



First Aid Provision	SAFE WORK METHOD S	TATEMENT (SWMS)	
TAS	SK OR ACTIVITY: First Aid Provi	sion	
Business Name:		ABN:	SWMS#
Business Address:			
Contact Person:	Phone:	E 111:	
THIS SAFE WORK METHOD	STATEMENT IS APPROTO 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 a (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	opliance the VMS a well as review	s 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 and in account 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		TIVE EQUIPM					
		Select the app	ropriate PPŁ	abo. auitab	ic 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	inadequate training, lack of first aid facilities	ЗН	- Regular Training: Ensure that all personne avolved are adequately trained on first aid procedures and protocols to manage a variety of medical shortions. - First Aid Kits: Have sufficient, fully stocked are no maintained first aid kits on-site, according to workplace needs and potential hazards. - Clear Signage: Implement on a signage for the location courst aid facilities such as first aid rooms, defibrillators or first aid this. - Emergency Access: Make ourse the first aid facilities are easily accessible and obstruction-free in case of emergencies. - First of Personal: Afford appropriatory trained first aid personnel who are constantly present on-site during a rational course. - Regular Inspection: In sect and record the contents of the first aid kit regularly to ensure it's ready for seat all imes. - Requit Inspection: In sect and record the contents of the first aid kit regularly to ensure it's ready for seat all imes. - Reposit Supplies: Replace any used or expired items immediately ensuring the first aid kit is always fully equal d. - regionic Maintenance: Maintain the first aid room/area hygienically, ensuring there is no contamination riss. - Specialised Equipment: If required due to particular risks in your workspace, make sure the appropriate specialised first aid equipment is available, such as snake bite kits or automated external defibrillators. - Incident Reporting: Establish an effective incident reporting system after each first aid application. - Risk Assessment: Conduct a thorough risk assessment periodically to evaluate potential hazards and revise first aid measures accordingly.	2M
2. Assessing needs	Incorrect diagnosis, overlooking minor injuries	ЗН	 Regular staff training: Provide ongoing first aid training for employees to ensure they are equipped with the skills and knowledge to administer correct treatments. Employ dedicated first aid officer: Consider employing or designating a specific person responsible for overseeing the health and wellbeing of the workforce, who has extensive first aid training. Keeping up-to-date medical records: Ensure all workers' medical records are current and accessible in case of emergency. This can help diagnose health issues accurately. Use of appropriate first-aid kits: Make sure the workplace has the necessary first-aid kits stocked with up-to-date medical supplies that cater to the potential injuries that may be experienced on site. 	2M



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			- Regular reviews of medical procedures: Continuously review and update first aid procedures to ensure they are current and following best practices.	
			- Encourage clear communication: Maintain clear it is of open communication between management and staff about health and safety concerns, particular relating to minor injuries.	
			- Monitor work environment: Consistently in titor the word g conditions for potential hazards and take immediate action to eliminate them.	
			- Risk assessment: Conduct regular risk assess — its to identify any potential dangers that could lead to injuries or health risks.	
			- Correct use of PPE: Ensure poonnel are using poor an protective equipment correctly to minimise the risk of injury.	
			- Peer monit og: Employ uddy stem who workers look out for each other's safety, helping to prevent overluing minor juries.	
			- Incit preporting security of them: Develop a robust incident reporting system that allows workers to report accide its a injurie as soon as they happen.	
			- Follov nde by guidenes: Familiarise yourself and your team with Australian industry guidelines and standar for ministe g first aid in a workplace setting.	
			- ntal halth considerations: In addition to physical first aid provision, consider the mental health aspect of your staff in the safety plan. Provide resources for emotional support when needed.	
			Pegular wist aid drills: Conducting regular first aid scenario practices can keep the staff prepared for value types of emergencies.	
			- Ensure personnel are trained and competent: The first step is to make sure that anyone administering first aid is properly trained and aware of the existing workplace hazards. They should be knowledgeable in emergency procedures and capable of using first aid equipment correctly.	
			- Use of personal protective equipment (PPE): Utilising PPE such as gloves, masks, and eye protection will reduce the risk of spreading infections when dealing with open wounds or bodily fluids.	
			- Regular handwashing: Encourage regular and thorough handwashing, especially before and after administering first aid to prevent contamination.	
3. Administering first aid	Infection spread, incorrect treatment application	3H	- Sterilise equipment: Always keep first aid equipment clean and sanitised to minimise the risk of infection spread.	2M
			- Dispose of waste properly: Used bandages, needles and other waste material should be disposed of safely, following health and safety laws in Australia.	
			- Use safe techniques: Proper technique can reduce the risk of harm. This might include utilising proper lifting techniques or ensuring pressure is applied appropriately when performing CPR.	
			- Keep a well-stocked first aid kit: It's essential to have all the necessary equipment on-hand. All items in the kit should be accounted for, dated, and restocked after use.	
			- Follow proper guidelines for treatment: Each injury or ailment needs to be handled differently, so it's crucial to be familiar with the correct guidelines.	



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			- Regularly update first aid training: Training should be taken regularly to stay up-to-date with modern practices and treatments.	
			- Always refer serious conditions to professionals: Lefious injury or illness occurs, call emergency services immediately. Never attempt to treat services conditions without professional assistance.	
			- Incident Reporting: It's important to docule at every care handled by first aid staff. Proper documentation assists in creating a safer work environment in the future and ensures that regulatory requirements are met.	
4. Handling emergencies	Inadequate communication, panic-induced errors	47)		3H
5. Documentation	Inaccurate record-keeping, privacy breach	2M		1L



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6. Communicating with emergency services	Miscommunication, delay	ЗН		2M



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7. Disposing medical waste	contamination, improper disposal	ЗН		2M



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8. Cleaning and restocking equipment	Inadequate supplies, using expired products			2M
Conducting regular drills	Non-compliance, outdated procedures	3H		2M







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11. Regular training updates	Outdated knowledge, complacency	2M		1L
12. Medical record update	Inaccuracy, loss of records	3H		2M



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13. Follow up treatments	Inadequate treatment, ignoring persisting symptoms	3Н		1 2M







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15. Review and improvement	Lack of progress, lored for	2M		1L



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16. Compliance checking with regulations	Penalties, non-conformance	ЗН		2M
17. Revisiting Emergency Procedures	Misinformation, confusion	ЗН		2M







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19. Scheduling regular checks	Complacency, overlook potential hazards	ЗН		2M
20. Training new employees	Inadequate training, overlooked safety protocols	3H		2M



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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/legislations/leg

Codes of Practice NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/resource-library/lis > odes-oi 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/legislation

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 at Safety Act 34

Occupational Health and afety 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	

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 pulleted.		
Check control measures added to the SWMS are the most effective selections		
Responsible person is assigned and listed on the part the important part of 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 a noted on the SWMS.		
Describes any mandatory qualifications, experience, 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.		
REVIEWED BY	DATE REVIE	WED
SIGNATURE	DATE COMPL	ETED