

# September 2016 Compliance Activity Report



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SafeWork SA

## Accommodation and food services

This report covers people working in the state's hotels, restaurants, pubs and clubs, accommodation, takeaways and catering sector.

SafeWork SA inspectors are focussed on ensuring work health and safety and public safety standards are met with appropriate action taken as breaches of laws are detected.

There were two dangerous incidents relating to persons receiving an electric shock. One incident occurred when a guest touched a hairdryer and received an electric shock.

It is important that workplaces ensure electrical items are tested and inspected regularly and protected by a residual current device.

The second incident occurred when a worker attempted to replace a fuse relating to a faulty switch. It is recommended that fault finding should be undertaken by a qualified person.

Report work health and safety issues to SafeWork SA on 1300 365 255 or [help.safework@sa.gov.au](mailto:help.safework@sa.gov.au).

