



Manhole/Pit Guard Notice

Using complete sets of manhole/pit guards, particularly in high risk areas used by pedestrian, aged and disabled persons.

This notice is to highlight and remind you of the need for your field CTs to carry and use **complete** sets of manhole/pit guards, particularly in high risk areas used by pedestrian, aged and disabled persons.

By way of example, an incident occurred recently in Brisbane involving a pit that protruded part way

Contractors and their CTs should already be well aware of site set-up requirements when working in pits and manholes.

Contractors are also advised that appropriate safety precautions such as Guards/Barriers should be implemented in accordance with the Job Safety Analysis conducted for each work location prior to the commencement of work at all work sites.

Site safety is also becoming an extremely high priority with both State and Commonwealth Regulators across all industries.

Would you please ensure this notice is brought to the urgent attention of all relevant personnel, particularly field CTs, for immediate implementation.



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