Work Safe! Bike Safety Checklist



WORKERS, Keep Yourself Safe!

- Wear a helmet
- **Obey traffic signs and signals**
- Be visible: use front and rear lights and light-colored clothing at night
- **Ride in same direction as traffic**
- Use bike lanes whenever possible
- Use extra caution when:
 - riding near buses and trucks
 - going through intersections or making turns
 - riding near parked cars with opening doors
- Yield to people walking
- Mever ride on sidewalks
- Never wear headphones

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EMPLOYERS, Keep Workers Safe!

- ✓ Tell delivery workers and messengers that bike safety is very important
 - Review the bike safety checklist with workers
- Give helmets to all delivery workers and messengers
- Provide employees with reflective or light-colored clothing. Reflective vests or strips are preferable
- Equip all bicycles with front and rear lights and bell or horn
- Provide baskets or racks for carrying packages

For more information on workplace safety, call 311 or visit the web at nyc.gov/health.



