



Use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

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Introduction

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) is any clothing, equipment, or substance designed to be worn by a person to protect the person from risks of injury or illness.

Purpose

This Procedure sets out the requirements for use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).

Scope

This procedure applies to all employees, contractors and visitors to Red Opal Innovations (ROI).

Procedure

1. ROI will provide PPE for all its employees at no cost to the employee.
2. Prior to the execution of any work, a risk assessment shall be carried out in accordance with the Hazard Management Procedure (A309296) to identify PPE requirements. The principles of the Hierarchy of Controls shall be used, that is, PPE is used as a last priority control measure.
3. Managers must ensure that this procedure is fully implemented and that signs are posted where it is necessary to use PPE.
4. Workers must comply with WHS legislation and the requirements of this procedure. They must use the appropriate PPE where signage requires its use.