

Loss Control Updates

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Distracted Sitting!

Over the past several months, we distributed information on the increasing number of falls from chairs and stools.

The frequency for these types of incidents is continuing to rise and we felt this would be a good time to revisit the topic.

Falls from chairs and stool incidents for 2018 were assessed for common causative factors and other identifiable information. [Click here for the full article.](#)

Two Additional Fall Topics:

[Chair Casters Can Affect Your Health](#)

[Physician Fall From Stool](#)

This resource provides instructions and demonstrations on correct body posture and position and equipment selection and is a good training tool for new or current staff. It also has safety tips for those employees who are working remotely.

The web address <https://vimeopro.com/iha/ergonomics-in-the-office> is accessible through any computer with a web browser. The individual needs to open the site and enter the passcode [lh@3rgo](#) to activate the video.

Please feel free to contact Clint Parram (630) 276-5646 or Deidre Harris (630) 276-5414 with any questions. Thank you!