



SNOW LOAD SAFETY



Heavy snow on barn roofs can increase the risk of structural damage or collapse. Regular inspections and safe snow removal help protect people, livestock, and buildings.

PREPARE

- Inspect barn roofs regularly throughout the winter, especially after heavy snowfall.
- Identify areas prone to snow accumulation and ensure safe work procedures are in place
- Make sure workers are trained and equipped before attempting snow removal.

BE AWARE

- Watch for warning signs such as sagging roofs, unusual noises, or interior cracks.
- Avoid working alone and be mindful of fall hazards during snow removal.
- Inspect roofs after snow removal and address any damage promptly.

Winter Reminder:

Inspect barn roofs and supporting structures before winter and continue monitoring throughout the season. Regular snow removal can help reduce risk to people, livestock, and buildings.