

Type of Incident

(example: Slip-Trip, Fall from Height, Vehicle , Laceration, Chemical Exposure)

Summary:

An employee was lifting a 1 m raw bar from a storage area via an overhead crane.

During this task the raw bar started to slip from the lifting sling. The employee attempted to stabilise the load by using his hand, which resulted in them trapping their hand between the raw bar and storage rack. The employee required hospital treatment.



Root Causes:

- Improper lifting procedure (identified the need to only use one sling for lift)
- Defective equipment provided for task (crane)

Actions Taken Thus Far: Next Steps

- Lifting procedure to be reviewed and amended accordingly
- Necessary repairs to lifting equipment required