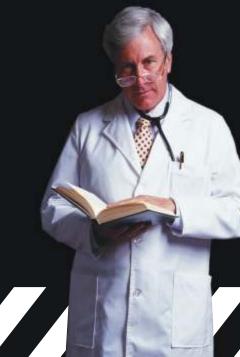
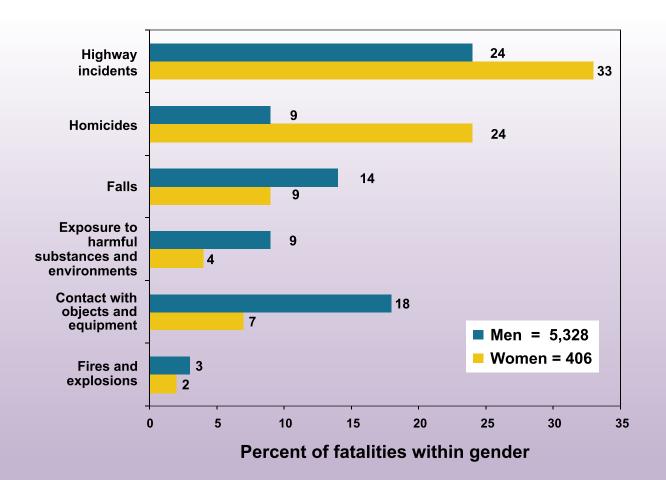
In addition to having fewer fatal work injuries than men relative to their share of employment, women experienced, for the most part, different types of fatal events than men.

Women had a higher percentage of fatal work injuries resulting from highway incidents and homicides.

Men had a higher percentage of fatal work injuries resulting from falls and from contact with objects and equipment.



Fatal injury events, by gender of worker, 2005



SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, 2007