

Dialogue 4

John: Hi, Maria. Something bad happened at work this week.

Maria: What is it?

John: Two workers, Mario and Rosa had an accident with one of the machines.

Maria: I hope they are OK. Was it very serious?

John: It was serious, but I think they will be OK. I am afraid the machine is dangerous.

Maria: Do workers still use this machine?

John: Yes, people still work on this machine.

Maria: John, you need to talk to your boss about safety.

John: But Maria, I am nervous.

Maria: Don't worry. I have a friend at an agency. You can talk to him. You can get help.

vocabulary

1. accident
2. social service agency
3. community agency
4. help

... and for discussion...

1. Have you had an accident at work?
2. Should John's do anything about the machine?
3. Do you have friends at a social service agency? or a community agency?
4. Who else can help you with a problem?
5. Why do you think John is nervous?