

CFMEU SAFETY GUIDANCE

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Mobile Pick & Carry Crane

Always plan the job no matter how small – If you can't get the time to plan the job don't do it.

Consider the following;

- Risk Assessment performed and task specific SWMS in place
- Is the crane capable of doing the job?
- Crane crew all qualified and competent
- Personal - psychological state, stress, fatigue, just not feeling well (all affect performance)
- All relevant documentation provided to crane crew
- Is the crane in good condition, been maintained and serviced?
- The lifting gear chains, hooks, slings, rings, tag lines, packing etc. all available and in good condition
- Consider the weight, size, shape and composition of all loads
- Has the travel route been assessed?
- Interface with other plant, vehicles and pedestrians has been considered
- Exclusion zones established during travel and at loading, unloading points
- Ground conditions particularly when articulating the crane - underground and overhead services, uneven ground, sloping ground, soft ground, slippery surfaces
- Operating within structure – Contact with structure
- Weather conditions – Lightning, rain, wind and extreme heat
- Is an emergency response plan in place?



We all have a duty of care to ourselves and our workmates –

This is by no means everything that needs to be considered and different situations present varying hazards, don't be complacent, the consequences may be catastrophic.

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