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296-874-100 Scope.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07/17/026, (Order 07-15), § 296-874-100, filed 08/07/07, effective 10/06/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-100, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-200 General requirements for scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-200, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20002 Make sure scaffolds are properly designed and constructed.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20002, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20004 Make sure scaffolds are erected, moved, altered, or dismantled by appropriate persons.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20004, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874--20006 Maintain structural integrity when intermixing scaffold components.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20006, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20008 Make sure platforms are properly planked or decked.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20008, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20010 Make sure platforms meet minimum width requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20010, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20012 Meet these requirements when using shorter platforms to create a longer platform.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20012, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20014 Lay platform planks properly when the platform changes direction.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20014, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20016 Stabilize the ends of platforms.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20016, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20018 Keep platform sag within acceptable limits.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20018, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20020 Provide safe access to scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20020, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

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296-874-20022 Make sure portable, hook-on, and attachable ladders meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20022, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20024 Make sure stairway-type ladders meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20024, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20026 Make sure stair towers meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20026, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20028 Make sure stair rails and handrails meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20028, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20030 Make sure ramps and walkways used to access scaffolds meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07/17/026, (Order 07-15), § 296-874-20030, filed 08/07/07, effective 10/06/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20030, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20032 Make sure surfaces used to access scaffolds are close enough to use safely.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20032, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20034 Inspect scaffolds and scaffold equipment.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20034, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20036 Make sure damaged or weakened scaffolds meet minimum strength requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20036, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20038 Make sure scaffolds are properly loaded.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20038, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20040 Protect employees when moving scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20040, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20042 Increase employee working level height on scaffolds safely.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20042, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20044 Control loads being hoisted near scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20044, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20046 Protect employees from energized power lines.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20046, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

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296-874-20048 Protect employees from weather hazards.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20048, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20050 Protect employees from slipping and tripping hazards.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20050, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20052 Provide fall protection for employees on scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07/17/026, (Order 07-15), § 296-874-20052, filed 08/07/07, effective 10/06/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07-03-163 (Order 06-30), § 296-874-20052, filed 01/24/07, effective 04/01/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20052, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20054 Provide fall protection if a scaffold is too far from the work face.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20054, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20056 Provide specific fall protection for specific types of scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07/17/026, (Order 07-15), § 296-874-20056, filed 08/07/07, effective 10/06/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20056, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20058 Make sure personal fall arrest systems meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20058, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20060 Make sure vertical lifelines used with personal fall arrest systems meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20060, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20062 Make sure horizontal lifelines used with personal fall arrest systems meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20062, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20064 Make sure guardrail systems meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20064, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20066 Provide falling object protection.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20066, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20068 Provide additional support lines on suspended scaffolds using a canopy for falling object protection.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20068, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20070 Make sure toeboards meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20070, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

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296-874-20072 Train employees who work on a scaffold.

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296-874-20074 Train employees who erect, dismantle, operate or maintain scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20074, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-20076 Retrain employees when necessary.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-20076, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-300 Suspended scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-300, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30002 Make sure suspended scaffolds and scaffold components meet these strength requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30002, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30004 Make sure suspended scaffold outrigger beams meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30004, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30006 Make sure counterweights are safe and used properly.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30006, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30008 Make sure tiebacks meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30008, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30010 Make sure suspended scaffold support devices meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30010, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30012 Make sure scaffold hoists meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30012, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30014 Make sure scaffold hoists retain enough suspension rope.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30014, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30016 Make sure wire rope is in good condition.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30016, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30018 Make sure wire suspension rope connections meet these requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30018, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30020 Make sure wire rope clips are used properly.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30020, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

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296-874-30022 Prevent swaying of two-point and multipoint suspension scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30022, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30024 Use emergency escape and rescue devices appropriately.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30024, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30026 Protect suspension rope from heat or corrosive substances.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30026, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30028 Take precautions while welding.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30028, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30030 Prohibit use of gasoline-powered equipment on suspended scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30030, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30032 Meet these requirements when using catenary scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30032, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30034 Meet these requirements when using float (ship) scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30034, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30036 Meet these requirements when using interior hung scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30036, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30038 Meet these requirements when using multilevel suspended scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30038, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30040 Meet these requirements when using multipoint adjustable suspension scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30040, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30042 Meet these requirements when using needle beam scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30042, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30044 Meet these requirements when using single-point adjustable suspension scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30044, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-30046 Meet these requirements when using two-point adjustable suspension scaffolds (swing stage).

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-30046, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

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296-874-400 Supported scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-400, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40002 Make sure supported scaffolds and scaffold components meet strength requirements.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40002, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40004 Prevent supported scaffolds from tipping.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07/17/026, (Order 07-15), § 296-874-40004, filed 08/07/07, effective 10/06/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07-03-163 (Order 06-30), § 296-874-40004, filed 01/24/07, effective 04/01/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40004, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40006 Make sure supported scaffolds are properly supported.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07/17/026, (Order 07-15), § 296-874-40006, filed 08/07/07, effective 10/06/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07-03-163 (Order 06-30), § 296-874-40006, filed 01/24/07, effective 04/01/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40006, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40008 Provide safe access for persons erecting or dismantling supported scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40008, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40010 Provide fall protection for persons erecting or dismantling supported scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40010, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40012 Meet these requirements when moving mobile scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40012, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40014 Meet these requirements when using bricklayers' square scaffolds (squares).

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40014, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40018 Meet these requirements when using fabricated frame scaffolds (tubular welded frame scaffolds).

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40018, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40020 Meet these requirements when using integral prefabricated scaffold access frames.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40020, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40022 Meet these requirements when using form scaffolds and carpenter's bracket scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40022, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40024 Meet these requirements when using horse scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40024, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

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296-874-40026 Meet these requirements when using ladder jack scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 06-16-020, (Order 06-10), § 296-874-40026, filed 07/24/06, effective 12/01/06. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40026, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40028 Meet these requirements when using outrigger scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40028, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40030 Meet these requirements when using pole scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40030, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40032 Meet these requirements when using pump jack scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40032, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40034 Meet these requirements when using repair bracket scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40034, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40036 Meet these requirements when using roof bracket scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40036, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40038 Meet these requirements when using step, platform and trestle ladder scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40038, filed 07/24/06, effective 12/01/06. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40038, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40040 Meet these requirements when using tube and coupler scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 07/17/026, (Order 07-15), § 296-874-40040, filed 08/07/07, effective 10/06/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40040, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-40042 Meet these requirements when using window jack scaffolds.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, .040, .050, and .060. 05/01/054, (Order 03-03), § 296-874-40042, filed 12/07/04, effective 03/01/05.]

296-874-500 Definitions.

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