SSC Construction Inspection Safety findings

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Construction Safety Findings: 30 October - 05 November 2009

Findings Total: 1 Serious Findings: 0 Less than Serious Findings: 1

- Other: 1
 - An employee was working in a visible cloud of dust that was generated from cleaning out freshly drilled holes in a concrete slab. The employee took no measures to protect against the health hazards associated with silica dust.
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Mishaps / Close Calls:

Mishap: 3

- A worker received a strained back while moving a spider-lift. The worker received restricted duty.
- A worker received a strained shoulder while wrecking concrete forms. The worker received restricted duty.
- During an excavation activity, a buried waste water line was damaged. The line did not appear to be properly marked.

Construction Safety Findings: 06-12 November 2009

Findings Total: 1 Serious Findings: 0 Less than Serious Findings: 1

Fall Protection: 1

 Employees were working from elevated platforms without required safety equipment to complete a fall rescue, as outlined in the contractor's safety plan.

Mishaps / Close Calls: 1

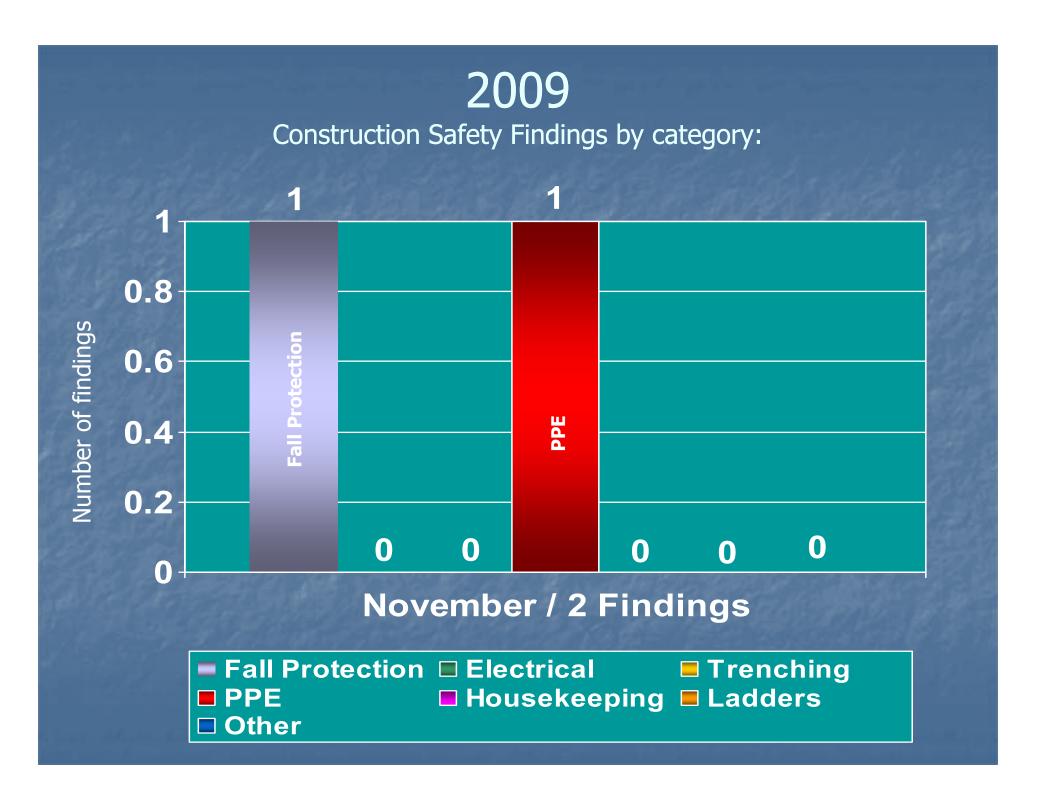
Mishap: 1

 While attempting to clean the jobsite during windy conditions, an employee had a foreign object blow into the left eye. The employee went to the SSC clinic the following day to get the item removed. The employee was prescribed an antibiotic. Construction Safety Findings: 13-31 November 2009

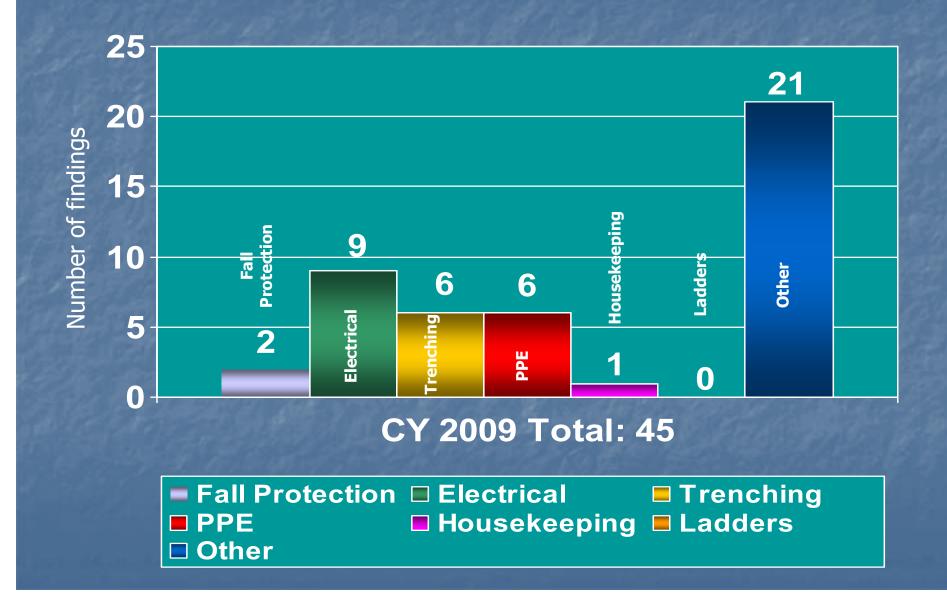
Findings Total: 0
Mishaps / Close Calls: 0

