

Expert Model for **Conveyor Belt Operations**

for
South African

Hard Rock Mining T&M Equipment

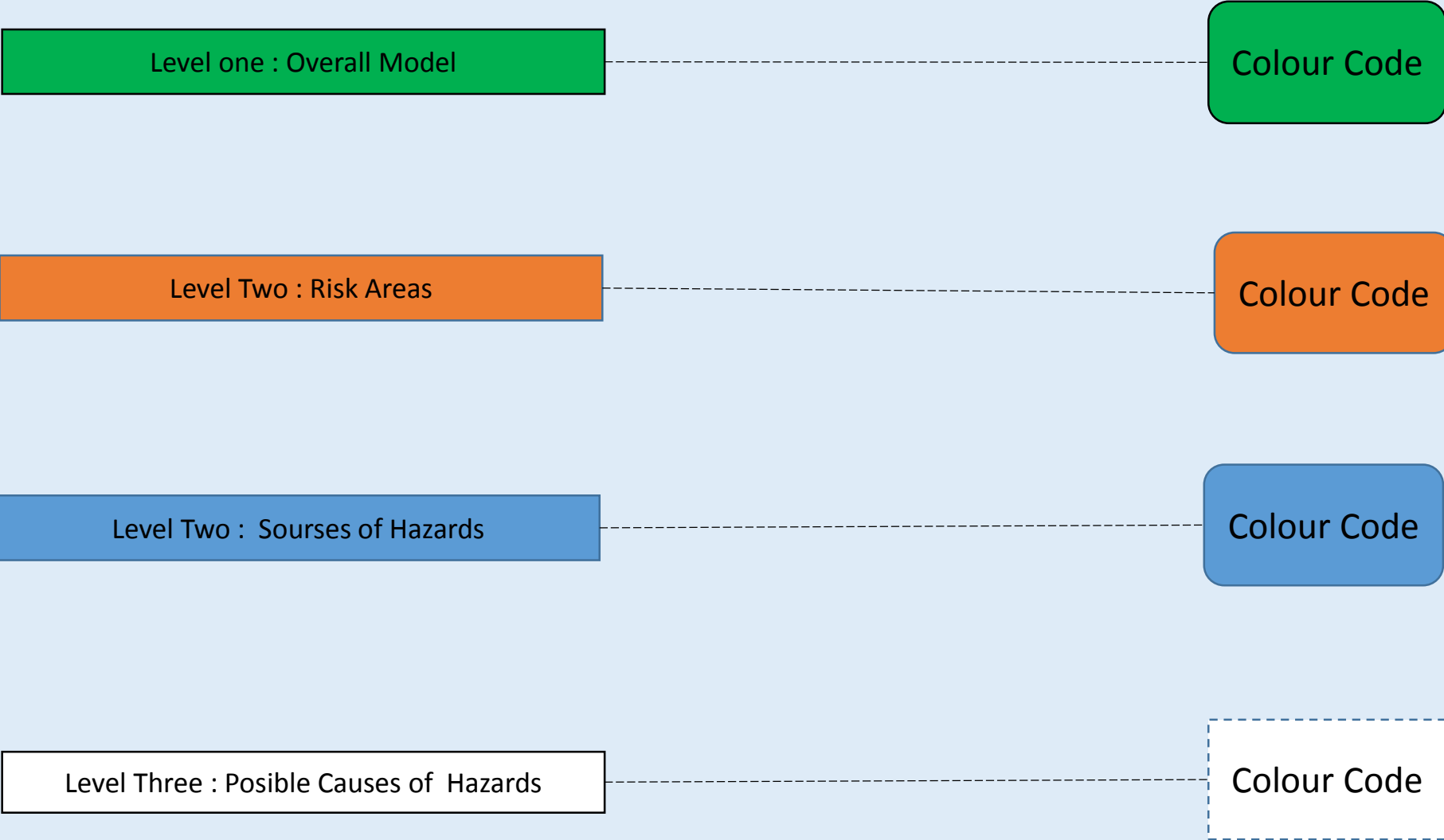
An Industry wide perspective

Purpose

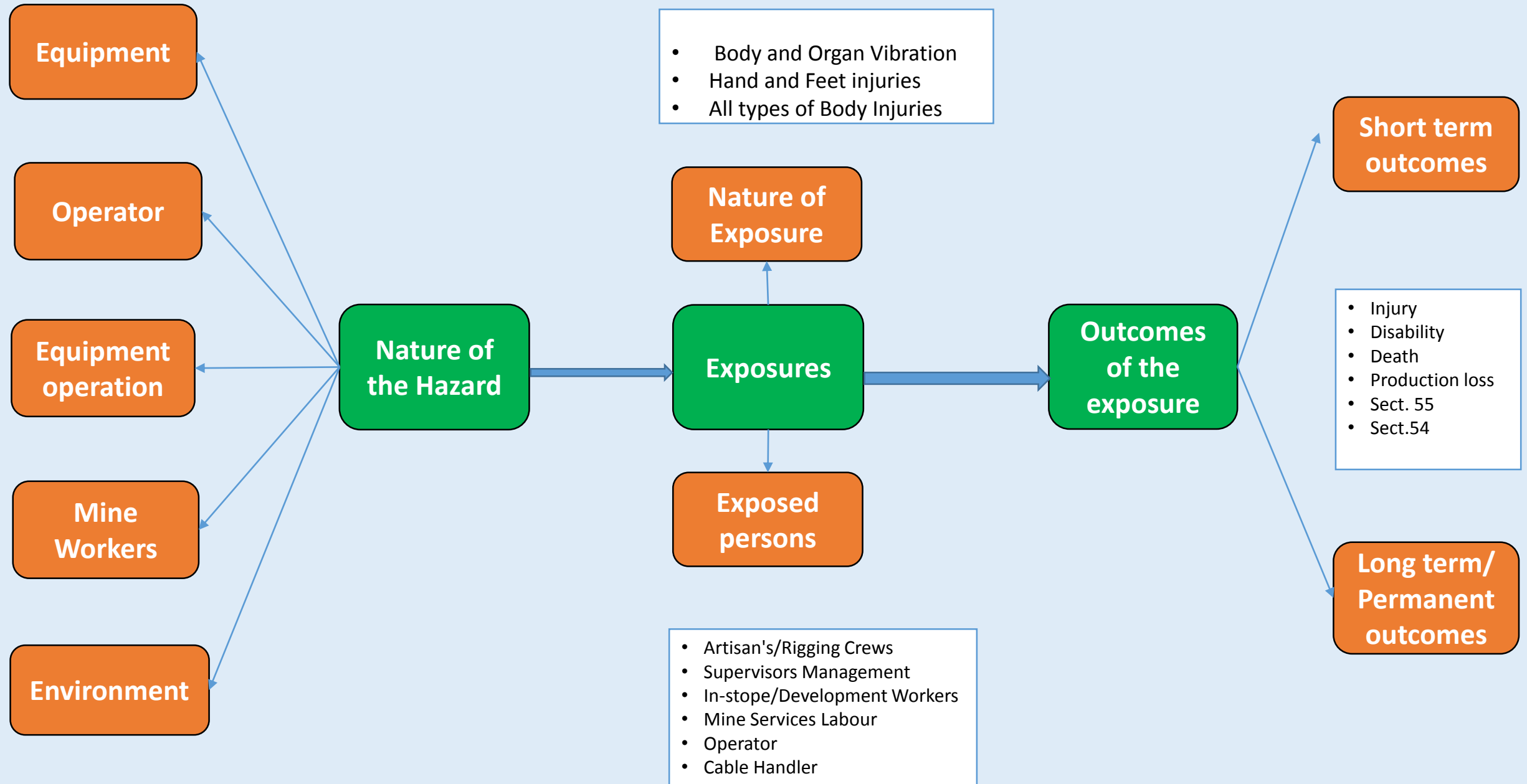
The model is a corner stone for the MOSH initiative's process to identify Leading Practices with the potential to make the **biggest** contribution to **industry wide occupational** safety performance for conveyor operation **Hard Rock Mining operations**. The model can be widely used for baseline risk analysis **and can assist operations in to determine if they have adequate Critical Controls in place for the hazards of their specific operation. The model prompts a pro active approach to the identification of sources of hazards, its causes and the management thereof.**

