Spill Prevention and Response Infographic



Spill Response Procedure

If the spill cannot be safely contained or if the spill is causing a threat to life, evacuate the area and call **999** from a safe location

IF SAFE TO DO SO

STOP > CONTAIN > NOTIFY > CLEAN-UP

STOP

Stop work immediately

- Stop the leak or elimimate the source of the spill
- Eliminate ignition sources and provide natural ventilation

CONTAIN

- Use pollution control equipment (e.g. spill kits, drip trays, bunds of earth and sand) to contain the spill
- Check the spill has not reched any drains, water courses or other sensitive areas
- Cover all drains / manholes to prevent the spill from entering the drainage system

NOTIFY

Once the spill has been contained notify your emergency contact. Details at the bottom of the page.

CLEAN-UP

- Attempt to soak up the spill using absorbent material
- Always follow your Duty of Care for waste when disposing of contaminated materials including spill kit/equipment.

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