

## Working at Height Safety

Fall from height accidents could cause serious injuries. Employers and employees engaged in work at height should pay particular attention to the hazards involved and adopt adequate precautions. To ensure the safety and health of the workers in work at height, the Council has launched the [“Anchor Device Sponsorship Scheme for Renovation & Maintenance SMEs” \(Chinese version only\)](#) and [“Safe Ladder Sponsorship Scheme for SMEs” \(Chinese version only\)](#). The schemes assist the employers of small and medium enterprises involved in work at height. The sponsorship goes to the purchase of anchor devices for fall protection system and safe ladders.

The following is a list of relevant legal requirements and resources offered by the Council in promoting safe work at height for reference:

### Legislation and Code of Practice

- [Occupational Safety and Health Regulation - Section 6](#)
- [Factories and Industrial Undertakings Regulations – Regulation 24](#)
- [Construction Sites \(Safety\) Regulations - Regulation 38A to 38I](#)
- [Code of Practice for Metal Scaffolding Safety](#)
- [Code of Practice for Bamboo Scaffolding Safety](#)
- [Code of Practice for Safe Use and Operation of Suspended Working Platforms](#)

### Publications

Book:

- [Construction Safety - Working at Height](#) (Chinese version only, published by OSHC)

Leaflets:

- [Construction Safety - Working at Height](#) (Chinese version only, published by OSHC)
- [Prevention Against Fall From Height](#) (Published by Labour Department)

Posters:

- [Working at Height](#) (Chinese version only, published by OSHC)
- [Safety for Working at Height - Building Services Work](#) (Chinese version only, published by OSHC)

VCD:

- [Old Times Buddies](#) (Cantonese version only, published by OSHC)
- [Safe Project](#) (Cantonese version only, published by OSHC)

### Training Courses

- [Working at Height Safety](#)
- [Safe Use of Mobile Aluminum Towers](#)
- [Safety at Work on Truss-out Scaffold](#)
- [Use of Transportable Temporary Anchor Devices](#)
- [Installation Practice of Anchor Devices for Fall Protection System](#)

### Personal Protective Equipment

- [Guidance Notes on Classification and Use of Safety Belts and Their Anchorage System](#) (Published by Labour Department)
- [OSH Products & Services Suppliers Directory](#) (Published by OSHC)