The model is generic for all Surface and Underground Coal Mining Operations and need to be expanded for each specific process

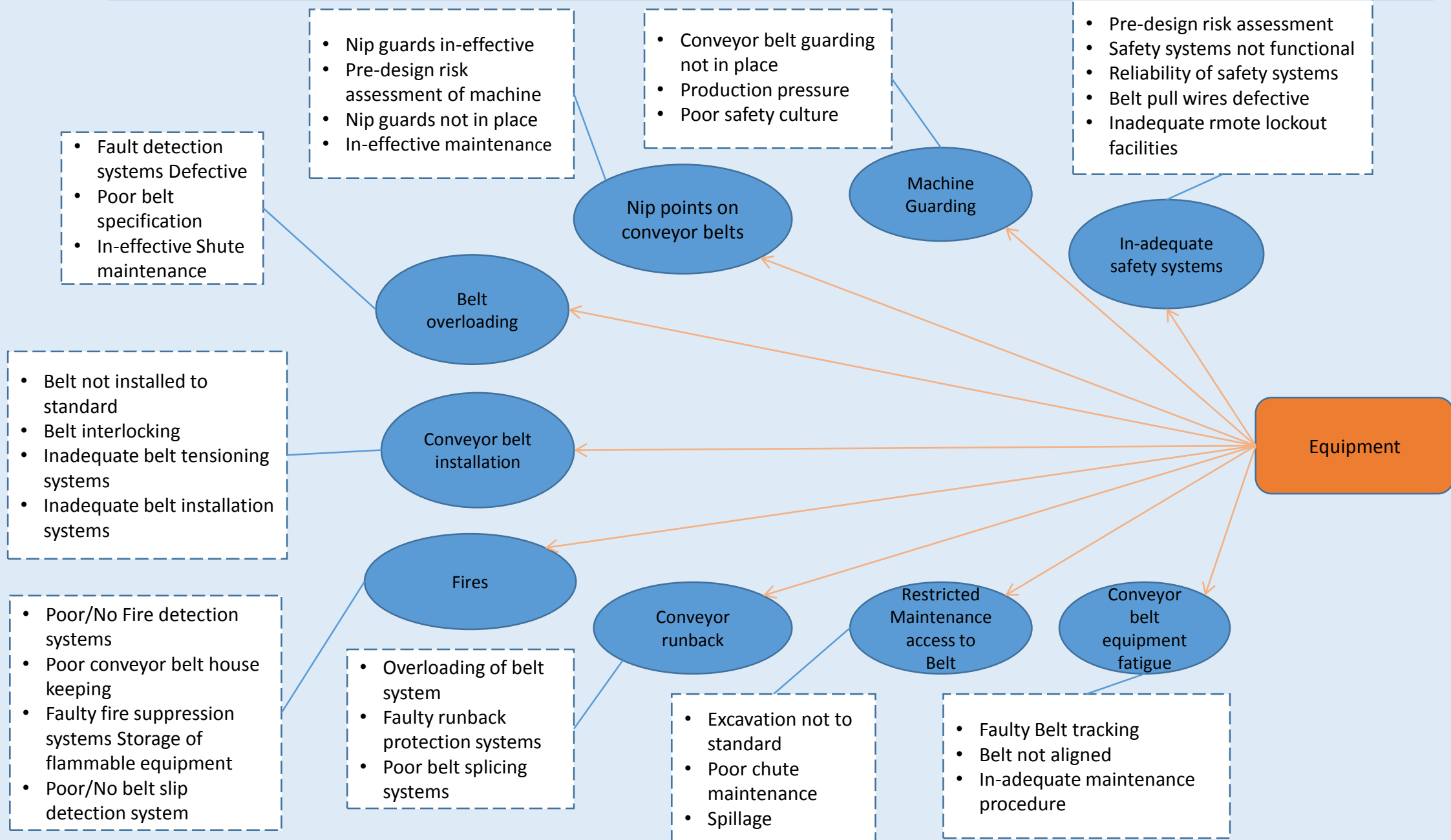
Note: It is important to note that this model only covers Transport and Machinery. Noise dust and falls of ground are covered by separate models.



