



## SAFE WORK PRACTICE

<b>Working on or around Boats</b>	
General	To protect workers from potential risks and injuries associated with working on or around boats.
Application	Although it is the owner's duty to ensure that work on board and around a vessel is not dangerous to the health and safety of those near or onboard, the WSCC has set out safe practices to avoid injuries and illnesses.
Protective Mechanisms	Safe job Procedures Local Regulations and codes PPE
Selection and Use	As per Safe Job Procedures; Regulations and codes
Supervisor Responsibility	Supervisors are responsible to facilitate and/or provide instruction to employees on protection requirements and training.  Must ensure that WSCC employees are being properly trained and aware of the dangers on or near water vessels.
Worker Responsibility	Before entering the area of any vessel WSCC employees must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Receive proper training in the dangers of the task;</li> <li>• Are aware of common hazards as well as ways to avoid accidents and injury;</li> <li>• Have competent supervision;</li> <li>• Are not allowed to work if they are not in a fit state;</li> </ul>
Legislation/References (if applicable)	
Canada Labour Code Marine Occupational Safety and Health Regulations	
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