

NEAR MISSES

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Test Questions:

1. A near miss may be defined as:
 - A. A minor accident
 - B. An accident that could have happened, but didn't
 - C. An accident that resulted in property damage, but no injuries
 - D. An accident that resulted in injuries, but no property damage

2. Near misses are important because:
 - A. They can cause emotional distress
 - B. They are disruptive
 - C. They can be warning signs of the potential for more serious trouble
 - D. None of the above: near misses are not important

3. When you have a near miss, it's best to:
 - A. Identify the error involved so you will avoid repeating that error in the future
 - B. Ignore the incident because no one was hurt
 - C. Ignore the incident because "lightning never strikes twice in the same place"
 - D. Find someone else to blame

4. To help reduce the number of near misses in your workplace, you can:
 - A. Use near misses as a learning tool
 - B. Follow all safety rules and regulations that apply to your job
 - C. Report all hazardous conditions to your supervisor
 - D. All of the above

5. It's important to report near misses to your supervisor because:
 - A. Near misses make good stories
 - B. The employer can use near misses to identify causes and patterns that could be avoided
 - C. Employers are required to report near misses to OSHA
 - D. None of the above: It is not important to report near misses

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