**This AHA is provided as an example of content to consider during development of project-specific AHAs for like activities**

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| **Activity**:  Flooring installation (carpet, sheet vinyl, VCT, tile) |

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| **HAZARDS** | | |
| *JOB STEP* | *HAZARDS* | *ACTIONS TO ELIMINATE OR MINIMIZE*  *EACH HAZARD* |
| Floor prep and layout: | Risk of exposure to asbestos from VCT/ mastic under lament | Reference results of ACM survey. |
| Install flooring | Risk of exposure to silica based products | Respirators or dust masks may be required.  Respirator use in accordance with Respiratory Protection Program, including medical evaluation and fit testing. |
| Risk of fire from heat gun or open flamed tool | Follow the Hot Work Permit as required.  Fire watch is required (trained in fire extinguishers).  Employee shall have proper training on heat guns or open flamed tools. |
| Risk of injuries/ cuts from improper tool use or storage. | Employees are to be trained on the use of tools.  Protect knifes or open blade with a holder or sheath to protect the blade while not in use.  Keep all used razor blades in a sharps container labeled as "SHARPS” |