



Cooking With Alcoho	OI SAFE WORK METHOD	STATEMENT (SWMS)	
TASK	COR ACTIVITY: Cooking With Al	cohol	
Business Name:		ABN:	SWMS#
Business Address:			
Contact Person:	Phone:	E fil:	
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THIS SAFE WORK METHOD	STATEMENT IS APPROVED BY	THE PCL OF THE ROJECT	
Under the Work Health and Safety Regulation (WHS Regulation), a person conduct the proposed work starts.	cting a business or under the (PC 1) is	required to en that a safe work method s	statement (SWMS) is prepared before
Full Name:			
Signature:	NY	Title:	Date:
Details of the person(s) responsible for ensuring implementation, monitoring	apliance the VMS a well as review	es and modifications of the SWMS.	
Full Name:		Title:	Phone:
ALL PERSONNEL PARTICIPATING IN ANY ACTIVITY ON THIS S /MS M HAVE THE FOLLOWING COMMUNICATED	NA. 2 OF ALL RELEVANT PERSONNI EVELOPMENT AND APPROVAL OF	EL WHO HAVE BEEN CONSULTED AND CO	OMMUNICATED TO IN THE
Safety meetings or toolbox talks will be sched ed in accomply with a gislative requirements to first identify any site hazards, hazards and then to further take steps to either eliminate or continuous each hazard.			
If an incident or a near miss occurs, all work must sto, an alately. Depending on the severity of the incident, a meeting will be called with all workers to amend the SWMS if required. The meeting may also be an educational opportunity.			
Any changes made to the SWMS after an incident or a near miss must be approved by the Person Conducting Business or Undertaking and communicated to all relevant personnel.			
The SWMS must be kept and be available for inspection at least until the work is completed. Where a SWMS is revised, all versions should be kept. If a notifiable incident occurs in relation to which the SWMS relates, then the SWMS must be kept for at least two years from the occurrence of the notifiable incident.			

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CLIENT OR PRINCIPAL	CONTRACTOR DETAILS
Client:	SCOPE OF WORKS
Project Name:	
Project Address:	
Project Manager:	
Contact Phone:	
Date SWMS supplied to Project Manager:	
ANY HIGH BIOK CONSTRUCTOR	NAME OF THE POLIT
ANY HIGH-RISK CONSTRUCTOR	N WC & BEIN C ARIED OUT
☐ involves a risk of a person falling more than 2 meters	is carried out on or near pressurised gas mains or piping
☐ is carried out on a telecommunication tower	carried out on or near chemical, fuel or refrigerant lines
☐ involves demolition of an element of a structure that is load-bearing	\square is carried out on or near energised electrical installations or services
☐ involves demolition of an element related to the physical integral of a functure	☐ is carried out in an area that may have a contaminated or flammable atmosphere
☐ involves, or is likely to involve, disturbing asb	☐ involves tilt-up or precast concrete
☐ involves structural alteration or repair that —quires term — v sup —rt to prevent collapse	☐ is carried out on, in or adjacent to a road, railway, shipping lane or other traffic corridor
☐ is carried out in or near a confined space	☐ is carried out in an area of a workplace where there is any movement of powered mobile plant
☐ is carried out in/near a shaft or trench deeper that. tunnel involving use of explosives	☐ is carried out in areas with artificial extremes of temperature.
\square is carried out in or near water or other liquid that involves a risk of drowning.	☐ involves diving work.
ANY HIGH-RISK MACHINER	Y OR EQUIPMENT NEARBY

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RISK MATRIX										
LIKELIHOOD	INSIGNIFICANT	MINOR	MODERATE	MAJOR	CATASTROPHIC	SCORE	ACTION	HEI	RARCHY OF CONTROLS	
ALMOST CERTAIN	3 HIGH	3 HIGH	4 ACUTE	4 ACUTE	4 ACUTE	SCORE	ACTION		Elimination Remove the hazard.	
LIKELY	2 MODERATE	3 HIGH	3 HIGH	4 ACUTE	4 ACUTE	4A ACUTE	DO NOT PROCE		Substitution	
POSSIBLE	1 LOW	2 MODERATE	3 HIGH	4 ACUTE	4 ACUTE	3H HIGH	Review before work starts.		Replace the hazard.	
UNLIKELY	1 LOW	1 LOW	2 MODERATE	3 HIGH	4 ACUTE	2M MODERATE	Ensure control measures in place.	Isolate	e People from the hazard	
RARE	1 LOW	1 LOW	2 MODERATE	3 HIGH	3 HIGH	1L LOW	nitor and		Engineering Isolate the hazard.	
is the second m	rchy of Controls: ost effective metho nging the work is th	d of controlling a	hazard. Enginee	ering by isolati	on is the in ost e	en 'ive, while	rd. Substitution Administrative effective		Administrative Change the work. PPE	

