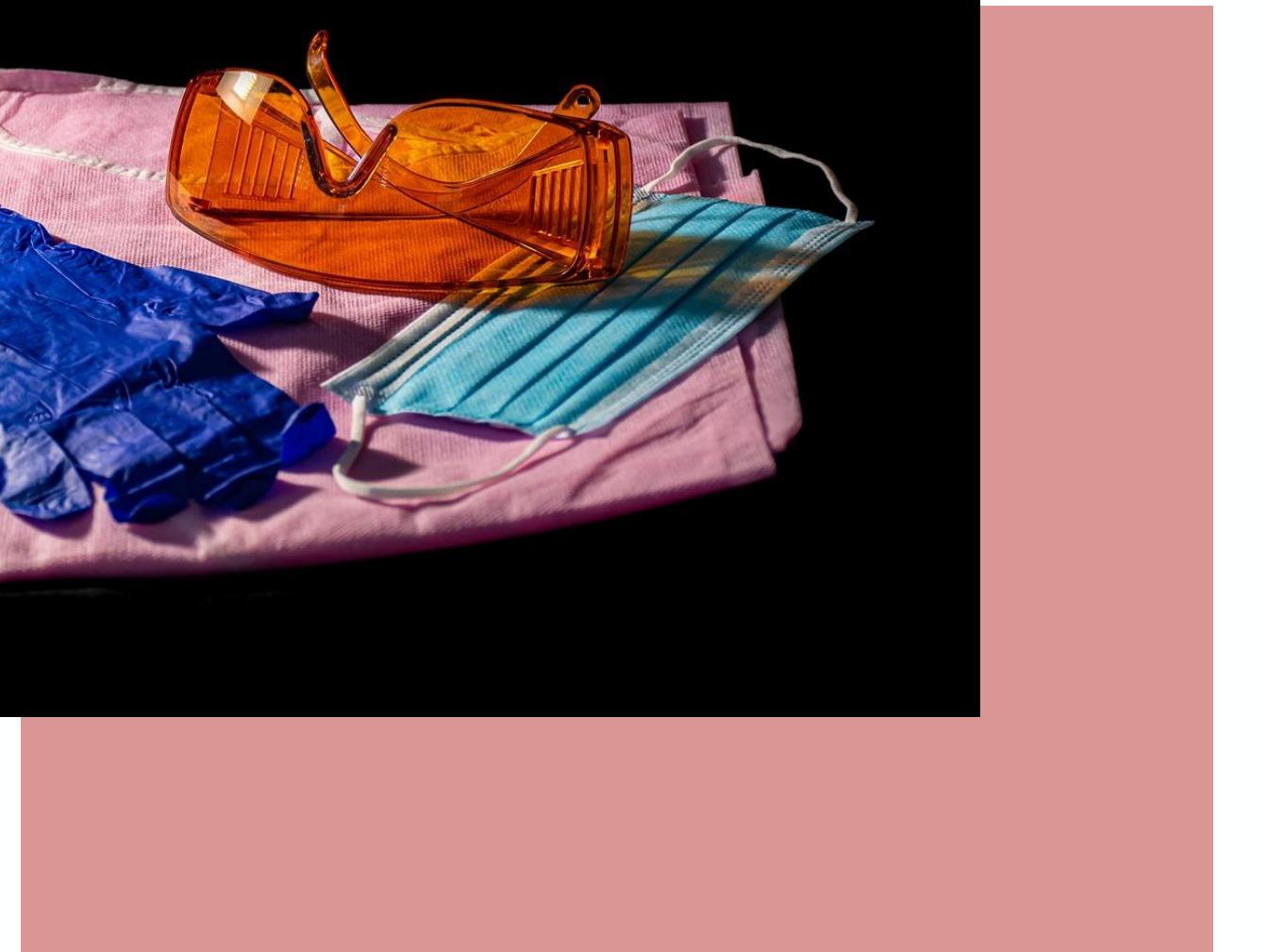


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Personal protective equipment



PPE

equipment worn to minimize exposure to hazards that cause serious workplace injuries and illnesses



