

What are the hazards and how might they harm?



Burns/scalds from contact with hot surfaces or equipment



Electric shock or burns from incorrect use or damaged/faulty equipment



Ignition of combustible or flammable items



Burns/scalds from contact with hot ash

What other precautions should be taken?



Firefighting equipment must be easily accessible

Safety Task Card

Oven smoker box attachments

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Unit Managers – use page overleaf to list any hazards and control measures specific to your site which are not listed below

Safe System of Work

1. Only use a smoker box that is compatible for the oven being used.
2. Visually check equipment, in particular cables and the element for damage and report any issues to your manager.
3. Only use wood chips that are intended for use in smokers.
4. Do not overfill the smoker box and ensure that the lid can be fully closed.
5. Do not leave the oven unattended when using a smoker.
6. Do not touch the heating element while the smoker is in use or while it is cooling down.
7. Turn the smoker off and disconnect it after use, then allow it to cool before emptying ash, cleaning or storing it.
8. Carefully decant ash into a non-flammable container and douse with water before transferring to a non-combustible external waste bin.
9. Visually inspect the interior of the oven for cleanliness after use; remove any loose debris or residue and complete a cleaning cycle if required.

If you have any concerns, stop and speak with your line manager before proceeding.

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List any additional hazards or risks you have identified, and control measures required to manage these.