	PERS_NAL TECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)										
		Select the app	ropriate PPŁ	abo. auitab	le or the equi	pment used or	the job task	being perforr	ned (if applica	ıble).	
FOOT PROTECTION	HAND PROTECTION	HEAD PROTECTION	HEARING ETION	P ECTION	PROTECTION	FACE PROTECTION	HIGH-VIS CLOTHING	PROTECTIVE CLOTHING	FALL PROTECTION	SUN PROTECTION	HAIR/JEWELLERY SECURED
Other PPE R	Required:										
	Pe	ermit or Licen	ses Requirem	ents		Mandatory Qualifications and Training					



JOB STEP	POTENTIAL HAZARDS	IR	CONTROL MEASURES	RR
SPECIFIC WORK STEPS	HAZARDS THAT MAY ARISE	INITIAL RISK	SPECIFIC MEASURES TO BE PUT IN PLACE TO ELIMINATE OR CONTROL THE RISKS	RESIDUAL RISK
1. Preparation	Misuse of alcohol, incorrect storage of alcohol, slip and trip hazards	ЗН	 Store alcohol in a secure, clearly labelled to a away from direct sunlight and heat sources to prevent deterioration or accidental misuse. Clearly label all alcohol containers and ensure to use stored separately from non-alcoholic ingredients to avoid confusion. Maintain an up-to-date invence of all alcohol on a miscoso track usage and prevent misuse. Limit access to store use as we alcohol to authors ad personnel only to minimise risk of unauthorised use. Provide training to all state in the residence use and handling of alcohol, including understanding potent shealth offects or recognising coxication. Implicate the access of a clear policy on alcohol consumption during work hours to discourage misuse among um, ovees. Use not estippedate or uses in areas where spills may occur to reduce slip hazards. Ingular, inspecific then floors for potential slip or trip hazards and promptly address any issues found. Ensurate equate lighting in work areas to help identify and mitigate slip and trip risks. It is equate lighting in work areas free of clutter and obstacles to prevent trips and falls. Encourage staff to report any spilled liquids or food immediately for immediate clean-up by designated personnel. Equip the kitchen with spill kits that include appropriate cleaning materials to quickly manage alcohol or other liquid spills. Conduct regular safety meetings to reinforce the importance of safe alcohol handling practices and maintain vigilance against potential hazards. 	2M
2. Gathering Ingredients	Manual handling injuries, improper storage of food items	2M	 Ensure all employees are trained in proper manual handling techniques to minimise the risk of injuries. Use trolleys or carts to transport heavy food items from storage areas to the kitchen to reduce physical strain. Store frequently used ingredients at waist height to avoid unnecessary bending or stretching. Label shelves and storage areas clearly to prevent confusion and reduce the time spent searching for items. Implement a rotation system where heavier items are used first, reducing the likelihood that they need to be moved repeatedly. Conduct regular checks and maintenance on storage equipment to ensure they are in safe working condition. 	1L



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			- Establish clear pathways and remove any obstacles to ensure safe movement around storage and prep areas.	
			- Train staff on identifying spoilage signs and proposed handling practices to prevent contamination.	
			- Use appropriate personal protective equipment such as gloves when handling certain ingredients to prevent skin irritation or contamination.	
			- Keep food items well-organised and categor and storage areas to make retrieval more efficient and less strenuous.	
			- Implement a team-lifting polity for items that are vicult of wkward to handle alone, ensuring two or more people share the load.	
			- Ensure that compared its arguet to the correct temperature for preserving perishable items safely and prevent collage.	
			- Use signal ventilated cooking area with adequate fire suppression equipment, such as a fire blanks of stingular.	
			- Strictly con. If the quantity of alcohol used at one time to minimise the risk of fire ignition.	
			Keep from materials and substances away from the cooking area and open flames.	
			- An is that the purner prior to adding any alcohol to the cooking process.	
			Utilise legg-handled lighters or matches designed for kitchen use to maintain a safe distance from ignited ges. - Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) like flame-resistant gloves and aprons while	
			working near open flames.	
E. 1. W.	Flame risk from alo		- Ensure all staff involved in the cooking process are properly trained on correct procedures during the use of alcohol in cooking.	014
. Fire Ignition	scalds	4A	- Avoid pouring alcohol directly from the bottle into the pan; measure out the required amount beforehand in a separate container.	2M
			- Never leave the cooking area unattended when using alcohol as an ingredient.	
			- Instruct individuals involved in cooking not to consume alcohol prior to or during their shift to maintain full cognitive awareness.	
			- Clearly label containers holding alcohol to avoid accidental misuse.	
			- Position any overhead exhaust fans or ventilation systems correctly to ventilate combustible vapours safely.	
			- If a flame-up occurs, remain calm and cover the pan with a lid to suffocate the fire rather than attempting to move the burning pan.	
			- Prohibit using portable gas camping stoves indoors, which can increase the risk of uncontrolled fire in a confined space.	
. Cooking With Alcohol	Overexposure to heat and flame, inhalation of alcohol fumes	4A		2M



