

Process and Policy Checklist

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Near Misses and Dangerous Occurrences.

Near misses or dangerous occurrences that had the potential to cause injury MUST be reported so that the incident can be investigated to prevent a similar or serious accident from occurring in the future.

What Qualifies as a near miss

A near-miss is a potential hazard or incident in which no property was damaged, and no personal injury was sustained, but where, given a slight shift in time or position, damage or injury easily could have occurred. Near misses also may be referred to as close calls, near accidents, or injury-free events.

An example of this would be an employee slips whilst working on-site but does not fall.

Reporting near misses and dangerous occurrences.

- Any near miss or dangerous occurrence must be reported immediately.
- You must complete a report form and submit within 24 hours. If you are not on site within this time, complete the form and email it back to base within 24 hours.
- A supervisor/Manager will check the form to ensure that information, descriptions, and sketches are clear, accurate and complete and help and can also ascertain if any further action is needed.



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