

Activity 3A

Estimated Time	15 Minutes
Objective	To provide you with an opportunity to raise WHS issues with designated persons according to organisational procedures and participate in workplace safety meetings, inspections and consultative activities.
Activity	Individually, in pairs or in groups, complete the following; Henry gets a bloody nose during naptime. After using multiple tissues to clean him up, your lead educator throws away the soiled tissues into the garbage and sits down and goes back to what she was doing. You offer to take out the garbage for her, as is the policy when putting bodily contaminants in the garbage. Your lead educator says, "Oh, don't worry about it. The bin is almost empty. Nobody follows that policy around here. And, it is in direct contradiction to our sustainability policy." What do you do? Be specific. I would disregard the lead educators comments and follow the appropriate procedures for waste disposal using the appropriate PPE. I would then bring to her attention the correct procedures of waste disposal and if necessary talk to the appropriate supervisor, also if required, bring it up at the next work meeting to discuss correct protocols on such policies.