

SAFETY QUALITY FOCUS

JULY
2023

LET'S GET YOU TAKEN CARE OF[®]

DISTRIBUTION CENTERS

This year, we will be working with you to encourage safety participation from everyone at your location.

ACTION ITEMS

- 1 Complete the DTU training
- 2 Review and share the safety topic with your people
- 3 Leave feedback



INSTRUCTIONS

In the following pages, you will see an AOR icon that corresponds to the section for that AOR. We have set aside actions for the different AORs to complete in this communication.

- 1 Print out this Focus, review the information, and **complete the action items**.
- 2 Each section has action items to help you and your team complete this Safety Focus. **Review each section carefully.**
- 3 Each Safety Leader will need to **complete the DTU training module** for the month. You will be required to complete a course test following the training module.
- 4 Once all the action items are completed, **have a group discussion** about your findings and answer your feedback questions as a team.

FEEDBACK ON THIS MONTH'S TOPIC

All feedback must be submitted through the Safety Feedback Portal.

Safety Leader: You will find the feedback questions at the end of this Safety Focus.

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6 EMPLOYEES suffered heat exhaustion in June

High Heat Environments to be aware of:

- Air Check Lane
- Inventory Racking
- Bays
- Compressor Room

Common factors contributing to these injuries:

- The outside air temperature exceeded **85** degrees
- Injured employees worked all day or no less than **6** hours
- Cooling towels were either not available or not every employee had one
- No one can confirm if the employees were drinking water throughout their shift
- The injured employees did not take breaks



**YOU CAN HELP YOUR PEOPLE STAY SAFE
AND COOL THROUGH THESE SUMMER MONTHS!**

FANS WORKING PROPERLY -



- WATER BREAKS

**COOLER STOCKED WITH -
WATER AND SPORTS
DRINKS**



**- 32 OZ. OF WATER
PER HOUR**

Order if you or your people need any of the following items:

Links on where to order the items from are provided below:

- **Cooling Towels** - [EZGarage](#)
- **Water Bottles** - [DT Promotions](#)
- **Sun Hats** - [Imagine Solutions](#)
- **Gatorade** - [EZGarage](#)



CALL TO ACTION: As a team, come up with a plan to prevent heat illness.

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DTU: Forklift Safety Awareness 2.0

This course will help you recognize general engineering and capacity principles associated with forklift safety; identify factors that lead to forklifts tipping over; distinguish between safe and unsafe forklift operations; describe the differences between driving an automobile and a forklift; identify general loading and unloading principles associated with forklift safety; specify safe refueling and recharging procedures; and list the steps to perform in walk-around and sit-down inspections.

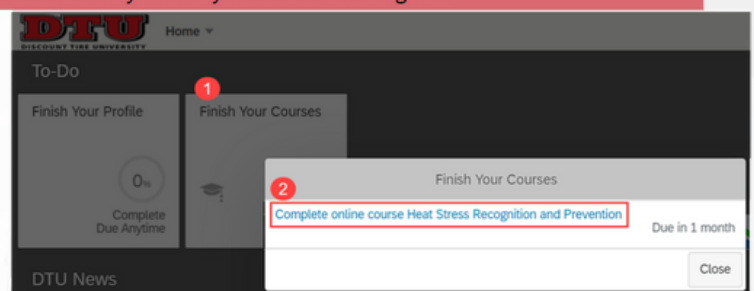


ACCESS TO THE TRAINING MODULES

This month, you will be accessing the course through DTU. Managers and Senior Assistant Managers will both access the course assignments (safety course and acknowledgements) from the **DTU learning system To-Do List**.

Below, you will see an example of how this assignment will look:

1. Log into the DTU learning system using your employee ID and Okta/Windows login. On the homepage, click Finish Your Courses.
2. Click the name of the safety course you have been assigned.



Call to action: Complete the **DTU: Forklift Safety Awareness 2.0** training module and share what you learned with your people.

Contact dtu_learning@discounttire.com for troubleshooting

FEEDBACK ON THIS MONTH'S TOPIC

1. What did you learn from the training module **DTU: Forklift Safety Awareness 2.0**?
2. How will you make sure your people understand the material in its entirety?