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5. Recipe Follow Up	Errors due to misunderstanding recipe instructions, Risk of food contamination	3Н		1L



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6. Tasting	Burns and scalds thoking	ЗН		1L
7. Presentation	Cuts and lacerations from kitchen tools, allergic reactions from ingredients	2M		1L



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8. Cleaning Up	Slip and trip hazards, contact with cleaning chemicals	2M		1L



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9. Waste Disposal	Injuries from heav ufting, bacterial infections from was a	2M		1L
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10. Feedback Collection	Inaccurate feedback, unhappy customers due to faulty product	2M		1L



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11. Improvement Strategies	Overlooking key information, implementing ineffective changes	3Н		1L



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13. Reviewing Procedures	Missing critical review points, lack of updated procedures	2M		1L
14. Scheduled Equipment Maintenance	Injuries from poorly maintained equipment, Interruptions in cooking process due to equipment failure	2M		1L



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15. Routine Safety Checks	Lack of regular sacry checks, missed potential hazards	2M		1L
16. Stock Replenishment	Heavy lifting injuries, trip hazards from misplaced stock	2M		1L



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17. Health and Hygiene Practice	Cross-contamination, allergic reactions	ЗН		2M



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18. Quality Control	Inconsistent product quanty, poor customer satisfaction	2M		1L
19. Handling Customer Complaints	Dissatisfied customers, damaged reputation	3H		■ 1L



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20. Closure and End of Day Check	Electrical hazard from unattended appliances, fire hazard from unattended flames	ЗН		1L



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EMERGENCY RESPONSE – CALL 000 FOR EMERGENCIES

Ensure to have an Emergency Management Plan in place as well as adequate numbers of trained first aid staff with easy access to fully stocked first aid kits, rescue equipment, material safety data sheets, adequate access to emergency communication equipment and fire-fighting equipment suitable for all classes of fire and ignition sources.

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCES

RELEVANT LEGISLATION AND CODES OF PRACTICE. DELETE THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCES. ANY STATE OF AT ARE NOT APPLICABLE.

Queensland & Australian Capital Territory

Work Health and Safety Act 2011

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011

Legislation QLD: https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/work-health-and-safety-laws Codes of Practice QLD: https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice

Legislation ACT: https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/acts-and-regulations

Codes of Practice ACT: https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice

New South Wales

Work Health and Safety Act 2011

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2017

Legislation NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/legal-obligations/legislative

Codes of Practice NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/resource-library/lis codes-of ractions of Practice NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/resource-library/lis codes-of-ractions-of-racti

Northern Territory

Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011

Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Regulation 201

Legislation NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/wo_place-

Codes of Practice NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/f

South Australia

Work Health and Safety Act 2012 (SA)

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012 (SA)

Legislation for SA: https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/resources/le_lation

Codes of Practice for SA: https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/work_aces/codes-of-practice#COPs

Tasmania

Work Health and Safety Act 2012

Work Health and Safety (Transitional and Consequential Provisions) Act 2012

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012

Work Health and Safety (Transitional) Regulations 2012

Legislation for TAS: https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/acts-and-regulations

Codes of Practice for TAS: https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice

Details of permits, licenses or access required by regulatory bodies (add or delete as required):

- Permits from local council
- Authorisation to commence work
- Any required documents.