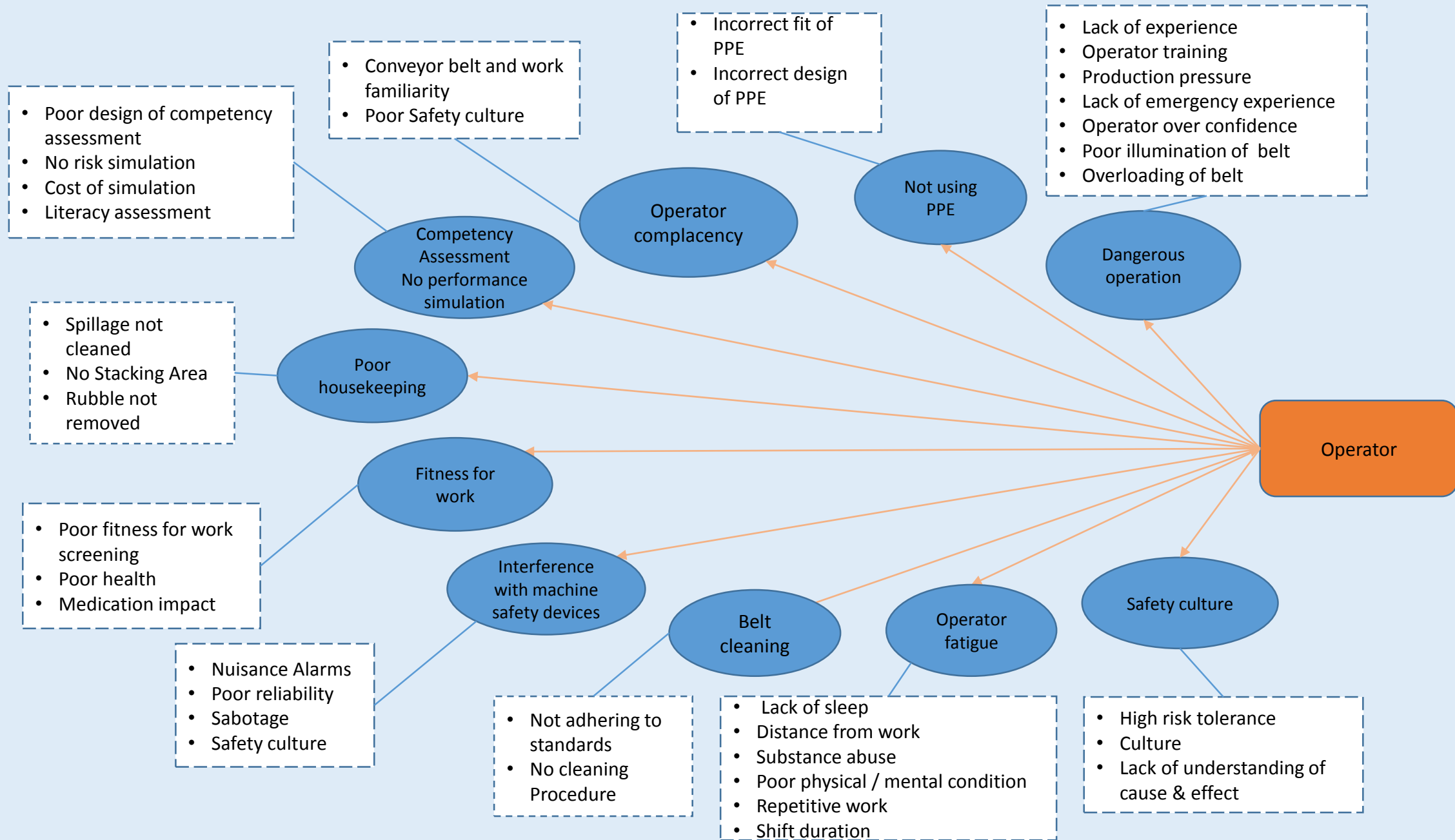
Level One : Overall Model



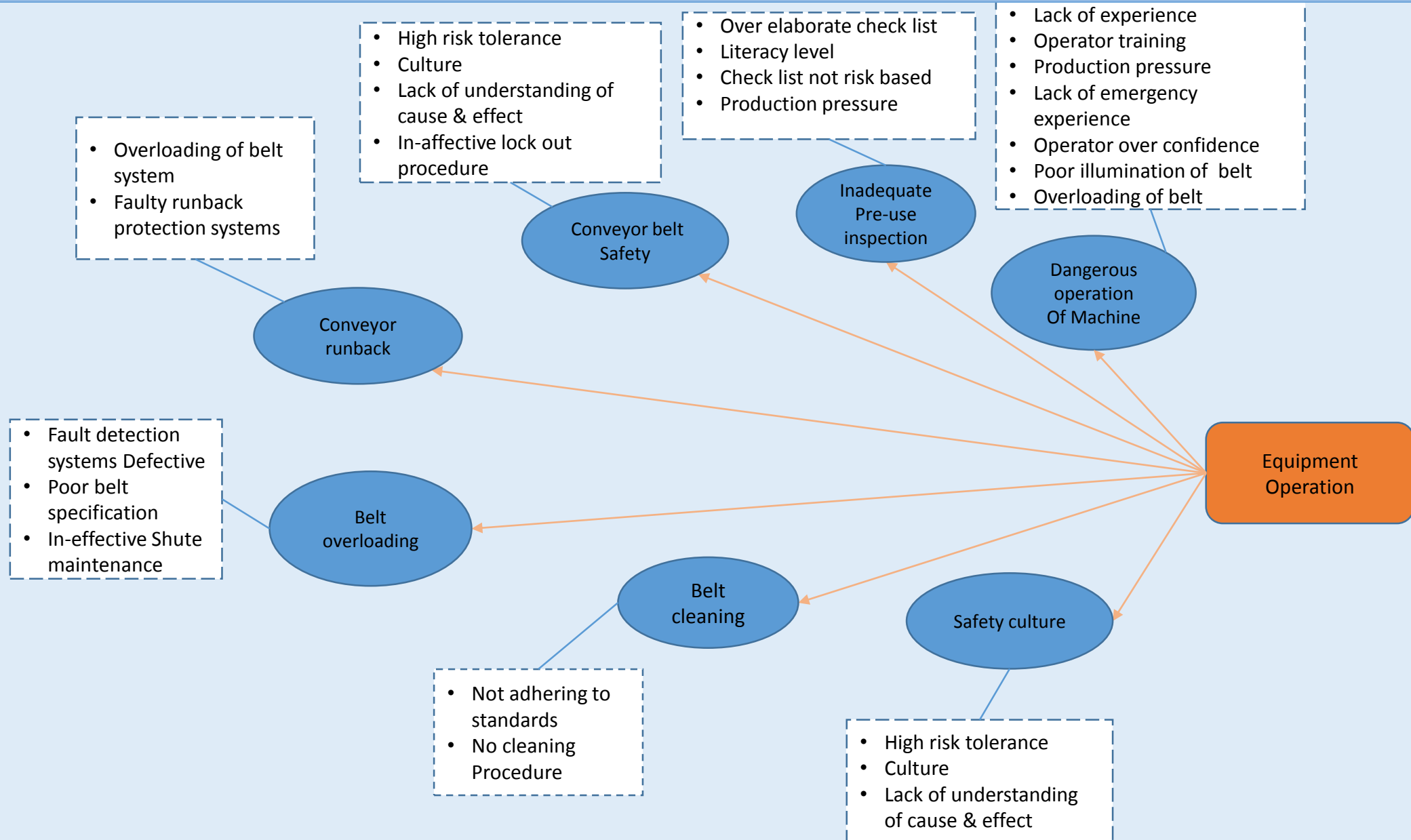
Level Two : Sources of Hazards by Conveyor Equipment. Level Three : Causes of Hazards



