

Minnesota OSHA fatality investigations summary (updated May 26, 2026)

Federal-fiscal-year 2026 (Oct. 1, 2025, through Sept. 30, 2026)

Fatality inspection number Date of incident Worksite city or town	Type of business NAICS code Total employees (national)	Description of event	Outcome of Minnesota OSHA investigation
318228012 9/16/25 Glyndon	Solid Waste Collection 562111 18	Employee sustained an injury to the back of the head.	Citations issued
10/10/25 Menahga	Landscaping Services 561730 5	Employee fell from a tree.	Case open
318229002 10/19/25 Mountain Iron	Semiconductor and Related Device Manufacturing 334413 609	Employee sustained an injury to the back of the head.	No citations issued
318228988 10/23/25 Winona	Dairy Cattle and Milk Production 112120 3	Employee was crushed by an animal.	No inspection due to farming exemption

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318229275 10/28/25 Castle Rock	Prefabricated Metal Building and Component Manufacturing 332311 20	Employee got hand caught in between a table and a pipe.	No citations issued
11/3/25 Elk River	Drywall and Insulation Contractors 238310 35	Employee fell from a plank.	Case open
11/6/25 Bloomington	Other Building Equipment Contractors 238290 72 Air Conditioning and Warm Heating Equipment and Commercial and Industrial Refrigeration Equipment 333415 140	Employee was struck by the cab of an elevator.	Case open
318230281 11/6/25 Bemidji	Finish Carpentry Contractors 238350 3	Employee fell from a scaffold.	Citations issued

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11/18/25 Eagan	Books Printing 323117 2,000 Facilities Support Services 561210 5,000 Plumbing, Heating, and Air Conditioning Contractors 238220 165	Employee was struck by a dock leveler.	Case open
11/11/25 Shakopee	Automobile and Other Motor Vehicle Merchant Wholesalers 06125 320 Motor Vehicle Towing 488410 7	Employee was struck by a tow truck.	Case open

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12/9/25 Minneapolis	Caterers 722320 13,000 Other Services to Buildings and Dwellings 561790 3 All Other Specialty Trade Contractors 238990 120	Employee was struck by a snowplow.	Case open
12/16/25 Moorhead	Automotive Body, Paint and Interior Repair and Maintenance 811121 47	Employee was crushed by a piece of equipment.	Case open
12/25/25 Wyoming	General Medical and Surgical Hospitals 622110 668	Employee was assaulted by a patient.	Case open
318232402 1/9/26 Anoka	General Automotive Repair 811111 1	Employee was found unresponsive in a garage.	No citations issued

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1/10/26 St. Anthony	Residential Property Managers 531311 110	Employee was assaulted by a resident.	Case open
1/26/26 Mankato	Tile and Terrazzo Contractors 238340 1	An employee was pinned by a pallet.	Case open
318233681 318233707 1/31/26 Clear Lake	Site Preparation Contractors 238910 1 Other Electric Power Generation 221118 190	An employee was found unresponsive.	No citations issued
2/4/26 St. Paul	Landscaping Services 561730 135	Employee was struck by a tree limb.	Case open
2/20/26 Grand Rapids	Offices of Mental Health Practitioners (except Physicians) 621330 24	Employee slipped on the parking lot.	Case open

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3/18/26 Duluth	Site Preparation Contractors 238910 1	Employee fell from a ladder.	Case open
3/18/26 Minneapolis	Elementary and Secondary Schools 611110 3,000	Employee was found unresponsive outside.	Case open
3/13/26 Minneapolis	Other Similar Organizations (except Business, Professional, Labor, and Political) 813990 1	Employee fell from a ladder.	Case open

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4/15/26 Baxter	Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors 238210 7 Beer and Ale Merchant Wholesalers 424810 650 Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors 238210 13	Employee tipped over in a scissor lift.	Case open
5/19/26 Stillwater	Police Protection 922120 1,500	Employee fell from the roof.	Case open

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