Personal protective equipment

- depends on the potential risk of exposure to a hazard



DIFFERENT JOBS AND POTENTIAL RISK



Personal protective equipment

- employers are legally obligated to provide workers with appropriate and free personal protective equipment (PPE) when there is a risk to their health or safety that cannot be controlled by other means



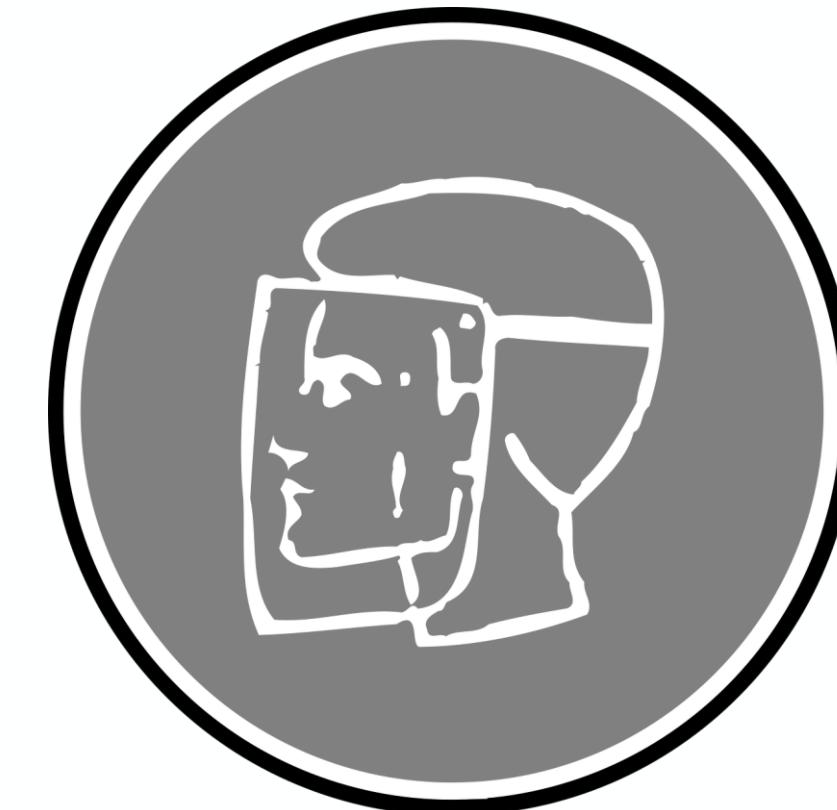
PPE FOR HEAD PROTECTION

- **HARD HATS/PROTECTIVE HELMETS AND BUMP CAP**
- used in environments where there is a risk of being struck by falling objects, bumping your head against fixed objects, or contacting electrical hazards



PPE FOR EYES AND FACE PROTECTION

- **SAFETY GLASSES, GOGGLES AND FACE SHIELDS**
- shield workers from hazards like chemical splashes, flying debris, dust, radiation, and infectious agents



