on the three machines you described in question number 4.