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| Ref. CAT 19 | Task/Activity: Use of Dish Washing, Glass Washing and Pot Washing Machines | | | | Assessment date: |
| Unit No: | Unit name/location: | | | | Assessed by: |
| **Hazard** | | | **Safety Risk** | Safe System of Work / Control Measures | |
| Hot machine surfaces  Hot water and steam  Hot crockery and utensils  Dishwasher chemicals  Trapping / Entanglement  Electrical hazards  Wet floors  Broken glass and crockery  Manual handling  **Types of Washing Machines in use in this site are:** | | | Burns  Scalds  Chemical injuries  Nips to fingers and hands  Electric shock  Slips and falls  Cuts  Back and muscle strain | * Dish Washing machines only to be used and cleaned by trained employees who have also completed the Preventing Chemical Injuries Safety Conversation 4. * Equipment to be maintained by competent persons and in accordance with manufacturer's guidance where available * Conveyor type machines to be fitted with retaining curtains on the open ends to prevent hot water splashing out. * Machines to be designed so that the water and motor cut out automatically when doors are opened. * Employees to stand back when opening the operating door or lid in order to avoid scalds from condensate and water vapour. * Conveniently accessible stop control button to be fitted on machines. * Only trained employees to handle and change dishwasher chemicals by following COSHH Product Assessment controls including wearing appropriate PPE. * Broken glass and crockery to be securely wrapped before placing in a bin liner, or disposed of separately in a rigid container. * Trolleys to be used where appropriate for the movement of crockery and cutlery. * Floor maintained in a dry condition by implementing the control measures in the “Floor Safety and Safety Footwear” risk assessment. * Spillages cleaned up as they occur and wet floor warning signs used when appropriate. * **Mandatory PPE Required when cleaning and changing chemicals is Nitritech II – order code Q2136** * Implement the Safe System of Work/Control Measures in Disposal of General Waste, Ref COM 06, Electrical Safety, Ref. MAN 05 Risk Assessments and the manual handling safety precautions. | |
| **Who may be affected by the task/activity?**  **(Tick all applicable boxes)** | | |
| Compass employees/Agency staff | |  |
| Customers / Client staff | |  |
| Visitors / Members of the Public | |  |
| 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.** | | | | | |