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## **NOTICE: Natural Disasters**

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**NOTICE: Natural disasters**. Many states have been affected by bushfires, floods and storms and state regulators have health and safety information about what to do before, during and after a natural disaster.

See below for links to state-based resources.

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Here are some links to state-based resources:

Australian Government: Flood and storm hazards, see <u>https://www.comcare.gov.au/safe-healthy-work/prevent-harm/seasonal-hazards/flood-and-storm-hazards</u> (This also has additional links to each State Emergency Services flood information)

**ACT:** Storms, floods and bushfires, see <u>https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/health-and-safety-</u>portal/safety-topics/safety-advice/working-in-extreme-weather/storms,-floods-and-bushfires

**NSW:** Floods and other natural disasters, see <u>https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/resource-</u>library/blogs/blogs-accordions/floods-and-other-natural-disasters

**NT:** Emergency plans and aftermath, see <u>https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/forms-and-</u>resources/safety-alerts/emergency-plans-and-aftermath

**QLD:** Storms and floods, see <u>https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/safety-and-</u>prevention/hazards/workplace-hazards/dangers-in-your-workplace/storms-and-floods

**SA:** Emergency response, see <u>https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/workplaces/emergency-</u>response

**Tas:** Emergency planning, see <u>https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/Health-and-</u>Safety/managing-safety/getting-your-safety-systems-right/emergency-planning

VIC: Beware of hidden hazards in flood clean-up, see https://www.worksafe.vic.gov.au/news/2022-10/beware-hidden-hazards-flood-clean

WA: Emergency management, see <a href="https://www.worksafe.wa.gov.au//emergency-management">https://www.worksafe.wa.gov.au//emergency-management</a> and Clean up after cyclones, storms or floods, see <a href="https://www.worksafe.wa.gov.au//clean-after-cyclones-storms-or-floods">https://www.worksafe.wa.gov.au//clean-after-cyclones-storms-or-floods</a> (This link added 19 April 2023)

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