



Mobile Crane Inspections

Demonstration

Inspections

Develop an inspection checklist for the competent person to use when performing the inspection required in 29 CFR 1910.180(d)(2). Develop the inspection checklist for the type of mock inspection to be performed. Include between 10 and 15 items listed in the inspection requirements. This checklist should provide trainees with an overview of the inspection procedures and knowledge on the possible problem areas.

As part of the training session, have the employees inspect the crane for the items listed on the checklist. After the trainees have completed the mock inspection, discuss the items they found. Ask them what the appropriate procedures are for correcting these items. Also, include in the discussion any safety procedures that are necessary.

Objectives: Since inspections play a major part in the safe operation of cranes, a mock inspection provides experience in performing an inspection.

Works Well With: Works well with small groups of trainees.

Preparation Time: About an hour to prepare the inspection checklist.

Materials Required: Mobile crane inspection checklists.

