

POST Barricading Standard



Importance of Barricading

Barricading a workspace is important because it is a controlled measure used to:

- ⚠️ Protect workers from **unauthorized entry** into their workspace by vehicles or individuals.
- ⚠️ Prevent risk of a worker being **struck by a vehicle** or stepped on
- ⚠️ Show **due diligence** if unauthorized entry leads to injury.
- ⚠️ Protect the public from **slip, trip and fall hazards** from tools and equipment used
- ⚠️ Provide clearance to protect against **dropped objects**
- ⚠️ Protect workers when they barricade around **secondary hazards** such as below grade openings & roof access

Barricading Requirements



Stop Element

Use your vehicle to block the work area.



Visibility: Cones & Flags

Place cones with flags around the work area.

- Every 6 feet (1.8 m) max
- Safety cones 28" (71 cm) high
- Flags at least 48" (122 cm) high



Isolation

Isolate work area with a continuous barrier (poles, chain or caution tape).

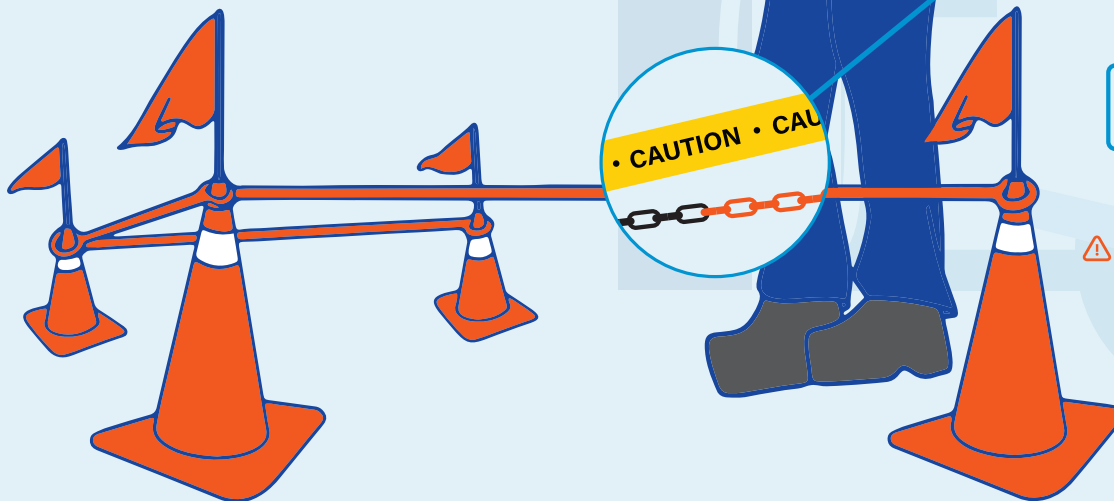


Complete Paperwork

Submit the documents and forms required for the worksite.

⚠️ Safety Perimeter

- Safety cones to be **minimum 6ft (1.8m)** buffer around the worker. Indoors: this may vary **3-6ft**.
- Speed bumps (optional outdoors)



Additional Barricade Examples



Indoor Barricade



Secondary Barricade