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| Ref. CAT 32 | Task/Activity: Use and Cleaning of Mandolins | | | | Assessment date: |
| Unit No: | Unit name/location: | | | | Assessed by: |
| **Hazard** | | | **Safety Risk** | Safe System of Work / Control Measures | |
| Contact with sharp edge of cutting blade | | | Cuts and Lacerations | * Mandolins only to be used by trained employees, all users must complete the Preventing Cut Injuries Safety Conversation 2 * Mandolins only to be dismantled and cleaned by trained employees of 18 years of age or over. * Mandolins to be maintained in accordance with manufacturer's guidance where available. * Cutting blade (or the Mandolin) to be replaced before the edge becomes blunt. * Mandolins must be used on firm level surfaces with adequate workspace. * Holding tools should be used to grip food being sliced whenever possible. * Food should not be cut too close to the end to ensure that it can still be held firmly while being sliced. * Mandolins must be cleaned through a mechanical dish wash machine. * Implement the Safe System of Work/Control Measures in Dish Washing Machines Risk Assessment, Ref. CAT 19. * **For Sector Specific Controls please review and complete the box below.** | |
| **Who may be affected by the task/activity?**  **(Tick all applicable boxes)** | | |
| Compass employees/Agency staff | |  |
| Customers / Client staff | |  |
| Visitors / Members of the Public | |  | Please review your Sector Specific Guidance to determine if you are required to wear PPE as part of your sector Risk Profile, where PPE is a requirement please record here the PPE required for the task and if it is not a requirement please tick the relevant box;   |  | | --- | |  |   PPE is not required for this task based on our Sector Risk Profile   |  | | --- | |  |   PPE is required for this task based on our Sector Risk Profile and the PPE to be issued is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Ensure all persons required to wear this PPE sign the PPE Record of Issue document and a copy of this is kept on their Personnel File. | |
| Maintenance personnel | |  |
| Delivery personnel | |  |
| Other (specify below) | |  |
| **IMPORTANT - This risk assessment should be reviewed every 3 years, or whenever there is a significant change in the task or activity and following any accident or incident involving this task or activity. This risk assessment must be retained for a period of 6 years.** | | | | | |