

# Shingler Falls Off Roof



While shingling a house, a 46-year-old roofer fell more than 20 feet (six meters) to his death. He had been shingling a steep roof section, working in cold weather with a chilling wind. The roofer was not wearing any of the fall protection equipment required for tasks 10 or more feet (three meters) above the ground.

*If you might be exposed to a fall hazard, be sure that appropriate fall protection equipment is available. Use it. During construction of a home or other building, your employer could consider installing fall protection points into the building.*