Task: OPERATING A GASOLINE-POWERED GENERATOR

Required PPE:
1. Safety Glasses or Goggles  
2. Gloves (as needed)  
3. Hearing Protection (as needed)  
4. Safety Shoes or Boots

Required Training:
- Read, understand, and follow manufacturer’s safety instructions.
- User must train with Supervisor
- Lockout / Tagout Training (LOTO)

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| Prepare for use: Fueling Generator | Fuel Spills, Skin Exposure to Fuel, Contact with Eyes | • Wear gloves, safety glasses, or goggles  
• Fuel in well-ventilated area using approved containers, clean-up spills immediately |
| | Fire | • Fuel away from ignition sources such as heat, sparks or open flame  
• Do not re-fuel hot equipment- allow to cool  
• Use absorbent to clean up small spills |
| Operating Generator | Carbon Monoxide Exposure | • Set-up mechanical ventilation if in enclosed area  
• Direct exhaust to exterior; ensure clean air is supplied to work area |
| | Burns/Fire | • Avoid contact with hot surfaces, wear gloves  
• Never fuel generator while running  
• Clean-up fuel spills immediately  
• Have fire extinguisher readily available |
| | Electrical Shock | • Check electrical connections and ensure machine grounding  
• Do not expose connections or energized equipment to moisture or water |
| Operating Generator | Hand/Foot injury | • Wear gloves (as needed) and safety shoes |
| | Hearing Damage | • Wear ear plugs or ear muffs |
| Procedure for Malfunctioning or Broken Equipment | Bodily Injury | • Obtain Accident Prevention Tag. Mark equipment “Do Not Use” and specify problem or hazard  
• Whenever possible isolate power source so equipment cannot be used. (Lockout/Tagout)  
• Notify shop and/or take equipment to shop |