



LET'S TALK ABOUT RISK!

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A core part of the Imagine Think Act program is that we focus on the right risks at the right time. The Field Risk Talk is a way for leaders to make sure that everyone turns intentions and plans into real actions.

A Field Risk Talk is conducted by at least two people, a leader and someone in charge at the workplace. The focus is always a high risk activity, perhaps involving one of the critical risk rules. It is about speaking with people on the job about the important risks and how the work is actually performed. The aim is to make sure that controls are effectively in place and all relevant personnel are aware and following them.

THINK before you act!

IMAGINE... You are in charge of a project that involves barges mooring alongside a cutter. At any stage during this project, you want to make sure that the communications between crews is optimal for operational control and thus safety. How can you do this?

Start a Field Risk Talk with a colleague! It helps you to analyse, evaluate and if necessary improve systems of work and the communication between teams on board of both vessels.

Together you ask questions and listen to all involved. You make sure that everybody has applied imagination to identify hazards, that control measures have been defined in a clear plan and that everybody knows what to do. We are making sure that everything is in place and managed before we act.

A Field Risk Talk focuses on people, their work environment, their practices and their equipment.

The most important part is the talk between leader and task owner about the serious risks of the task and the measures that can control them.



COMMUNICATE WITH EACH OTHER

The Field Risk Talk helps us to keep operational control over our activities, especially when it comes to risk awareness. It is not a systems audit and it is not about checking paperwork. It is a great process to verify the quality of communication around safety and the important risks, in a proactive and transparent way.

The aim is always for immediate action in giving positive feedback and in helping to solve problems.



TRAINING AND SUPPORT

A training program and support is available through the QHSSE team as well as a User Guide and form that guides you through each of the steps of the Field Risk Talk. So let's do this, use the Field Risk Talk as an opportunity to get out in the workplace with colleagues and together we can make Imagine Think Act a success.

The six main questions during a FIELD RISK TALK

1. IS THE WORK SCOPE AND PURPOSE UNDERSTOOD?
2. HAVE ALL INVOLVED IDENTIFIED THE MAIN RISKS?
3. DID THE TEAM THINK OF A PLAN TO ADDRESS THESE RISKS (DOCUMENTED OR VERBAL)?
4. DO ALL INVOLVED KNOW THIS PLAN?
5. DO ALL INVOLVED ACT AS PER THIS PLAN?
6. IS IT CLEAR WHO LEADS AND CONTROLS THE WORK?