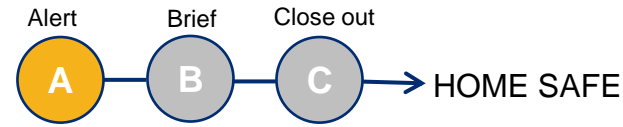


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Cut Finger



Date of incident	02/10/2024		Directorate	Large Capital Delivery	
Region	SEPD Delivery	Location	Pyestock Substation	Classification	MTI
What happened ?					
<p>A Contract Partner Employee attempted to manually handle a mild steel road plate from the back of a flatbed lorry and sustained a cut to his right index finger from a burred edge. The Injured Party was given first aid on site before attending hospital. The wound was cleaned and closed using steri strips and surgical glue. The IP was discharged and returned to site the same day.</p> <p>While the full investigation takes place its key for us to remember –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ensure a suitable and sufficient Safe System of Work is in place for the task. - Manual Handling tasks must be risk assessed and the TILE acronym considered Task, Individual, Load and Environment. - Ensure PPE, including gloves are suitable and sufficient for the task in hand. - Use the method of Plan, Scan and Adapt for all tasks and be prepared to use your Safety Licence, <i>if it's not safe we don't do it</i> 					