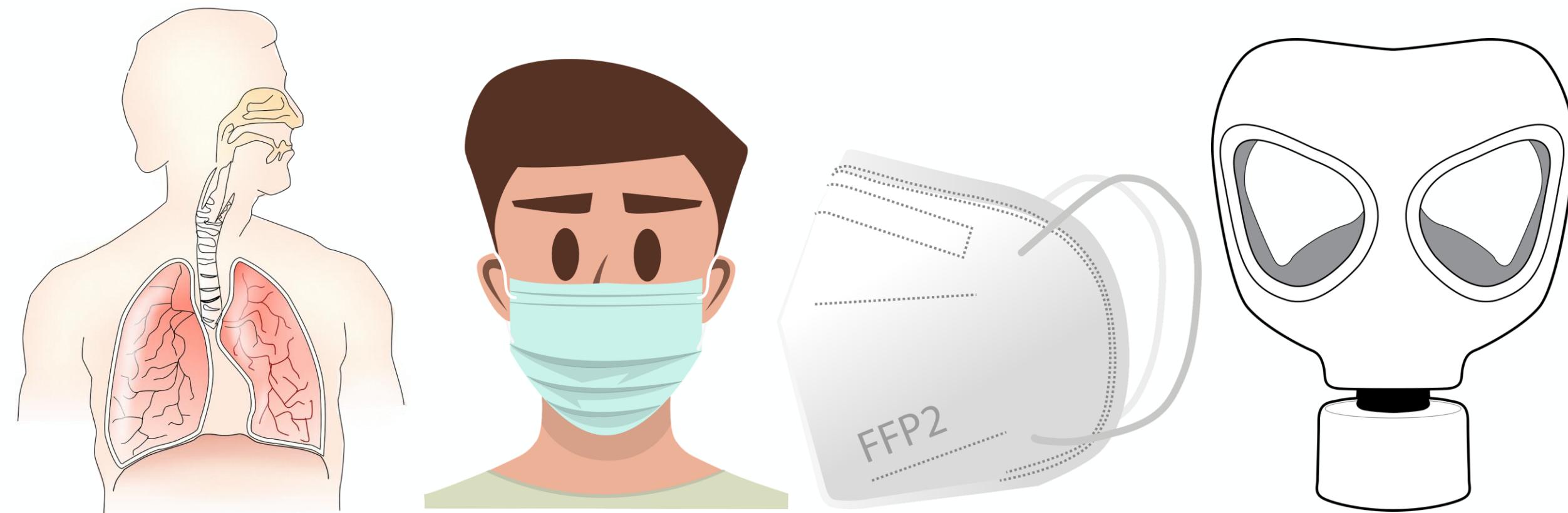
PPE FOR HEARING PROTECTION

- **EARPLUGS AND MUFFS**
- block or reduce the level of harmful noise that enters the ear, thereby preventing noise-induced hearing loss



PPE FOR RESPIRATORY PROTECTION

- **MASKS AND RESPIRATORS**
- to prevent the inhalation of hazardous substances like dust, mist, gas, and fumes



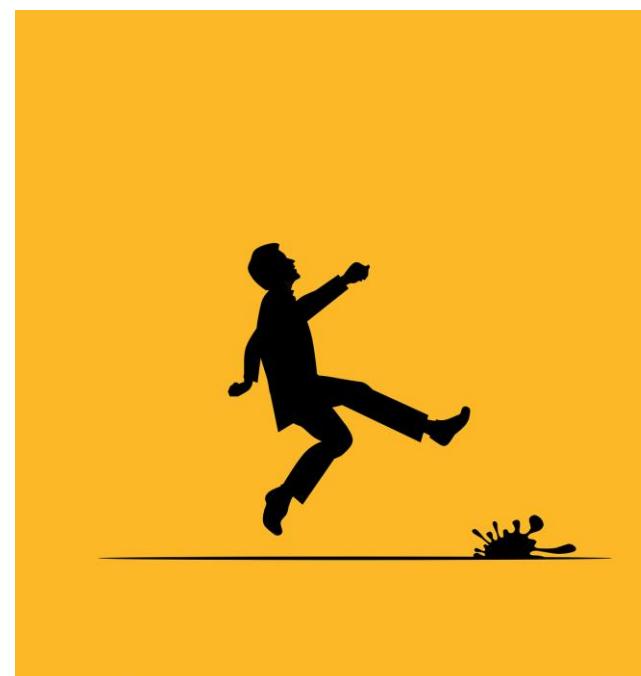
PPE FOR HAND PROTECTION

- **GLOVES AND ARM COVERINGS**
- to shield hands and arms from hazards such as cuts, chemicals, burns, electrical shocks, and punctures



PPE FOR LEG PROTECTION

- **SAFETY SHOES AND BOOTS**
- to guard legs and feet from hazards such as impact, compression, cuts, chemicals, heat, and punctures



PPE FOR BODY PROTECTION

- **COVERALLS AND SUITS**
- to guard the body from a range of workplace hazards, such as chemicals, heat, electrical currents, biohazards, and physical impacts



