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## Strive for Excellence in 2012

To help you reach excellence in testing in 2012, here is a list of things you can do to be more efficient:

- Make a checklist(s)
- Create a weekly/daily watchlist or test route
- Plan your travel accordingly, whether you are visiting several locations or walking through one plant
- Verify your test equipment daily – verify tester batteries and computers are fully charged and keep chargers nearby, check your test leads for issues
- Evaluate and verify the test location/area ahead of time
- Bring the proper tools and PPE the first time
- Get additional training, know how to operate your test equipment properly
- Don't rush, but have a pace
- Communicate well with others
- Most importantly...BE SAFE

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