

FIRE SAFETY MEETING TALKING POINTS

Be sure to customize this conversation to meet your business's needs.

Ignite safety – not flames – at your business by sharing the fire safety talking points below with your employees and having them view a brief video focused on the major fire hazards threatening organization's like yours.

1. Every employee plays a role in preventing workplace fires—not only because we don't want anyone injured, but also because 40% percent of businesses do not reopen after a fire or other disaster.¹ This means all of our jobs could be at risk should a truly devastating fire occur.
2. Preventing fires begins with identifying hazards in our workspace. In a minute we'll watch a video highlighting some of these hazards, including: extension cords and power strips, flammable liquids, combustible materials, and heat-producing equipment and appliances. Right now, can anyone think of any materials or equipment at our facility that could start a fire?
3. Fire prevention is a daily task. We're taking time to discuss fire safety today because it's National Fire Prevention Week, but preventing fire is a year-round activity. If you see a potential fire hazard, notify your supervisor or manager.
4. *Watch a short video about fire hazards your employees may encounter at work and then discuss your key takeaways.*
5. Thank you for doing your part. If you have any questions or concerns related to preventing fires at our business, please feel free to reach out to me.

Employee Training Video (3 min.)

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1. Insurance Information Institute. FEMA Information. www.iii.org/article/when-disaster-strikes-preparation-response-and-recovery. Accessed July 8, 2021.

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