

Safety First!

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SUBJECT

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Classification

First Aid Injury

Where?

Location: Fabrication

Workshop

When?

Section: Fabrication

Date: 17/05/2023

for medical assistance

Time: 11:30hrs

Incident Description

A welder sustained an injury after a slag particle got into his right eye whilst chipping on a stainless steel GN01 drop chute.

Body part / Nature of Damage

Slag particle in his right eye

Preliminary Findings?

Incorrect use of PPE – The welder did not use the filter lens of the helmet but instead he raised the entire helmet from his face exposing his eye to falling particles of slag.

Chipping with the filter lens raised and clear lens covering the eyes

The incident was reported and the injured was taken to the mine clinic

- The incident was briefed to all employees of the section.
- Employees must always ensure the proper use of the required PPE when performing their tasks.

Preventative & Corrective Measures

Chipping with the helmet removed from the face exposing eyes to injury

