



## Light Eye Protection Reminder

A Supervisor recently had some metal plasterboard trim strike him in the eye causing cuts to his eye lid and eye. (top photo)

We have also experienced similar injuries such as small pieces of cut block/concrete striking the eye and lower eye lid (bottom photo)

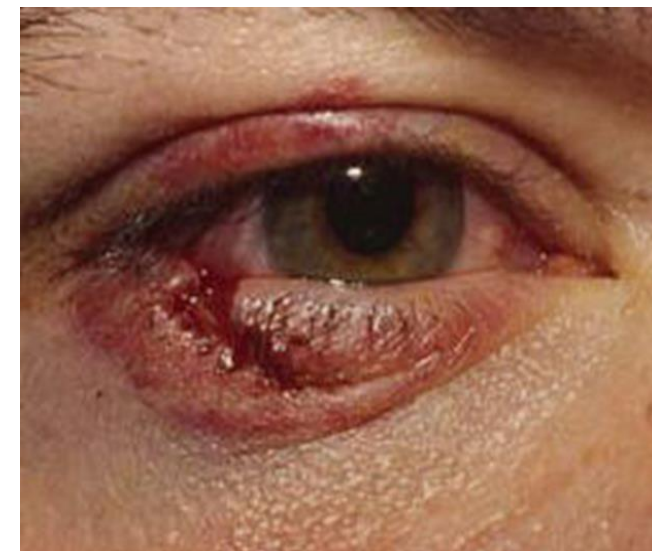
Neither operative were wearing LEP or other eye protection which could have prevented, or significantly reduced, the injury to their eye.

Morgan Sindall Construction's PPE policy requires Light Eye Protection (LEP) to be **WORN AT ALL TIMES WHILST ON SITE**, as this helps to significantly reduce the occurrence of eye injuries.

Light Eye Protection only provides protection against low energy impact hazards. Where risk assessment identifies a high impact risk, such as grinding or high-speed cutting, a higher level of protection such as Class B goggles should be worn.

### Action for all projects

- Ensure the attached Toolbox Talk is delivered to all persons at the project.
- Ensure that LEP cleaning stations are provided around the project as this can assist with compliance.
- Display this SHE Alert at a prominent location on your project.



Safe by choice



Safe by design



Safe lives



Safe places



Safe relationships

REFERENCE	ISSUED	DISPLAY UNTIL
SHE-ALT-2024_18	June 2024	OCT 2024