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STOP Safety Day 2025: focus on ground-level falls

Ground-level falls: an under-estimated risk

On the 16th of October 2025, NHPC organized the traditional STOP Safety Day, both at its headquarters in Yaounde and at the Nachtigal construction site. This year's theme was ground-level falls, a risk that is often under-estimated but which is the second leading cause of workplace accidents and accounts for 35% of reported incidents during operations.

The main causes are obstacles on the floor, slippery floors, unmarked changes in floor level, or poor visibility. These situations can lead to injuries, some of which can be serious, such as contusions, sprains, or fractures.

During the day, awareness -raising sessions reminded everyone of simple preventive measures, such as keeping eyes on where you are going, avoiding rushing downstairs, keeping traffic areas clear, reporting any anomalies, ensuring adequate lighting and wearing safety shoes in good condition.

An annual event dedicated to prevention

By organizing this day every year, NHPC confirms that health and safety are its top priority and continues the efforts started during the construction phase of the Nachtigal hydroelectric facility to develop a culture of shared vigilance and responsibility.

Launched by the EDF Group five years ago, STOP Safety Days are a special opportunity to review the fundamentals of prevention, share feedback and strengthen collective commitment to preventing serious and fatal accidents.



Awareness raising at NHPC's headquarters in Yaounde



Awareness raising at the Nachtigal Operations Office and group photo

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