

## MOVER

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ASSEMBLING AND DISSEMBLING FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT		
Activity	Hazard Identification	Required Precautions
1. Driving to and from work site.	1. Motor vehicle accident; striking pedestrians, bicyclists, or persons using rollerblades.	1. Wear prescription lenses, if required, and seatbelt. Verify that all equipment on vehicle is secured properly. Stay alert for pedestrians, bicyclists, and persons using rollerblades.
2. Removing or assembling table legs and wheels on equipment using hand tools.	2a. Cuts, scrapes, and pokes.	2a. Keep tools in good condition. Inspect tools before use. Wear safety glasses. Work away from yourself. Use normal caution required for all hand tools.
	2b. Back strain.	2b. Know your weight lifting capacity and get help if needed. Lift using leg muscles. Keep back straight.
3. Using handcart.	3. Object falling off dolly or handcart.	3. Always strap object onto handcart. Place object in center of dolly in a stable position.
4. Loading and unloading objects from handcart.	4a. Object falling off and striking worker; smashing hands; dropping object on foot.	4a. Take your time. Communicate with coworkers. Know your weight lifting limit.
	4b. Back strain.	4b. Know your weight lifting limit and get help if needed. Lift using leg muscles. Keep back straight.
5. Using Johnson bar.	5a. Smashing fingers or toes; loss of fingers or toes.	5a. Inspect condition of object before using Johnson bar. Communicate with coworkers. Make sure the object is secure before putting hands underneath. If possible, use a long board or stick to push blocks underneath object being lifted.
	5b. Object tipping over.	5b. Inspect object before using Johnson bar to determine if weight of object is concentrated on the top or the bottom. Communicate with coworkers.

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6. Using pump-up jack (shop lift).	6a. Chain on jack snapping.	6a. Inspect chain before using jack. Do not exceed weight limit for jack.
	6b. Hydraulic system failure.	6b. Inspect before use. Verify that there are no leaks. Do not exceed weight limit for jack.
	6c. Smashing fingers or feet; loss of fingers or toes.	6c. Communicate with coworkers. Verify that object is securely supported by jack before putting hands underneath. Do not exceed weight limit for jack.
	6d. Object falling off jack.	6d. Make sure you have enough people nearby in case object should start to slip.