**WAC 296-307-70450 Use the buddy system in danger areas.**

You must:
- Make sure operations and tasks (including limited actions) in danger areas are conducted using the buddy system in teams of two or more.

**Definition:**
Danger areas are areas where conditions pose a serious danger to employees, such as areas where:
- Immediately dangerous to life or health (IDLH) conditions could exist.
  - OR
  - High levels of exposure to toxic substances could exist.
  - OR
  - There is a potential for exceeding the lower explosive limit (LEL), also known as the lower flammability limit (LFL) of a hazardous substance.

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