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Safe Work Practice

Name of Job: Crushing Operations	Development Date: March 30th, 2011	Developed By: CSNS
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Possible Hazards Present

Contact with machinery	Working in extreme temperatures and UV radiation.	Working with hand tools, powered tools and heavy powered equipment	Risk of eye injury from flying particles.
Respiratory hazards from rock dust.			

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and Devices Recommended

Hearing Protection	Eye Protection	Foot protection	Fall Arrest Equipment
Respirator Equipment	Skin Protection	Hearing Protection	

What are some good general safe work practices?

- **DO** Ensure that all workers are conversant with worksite operations that are part of a crushing operation.
- **DO** ensure that operators are familiar with the lock out system.
- **DO NOT** attempt to rectify any electrical and/or hydraulic problems without first “locking out” the equipment.
- **DO NOT** cross, jump or touch any moving conveyer.
- **DO** ensure the use of ladders and the provided access and exit points from all crushing equipment.
- **DO** ensure that Loader operators maintain good housekeeping practices.

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