

# Wet Floor Sign Usage

Wet floor signs are used to prevent accidents while floors are wet. Wet floor signs should be used any time a floor is wet, including after the carpet is cleaned. If there is doubt, use it.

Always place wet floor signs in well-visible areas to warn others that the floor is wet. Wet

floor signs should be placed outside all entrances to a room or area that is wet, rather than inside that same room or area. This warns building occupants before they step onto the wet floor.



## Did you know?

Slips and falls are the leading non-vehicular cause of death in public places.

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Safety

Be sure to leave the wet floor sign out until the floor is completely dry. Removing the sign too quickly exposes building occupants to slips and falls.

## Did you know?

Wet carpet can be slippery too.

## Trainer's Toolbox

- Discussion point: When and where should you put a wet floor sign?
- How long should you leave out a wet floor sign?