## ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

## **CONSTRUCTION SAFETY**

## INDOOR CONSTRUCTION

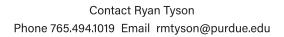


## **Best Practices for Working Indoors**

- Occasionally, contractors or Purdue personnel may need to perform work inside on rather short notice. This could pose hazards which you may not expect.
- Items such as power tools, extension cords or ladders may interfere with normal traffic flow in the office space or hallway.
- Although work personnel are expected to follow all safety measures when performing their task, impacts can still occur.
- **STAY ALERT.** Look for obstacles and do your best to avoid them. If ladders are in use, pay close attention when coming around corners or entering/exiting through doors.
- If trip hazards are present and they can't be reasonably avoided, contact your supervisor or EHS so clean up can be addressed.
- Depending on the work performed, the site will likely change so stay alert to signs, email notifications and stay vigilant to avoid injury.



Administrative Operations





An example of poor housekeeping during a construction project.