

### Dialogue 3

John: Hi, Maria. I'm glad to see you. I have a question.  
Maria: You can ask me anything. I hope I have the answer.  
John: You told me my boss has to give us a safe workplace. Is this really true?

Maria: Yes it is. Is there a problem at your work? Is there danger?

John: I am not sure. There are many machines. I can see I must be careful around my machine because it is very powerful.

Maria: Your boss has to make sure the machines operate safely.

He should show you how to work safely. Does he do these things?

John: Not really. He speaks English very fast. I did not have any questions for him. My English is not very good.

Maria: This is bad news. Do you remember what we talked about?

Your boss needs to give you information about such dangers or hazards.

### Vocabulary

1. machines
2. information
3. hazards
4. training

### ... and for discussion ...

1. How can an employer protect workers?
2. How can an employer give workers information?
3. Did you have any training at your job? What kind of training?
4. How can an employer help workers understand if they do not speak the same language?