



Hazard Profile – Demolition

Job Activity (Tasks)	What Can Harm You (Hazards)	What Can Happen (Risks)	Causes Which Need to be Managed (Controlled)
General planning	Inadequate training, consultation, planning and improvisation.	Task specific injuries due to inexperience, inadequate consultation or failure to provide appropriate equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient skills (competency) to complete the required task. <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate consultation with relevant employees. <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate competent supervision. <input type="checkbox"/> Planning for required equipment not carried out. <input type="checkbox"/> Improvisation using inappropriate equipment.
	Poor Access.	Slips, trips and falls; abrasions, strains and sprains; manual handling injuries such as back damage.	<input type="checkbox"/> Access to work area cluttered – poor housekeeping. <input type="checkbox"/> Area around work area cluttered with stored materials and/or rubbish. <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate access for demolishers and their equipment.
	Insufficient lighting.	Slips, trips and falls; walk into objects.	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor lighting provided especially in basement areas. <input type="checkbox"/> Access ways not suitably defined or lighted.
	Lack of adequate ventilation.	Illness; overcome by fumes.	<input type="checkbox"/> Working in a Confined Space. <input type="checkbox"/> Intake for asbestos decontamination, or other chamber positioned too close to diesel or other fumes. <input type="checkbox"/> Petrol/diesel driven equipment used.
	Working at height near edge.	Fall from the edge of a floor.	<input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate strength in perimeter handrail or midrail missing. <input type="checkbox"/> Gaps in perimeter protection, e.g. between screen or edge scaffold. <input type="checkbox"/> No catch scaffold provided.