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Mine operators are ultimately responsible for the safety of contractors.

Know Your Contract Workers
Contractors work in a variety of occupations on a mine site, so it’s important to know who they are. Some examples include:

- Overnight delivery truck drivers.
- Contract maintenance workers.
- Drillers.

Be Aware

- Once you know your contractors, you can then help maintain their safety.
- Appoint a direct contact person to interact with contractors.

Keep Contractors Prepared

- Ensure contractors have completed all levels of necessary training customized to the work they will perform.
- Verify that contractors know all state, company, and local regulatory agencies policies and procedures before beginning work.
- Be sure to include contractors in weekly safety meetings.

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