

Line of fire injuries occur when the path of a moving object, or release of hazardous energy:

- Is in-line with part of an individual's body; and
- The individual is struck by the object or hazardous energy

The three major categories of line of fire incidents are:

- Caught-in or between
- Struck by; and
- Released energy

LIFE SAVING RULE

To avoid line of fire injuries YOU MUST:

- Position yourself to avoid direct exposure to:
 - Rotating equipment, suspended loads or dropped objects
 - Moving objects or equipment, including vehicles and rotating parts
 - The release or potential release of high pressure
- Establish and obey barriers and exclusion zones
- Secure loose objects, particularly while working at height
- Report any potential for dropped objects; and
- Wear appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for example, high-vis jacket, safety glasses, face visor, gloves and hard hat.

