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Medical Treatment Injury

**Where?****Location :** MEA plant**Section:** Utilities  
Workshop**When?****Date:** 28/06/2023**Time:** 10:10hrs**Incident Description**

A contractor employee sustained laceration on his left hand after being cut by a stainless-steel sheet whilst tying it on to a lagging material.

**Nature of Injury**

Laceration between small and ring finger.

**Preliminary Findings?**

- **Improper holding technique:** The employee instead of supporting the sheet on the sides, he held it on the sharp edge exposing his hands to cuts.
- **Inattentiveness** – The employee was not paying attention to the task at hand.
- The employee was wearing protective gloves.

Laceration cut between  
the employee's fingers

**Preventative & Corrective Measures**

- The incident was reported to responsible personnel
- The incident was briefed to employees of the contractor.
- Employees must always follow safe working procedures.
- Employees must always pay attention when doing work .

