



**Saskatchewan
Health Authority**

Procedure

Saskatoon & Area - Occupational Health & Safety

Number: 55-006

Title: Other Hazards: Portable Compressed Gas Cylinders

Saskatchewan Employment Act:

OHS Regulation: 25-13, 25-14

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Purpose

The purpose of this procedure is to establish the processes to follow to ensure safe handling and transportation of portable compressed gas cylinders

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Managers/Supervisors

- Inform workers about the hazards and measures in place to minimize the risks when handling portable compressed gas cylinders
- Train workers in safe handling, storage and transport procedures
- Supervise to ensure safe procedures are followed and that safe transport devices are in place

Workers

- Use safe handling procedures
- Report equipment or process failures to their supervisor and to the Safety Alert System/Incident Reporting Line

Non-Compliance/Breach:

Non-compliance with this policy will result in a review of the incident. A review for non-compliance may result in disciplinary action, up to and including termination of employment or privileges; fines and /or prosecution of individuals under the Saskatchewan Employment Act and OHS Regulations.

Review Dates:

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