



Notification Decision Flowchart

Accident means:

1. an undesirable or unfortunate happening; casualty; mishap.
 2. anything that happens unexpectedly, without design, or by chance ...
- (Macquarie dictionary)

Injury means:

1. harm of any kind done or sustained.
 2. a particular form or instance of harm ...
- (Macquarie dictionary)

Disease means:

1. a morbid condition of the body, or of some organ or part; illness; sickness; ailment ...
 2. any deranged or depraved condition, as of the mind ...
- (Macquarie dictionary)

Occurrence means:

1. the action or fact of occurring.
 2. something that occurs; an event or incident.
- (Macquarie dictionary)

Workplace means:

- any Commonwealth premises (premises owned or occupied by the Commonwealth or a Commonwealth Authority); or
 - any non-Commonwealth licensee premises (premises owned or occupied by the non-Commonwealth licensee)
- in which Commonwealth or non-Commonwealth licensee employees, contractors or Commonwealth Authority employees work.
- It does not include any part of premises that is primarily used as a private dwelling (OHS Act S5)

Premises means:

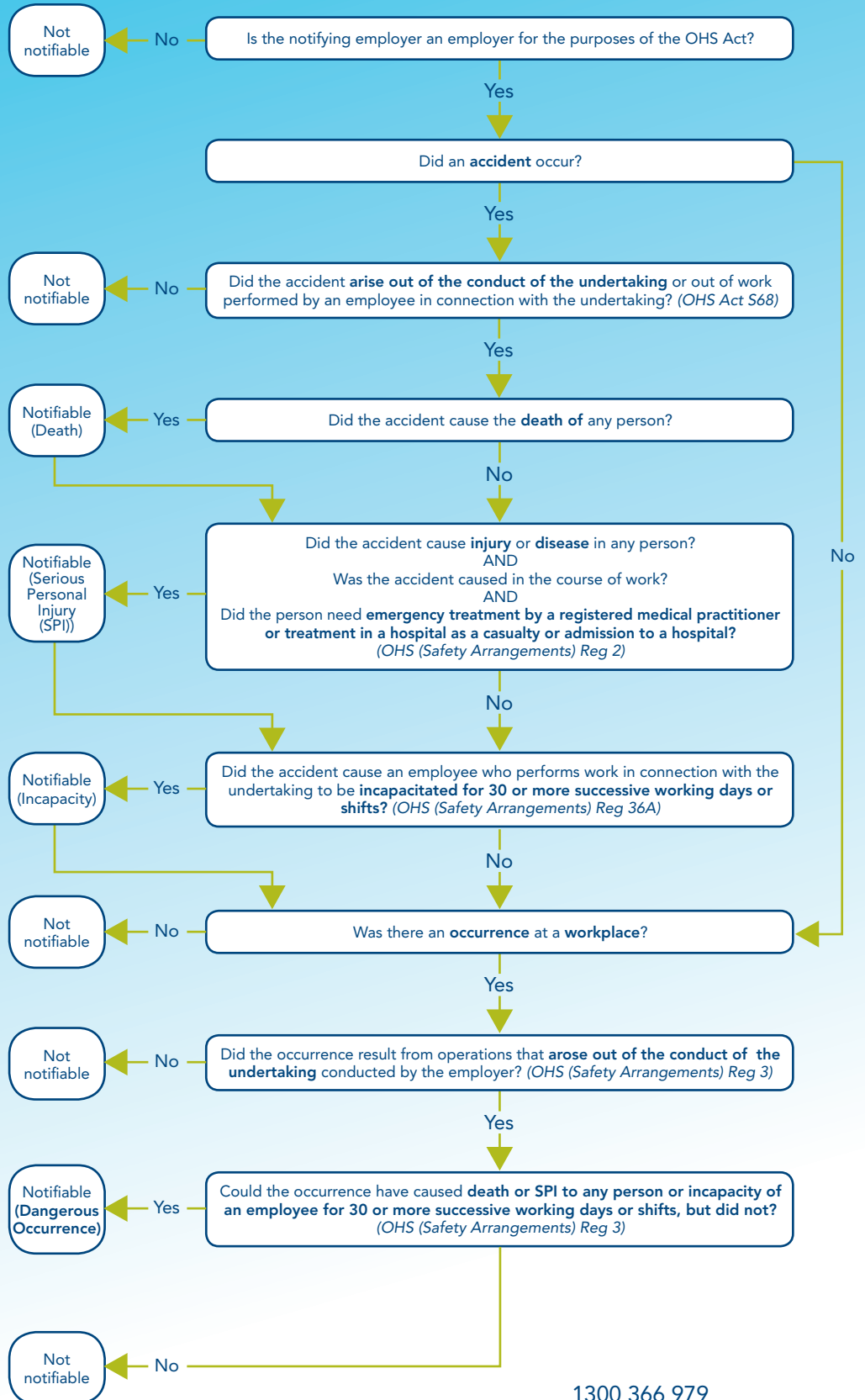
- any place (whether enclosed or built or not), including a place under ground or under water, and includes:
- a building, aircraft, vehicle or vessel
 - any structure whether fixed or moveable (such as a tent), and whether on land, on bed of any water or floating on water and
 - a part of premises.
- (OHS Act S5)

Dangerous Occurrence means:

- an occurrence at a workplace that resulted from operations that arose from the undertaking conducted by an employer: and could have caused (but did not cause);
 - the death or serious personal injury to any person;
 - or incapacity of an employee for 30 or more consecutive working shifts or days.
- (OHS Act S5(1) and OHS (Safety Arrangements) Reg 3)

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