WORKER'S ROLE



- workers have a responsibility to use the PPE correctly and take reasonable care for their own safety



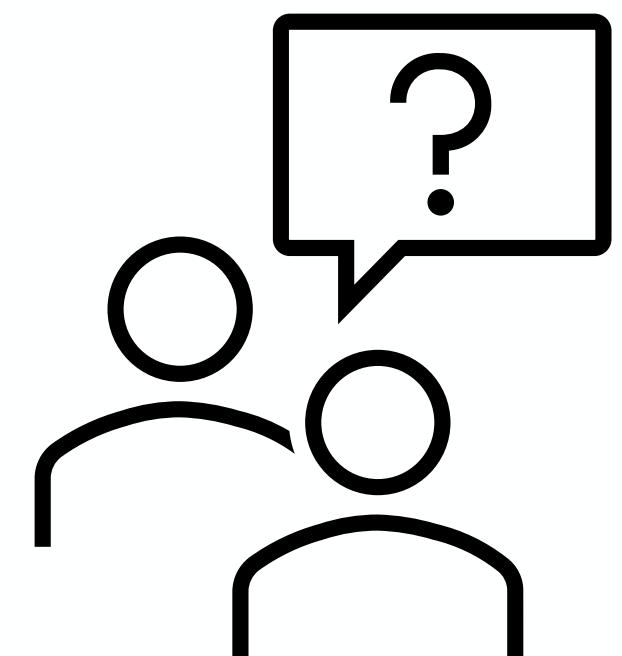
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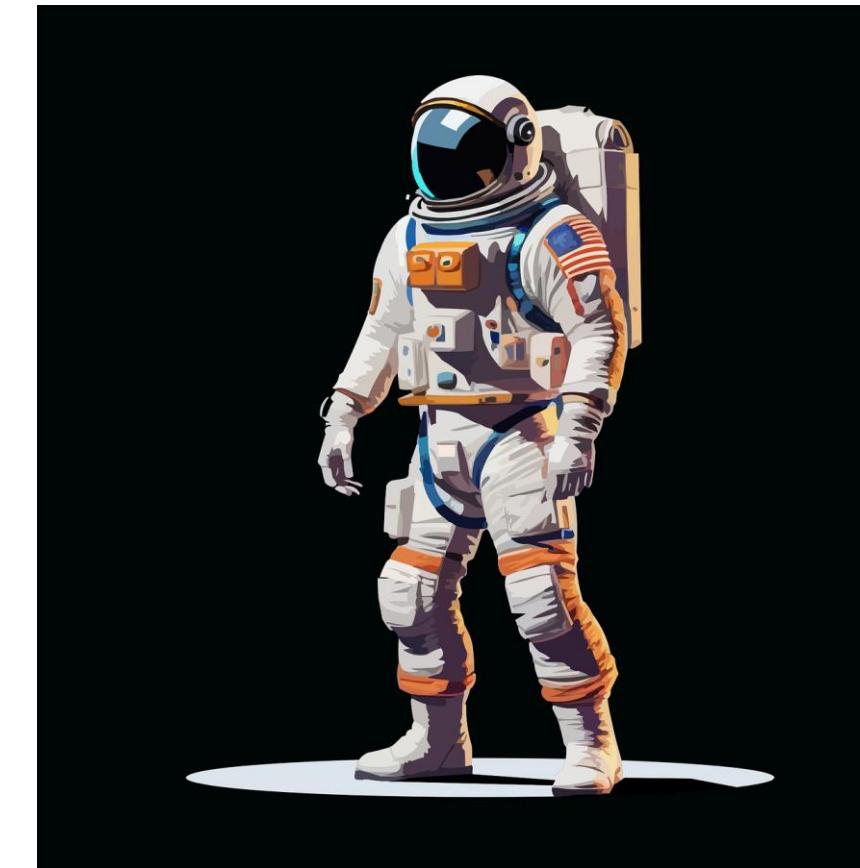
- workers should report any PPE that is lost or becomes defective to their employer



Take home message



...if you sometimes think it is hard to use personal protective equipment, imagine this...





Thank you!