

# COMMUNICATIONS KIT

## Sugar mill safety Code of Practice 2024 and its cane rail supplement





# ABOUT THIS KIT



This communications kit has been created to help you and your workplace understand the remade Sugar mill safety Code of Practice 2024 and its cane rail supplement.

In this easy-to-use kit you will find:

- key messages
- social media post for sharing.

# KEY MESSAGES

The Sugar mill safety Code of Practice 2024 and its cane rail safety supplement commenced on 23 September 2024. The new code has been remade following a review supported by two respective steering groups, one for milling and one for cane transport. Each group was comprised of industry representatives, worker representatives and technical experts.

The focus of the review was to ensure the content continues to effectively guide the sugar industry on how duty holders can achieve the standard of health, safety and welfare required under the *Work Health and Safety Act 2011* and *Work Health and Safety Regulation 2011*.

These changes have been supported by steering group members and are primarily based on modernising the content to ensure it is reflective of current industry best practice.

A notable update is the inclusion of specific guidance in relation to the use of perimeter fencing to manage the risks of cane bin collision with workers or other mobile plant.

# SOCIAL MEDIA

You are welcome to use the below post on your own channels or share ours!

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🔄 The Sugar mill safety Code of Practice 2024 and its cane rail safety supplement has been remade and commence on 23 September 2024.

🧑🏫 Supported by industry, worker representatives and technical experts, the code has been remade to ensure it continues to effectively guide the sugar industry to achieve the standard of health, safety and welfare required under the Work Health and Safety (WHS) Act 2011 and WHS Regulation.

Key updates to the remade code include:

- ◆ modernised content reflecting current industry best practices
- ◆ new guidance on perimeter fencing to reduce cane bin collision risks.

These changes mark a significant step forward in maintaining a safe and efficient working environment. Thank you to everyone who contributed their expertise and feedback! 🙌

Stay informed and ensure your practices are up to date:

<https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice>

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