Victoria

Occupational Health al. Safety Act

Occupational Health and Infety gulations 2017

Legis on VIC: https://www.wksafe.vic.gov.au/occupational-health-and-safety-act-and-

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Western Australia

Work Health and Safety Act 2020

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2022

Legislation Western Australia: https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/legislation Codes of Practice WA: https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/codes-practice

Safe Work Australia Links

Law and Regulation (All States): https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/law-and-regulation Model Codes of Practice: https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/resources-publications/model-codes-of-practice

Model Codes of Practice

- Managing noise and preventing hearing loss at work
- Confined spaces
- Labelling of workplace hazardous chemicals
- Managing risks of hazardous chemicals in the workplace
- Welding processes
- First aid in the workplace
- Managing the risk of falls at workplaces
- Hazardous manual tasks
- Managing the risk of falls in housing construction
- Managing electrical risks in the workplace
- Demolition work
- Excavation work
- Work health and safety consultation, cooperation and coordination
- Managing the work environment and facilities
- How to manage work health and safety risks
- Managing risks of plant in the workplace
- Construction work





SIGNATORIES OF THE SAFE WORK METHOD STATEMENT

The signed and dated personnel listed below have cooperated in the consultation and development of this Safe Work Method Statement which has been approved by the Person/s Conducting a Business or Undertaking (PCBU). In signing this Safe Work Method Statement each individual acknowledges and confirms that they have read this SWMS in full, having raised any questions for items on this Safe Work Method Statement that require clarification, and confirms that they are competent, skilled and knowledgeable for the task assigned to them. Every person acknowledges that they have received the relevant training and qualifications where required, before carrying out any work contained in this Safe Work Method Statement. By signing this Safe Work Method Statement each individual agrees to work safely, to follow any safe work instructions which are provided, and agrees to use all Personal Protective Equipment where appropriate.

Worker Name	Signature	Date

SAFE WORK IN THE STATEMENT MONITORING AND REVIEW

The SWMS must be reviewed regularly to make sure it remains a fective of must be reviewed (and revised if necessary) if relevant control measures are revised. The view process should be carried out in consultation with workers (including contractors of the SWMS and their health and safety representatives who represented that work group at the workplace.

When the SWMS has been revised the PCBU mast ensure that advised that a revision has been made and how they can access the revised SWMS, including all persons who will need to change a work procedure or system as a rest of the review are advised of the changes in a way that will enable them to implement their duties and the involved in the work must be provided with the relevant information and instruction that will assist them to understand and implement the revised SWMS.

The SWMS must be monitored regularly for the effectiveness of ensuring hazard controls are effective in reducing the risk of incidents, keeping the workplace safe for all personnel. The person responsible for monitoring the effectiveness of the Safe Work Method Statement should employ a multi-faceted approach which includes but is not limited to:

- Spot Checks.
- 2. Consultation with workers, contractors and sub-contractors.
- 3. Internal audits on a continual basis.

An approach of continuous improvement, promptly recording inconsistencies or deficiencies, followed up by immediate corrective action and consultation with all relevant personnel ensures that the PCBU is consistently developing ever-improving systems of safe work principles.

REVIEW NUMBER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
NAME							
INITIALS							
DATE							

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SAFE WORK METHOD STATEMENT REVIEW CHECKLIST

This Safe Work Method Statement Review Checklist is to be followed and used upon initial development of the SWMS to help ensure that all steps have been adequately taken before work commences. Think of this document as an internal audit review checklist before commencing work, and may form part of a Toolbox Talk (safety meeting) and may be used as an opportunity for education and training.

ITEMS WHICH MUST BE INCLUDED IN THE SWMS	COMPLETED	COMMENTS
The company details have been entered, including the project name and address.		
All relevant personnel consulted during the development of the SWMS.		
Name, signature, position and date signed of the person approving the SWMS.		
Specific personnel and qualifications, experience is noted in the SWMS.	7	
Provides a step-by-step process of tasks required to carry out the activity or task.		
Adequate risk assessment of any identified hazards has been completed.		
Foreseeable hazards are identified and documented for each step.		
Any hazards listed in any site risk assessments have been added to the SWMS		
SWMS initial risk (IR) column as well as residual risk (RR) column pleted.		
Check control measures added to the SWMS are the most effective selections		
Responsible person is assigned and listed on the part the important control measures.		
Permit or licenses requirements specified, sur as Hot Work, Electric Work, Work at Heights etc.		
SWMS identifies plant and equipment to be us		
Details of inspection checks required for any equipment listed an inoted on the SWMS.		
Describes any mandatory qualifications, experience, and or skills required to perform the work.		
Applicable personal protective equipment is selected on the SWMS.		
Reflects and documents any legislative references and/or Australian Standards.		
Identifies any hazardous substances used with specific control measures in line with any SDS.		
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