



- Never stick a foot or any part of your body outside the operator area.
- Stop your forklift completely before getting off.
- Pield or stop for pedestrians.
- Use your horn when you come to a crosswalk or intersection.
- Travel in the direction that gives you the best view.
- Look where you are going before you change direction of travel.







- Drive at a speed that allows you to stop safely.
- Slow down in congested areas.
- Reduce speed when making turns.
- Travel slow and steady on wet or slippery floors.
- Decrease speed on ramps and grades.







- Don't use a forklift unless you are trained and certified.
- Understand how your forklift works.
- Know the capacity of your forklift.
- Make sure your hands and shoes are clean and dry.
- Wear proper clothing for the job.







- Be alert to the area around you.
- Don't allow passengers on your forklift.
- Never allow anyone on or under the forks or load.
- Don't drive toward anyone standing in front of a fixed object.
- Don't let anyone use your forklift unless they are trained and certified.







- Travel with the load or forks close to the ground and tilted back.
- Watch for overhead obstructions.
- Use minimum fork tilt to pick up or place a load.
- Make sure the load you are moving is stable and centered on forks.
- Use extra caution when moving long, high or wide loads.







- Make sure the dock light is still green each time you enter the trailer.
- If the dock has a lock, be sure it is engaged with the trailer.
- If there is no lock, ensure the trailer wheels are chocked.
- Never stop or park a lift truck on a dock plate.
- Ensure the dock plate spans into the trailer and is secure.

