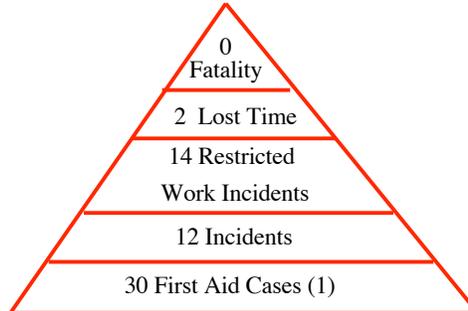


LaRC SAFETY HIGHLIGHTS

September 15, 2003

FY 2003 - Civil Servants



() = Number of new occurrences

OSHA Recordable Cases = Fatalities, Lost Time, Incidents, and Restricted Work Incidents.
Incidents = Cases in which more than first aid treatment is required, but less than 8 hours of time is lost.
Restricted Work Incidents = Cases requiring first aid treatment, resulting in light duty restrictions.



Injury/Mishap Information

- The Center has been **11** days **without** a Civil Servant **Lost Time Injury**. (**Record 433 days**)
- The following first aid case involving a civil servant was reported:
 - A SMC employee sustained a cut to the right heel after slipping on a wet surface in a parking lot.



Report Close Calls - Close call incidents happen more frequently than you think. Did you catch yourself from slipping anytime today? Did you walk over a spill? Did you get a minor electrical shock from a power tool you were using? All of these minor incidents can lead to major accidents if they are not reported, and the hazard repaired or removed. It may seem unnecessary to report every little incident you may encounter during the day, but if not reported, a close call may result in an accident later.



Weekly Video Schedule (NASA LaRC Channel 11) - September 15-19, 2003 - Incident Reporting - You Can Save a Life; Hazards of Long Hair, Loose Clothing, and Jewelry; Office Safety - It's A Jungle Out There; What's Wrong With This Picture; and Incident Reporting.