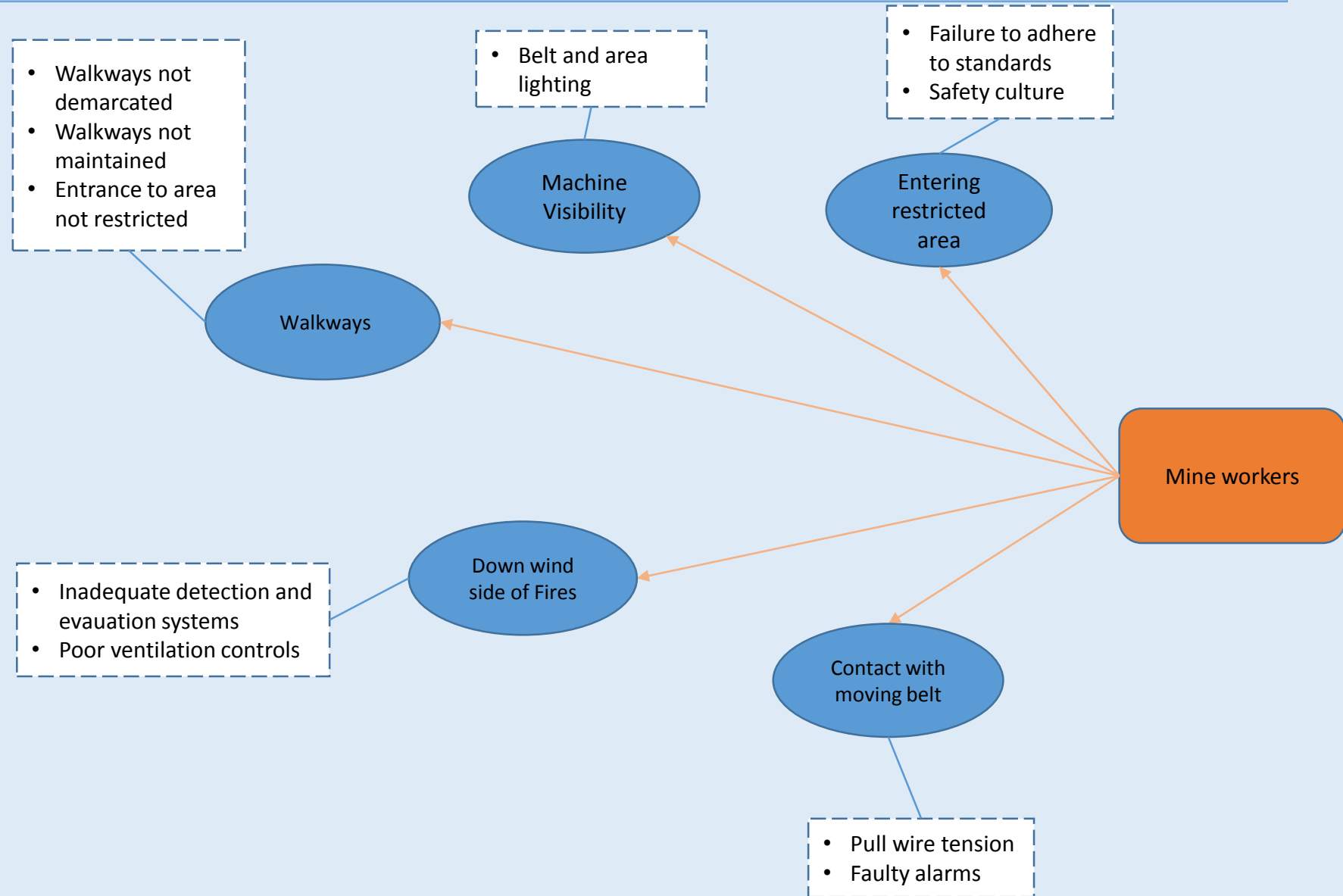
Level Two : Sources of Hazards by Conveyor Operator. Level Three : Causes of Hazards



Level Two : Sources of Hazards by Conveyor Equipment Operation. Level Three : Causes of Hazards



Level Two : Sources of Hazards to Mine Workers. Level Three : Causes of Hazards



Level Two : Sources of Hazards by Enviroment. Level Three : Causes of Hazards

- Poor/No Fire detection systems
- Poor conveyor belt house keeping
- Faulty fire suppression systems Storage of flammable equipment
- Poor/No belt slip detection system

Conveyor belt fires

Environment

