



# Who does what in Asbestos

THE INFORMATION BELOW IS INTENDED AS A GUIDE ONLY. THE HANDLING OF ANY GIVEN COMPLAINT WILL DEPEND UPON THE SPECIFIC CIRCUMSTANCES OF EACH CASE.

I am concerned about		
Dumped Asbestos	→	<b>Where was it found?</b>
		● On public land and it's a large amount  → Contact the EPA hotline: <b>1300 372 842</b>
		● On council or public land and it's a small amount  → Contact the local council <a href="#">Find a Council here</a>
		● I saw a business dump it (can be either large or small) → Contact the WorkSafe Advisory Line: <b>1800 136 089</b> <b>OR</b> Contact the EPA hotline: <b>1300 372 842</b>
Improper removal activity	→	<b>Where do you suspect this is occurring?</b>
		● Contractor doing works at a commercial or residential premises → Contact the WorkSafe Advisory Line: <b>1800 136 089</b>
		● Homeowner doing removal themselves → Contact your local council <a href="#">Find a Council here</a>
		● Environmental concerns, i.e. breaking up of asbestos sheeting (large scale activity) → Contact the EPA hotline: <b>1300 372 842</b>
Storage of asbestos waste	→	<b>What type of storage?</b>
		● Improper storage of asbestos waste on commercial properties → Contact the WorkSafe Advisory Line: <b>1800 136 089</b>
		● Improper storage of asbestos waste on residential properties → Contact your local council <a href="#">Find a Council here</a>
		● Temporary approvals issued by the EPA → Contact the EPA hotline: <b>1300 372 842</b>
Transport of asbestos waste	→	Suspected illegal transport of asbestos waste (i.e. no permit) → Contact the EPA hotline: <b>1300 372 842</b>
Deteriorating building structure	→	<b>Where is the structure?</b>
		● On a business site/commercial premises → Contact the WorkSafe Advisory Line: <b>1800 136 089</b>
		● On a residential property, e.g. shed or fence → Contact your local council <a href="#">Find a Council here</a>

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How to find a licensed asbestos removalist/check if a contractor is licensed	→ Contact the WorkSafe Advisory Line: <b>1800 136 089</b> or visit <a href="http://www.asbestos.vic.gov.au">www.asbestos.vic.gov.au</a>
How to get an asbestos test	→ Contact your local licensed asbestos removalist or occupational hygienist or visit <a href="http://www.asbestos.vic.gov.au">www.asbestos.vic.gov.au</a>
How to dispose of asbestos-containing materials	→ <b>Who is doing the removal?</b>
	● A contractor is doing this on my behalf → Visit <a href="http://www.epa.vic.gov.au">www.epa.vic.gov.au</a> to find out which landfill sites are licensed to receive commercial asbestos waste
	● I am doing the removal myself on my own property ( <i>not recommended</i> ) → Contact your local council <a href="#">Find a Council here</a>
More about managing asbestos in the workplace and in the home	→ Visit <a href="http://www.asbestos.vic.gov.au">www.asbestos.vic.gov.au</a>