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REACHING FOR SAFETY EXCELLENCE

Daily Safety Focus

SCAFFOLDING

As we progress into the later stages of turnaround the environments we have become accustomed to will start changing on a regular basis. It is crucial that we constantly re-assess our work areas as new hazards will be constantly introduced.

We are now in the process of removing scaffolding that is no longer required. Workers must not be complacent & check scaffold tags throughout the day and be mindful of ever-changing conditions. What might have been a green tagged scaffold before break might now have a red tag with a leading edge or open hole. Also be aware of changing flagging and potential tripping hazards as tear downs progress.

Take a moment to ensure your tools and material have been removed from scaffolds you are no longer utilizing to prevent objects you have stored there from becoming a dropped object.

The FLRA process is a valuable tool for identifying changing conditions in the work area, Ensure you stand back and identify the hazards & eliminate or mitigate them before starting work and after breaks.

LEADER'S QUESTION TO WORKERS:
WHAT HAS CHANGED IN YOUR AREA ?