Summary

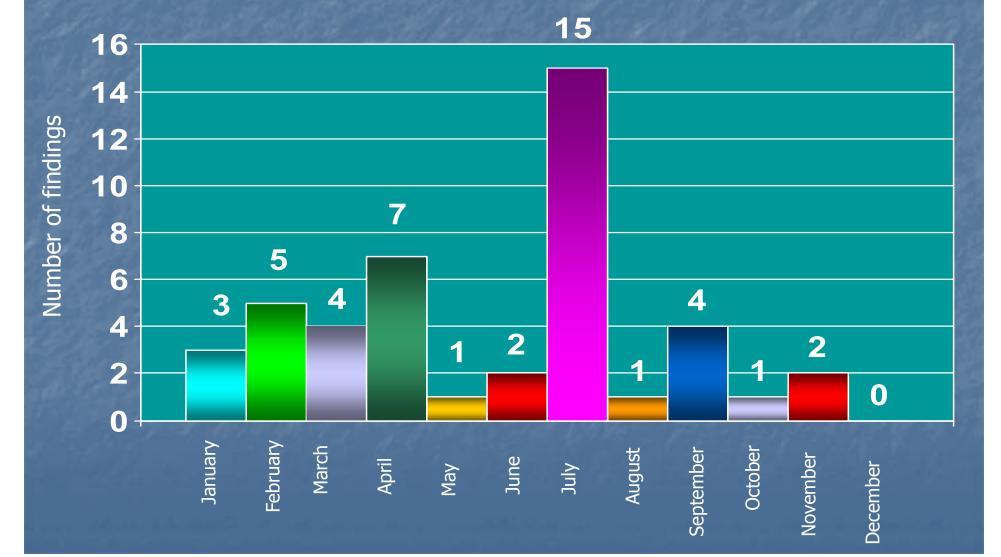
Total Findings: 2
Serious Findings: 0
Less than serious Findings: 2
Close Calls: 0
Mishaps: 4
Injuries: 3



2009 Construction Safety Findings by category:



2009 Total Construction Safety Findings by month Total: 45



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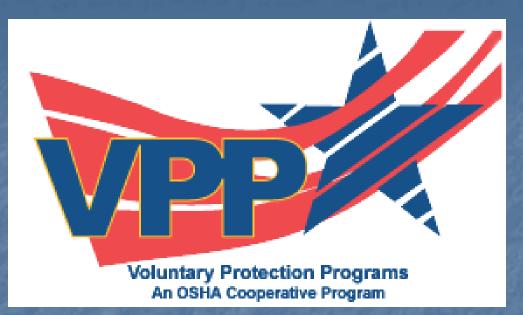
Total Construction Related Mishaps by month



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Total Construction Related **Injuries** by month





The Voluntary Protection Programs (VPP) promote effective worksite-based safety and health.

In the VPP, management, labor, and OSHA establish cooperative relationships at workplaces that have implemented a comprehensive safety and health management system. There are three ways to participate in VPP: Site-based, mobile workforce, and corporate. Approval into VPP is OSHA's official recognition of the outstanding efforts of employers and employees who have achieved exemplary occupational safety and health.

How does this effect me?

Stennis Space Center is striving for VPP Star status because...

Sites with VPP Star status have fewer safety incidents and an overall positive safety culture.

NASA OSMA has required all NASA Centers to achieve VPP star status.

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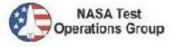
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| PWR | Jan 09 | 9-12 March | Jul 09 |
| AGT | Jan 09 | 13-16 April | Jul 09 |
| CSC | Jan 09 | 1-4 June | Sep 09 |
| FOSC | May 09 | Aug 09 | Dec 09 |
| NTOG | Oct 09 | Jan 10 | Jul 10 |
| NASA | Dec 09 | Mar 10 | Sep 10 |

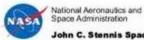


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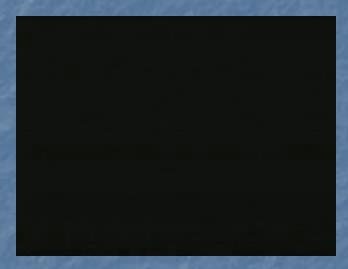


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Cylinder Safety

The following video demonstrates an improper use of cylinders...

Cylinder Safety





True love is a blank OSHA 300 log on December 31st

