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# SLIPS, TRIPS AND FALLS

## HERE ARE SOME TIPS FOR AVOIDING SLIPS AND TRIPS:

- Report and clean up spills immediately.
- Place hazard signs warning of spill area.
- Look before you walk – make sure your pathway is clear.
- Make sure walkways and stairs are well lit.
- Wear slip-resistant, well-fitted footwear.
- Secure wires, cords and cables away from walkways.
- Be aware of ice and snow – wear boots or slip resistant shoes.
- Keep your line of vision clear when carrying objects.
- Take care when walking on uneven surfaces.
- Change directions slowly, especially if you are carrying something.
- Report all loose carpets, tiles, and floorboards.
- **WALK, DON'T RUN!**



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