

# Inadequate Lighting.

No	Activity	Hazard	Person(s) in Danger	Control Measures	Residual Risk Rating
19	All work activities that require the lighting of the work area	<p>Inadequate Lighting</p> <p>Risks of reduced visibility increasing the potential for an incident or accident.</p>	<p>Employees</p> <p>Contractors</p> <p>Public</p> <p>Visitors</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plan work to be done in daylight hours where possible.</li> <li>Ensure that any portable or task lighting you have is working correctly prior to commencing work – report any defects.</li> <li>Consider emergency lighting, powered by an independent source, must be provided where a sudden loss of light would create a risk.</li> <li>Maintain good housekeeping and ensure work areas are signed and guarded.</li> <li>Consider the impact of the portable lighting to members of the public or road users for example, ensure the glare is not pointed into the road.</li> <li>Ensure lighting is adequate for the task being undertaken.</li> <li>Where required arrange for temporary lighting for the period of the task.</li> <li>All lighting must be checked before, during and after use for serviceability.</li> <li>All lighting provided must be kept clean and in good working order. Any damaged or ineffective lamps / luminaries must be replaced and reported to your Line Manager or Team Leader.</li> <li>As a minimum, lighting must be provided for junctions, around plant, buildings, pedestrian routes and areas where loading/unloading must be carried out.</li> </ul>	Low