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#112

Working at Height (WAH) - Vehicle unloading

A Contractors Crane Supervisor was observed engaging in a lifting operation from a delivery vehicle trailer bed (<1m height) without edge protection being in place.

What we know

- Although available, the trailer's integral edge protection was not installed around the trailer bed.
- The task was routine.
- Use of edge protection was detailed within the WPP, but not the Task Briefing Sheet.

Actions taken

- Activity stopped
- Documentation reviewed
- Review of task planning, management and supervision
- Edge protection installed.

What you can do

- All WAH activities must be planned - ensure safe systems of work are in place.
- Review your Task Briefing Sheet, is edge protection required and in place?
- If edge protection is not available, stop work until suitable protective measures are put in place
- Even familiar and routine tasks come with risks - stop, think, make the right choice



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Choice