

# STOPThink! Slip, trip injury



Location – Raised Kerb area

## What happened?

On 25.01.2024 on the A27 New Monks Farm project, while on night shift, one of the supply chain site operatives slipped and fell over on loose material whilst stepping over a kerb line to access another part of the site. This resulted in an injury to their left elbow and left shoulder.

## Impacts

- The IP attended hospital, confirmed injuries sustained was potential ligament damage to the left shoulder area

## Immediate action

- Site access areas reviewed
- Standdowns planned and delivered the same day

## Octavius staff and our suppliers must confirm that they:

- Have all access points been reviewed and communicated?
- Are the SSOWs reviewed and updated reflecting the current site conditions, routes to follow and tasks?
- Is the task lighting adequate for the works area?
- Do all operatives working on nights have and use head torches?
- Are all operatives wearing the right footwear?
- Are all site personnel aware of the accident / incident reporting process?
- Remind everyone that if it's not right or feels unsafe to STOP Think! and reassess before continuing.

