

Incident Learning: What happened?

- On 7 June 2022 at approximately 09h36 four workers were removing metal plates from tank C8 at Killarney Tank Farm by manually handling the plates to place them into a waste metal skip. There was a miscommunication whilst employees were passing one of the plates along when the plate was dropped and one of the workers got their hand caught between the skip and the plate. The Worker sustained a laceration to his left thumb
- The worker was taken to the on-site clinic for assessment and was later referred to Milnerton MediClinic for further assessment and treatment.



What are the learnings for implementation?

- Ensure good communication with your team as required whilst manually handling materials.
- Be aware of pinch points.
- Keep hands out of the line of fire.
- Ensure the correct PPE is worn for your task.