



Ensuring the safest construction vehicle journeys:

Every year, 500 people are killed or seriously injured in collisions with HGVs

CLOCS: **OUR STANDARD**

CLOCS is a national Standard that requires all stakeholders in construction to take responsibility for health & safety beyond the hoardings.

It demands collaborative action to prevent fatal or serious collisions between vehicles servicing construction projects and vulnerable road users: pedestrians, cyclists, and motorcyclists.

CLOCS: **OUR GOALS**

- Zero collisions between construction vehicles and the community
- Improved air quality and reduced emissions
- Fewer vehicle journeys
- Reduced reputational risk

The CLOCS Standard places responsibilities on key stakeholders in a construction project

including the operator of any vehicles servicing that project:



Stakeholder requirements

Regulators and Authorities



- embed the requirement to operate to the *CLOCS Standard* into policy and guidance documents
- ensure the planning process requires submission and approval of an outline and/or detailed CLP that addresses the main transport impact/risks in delivering the project safely before consent is granted
- require a project to have effective CLOCS implementation monitoring mechanisms and to provide to the authority (if requested) CLOCS compliance performance data
- have in place effective enforcement mechanisms to secure prompt action by the project team should a breach occur

Stakeholder requirements

Construction clients / developers



- specify in tender and contract documents for all stakeholders to comply to the *CLOCS Standard*
- ensure the project team develops and implements a suitable and sufficient CLP
- ensure effective monitoring of compliance to the *CLOCS Standard*
- obtain and monitor the contractor's action plan to address all identified issues and non-compliances
- ensure all collisions resulting in harm (and near miss incidents) that occur on journeys associated with the project are quickly investigated and actions taken to prevent recurrence

Stakeholder requirements

Principal contractors



- ensure the project's potential impact on the community has been properly risk-assessed
- develop and/or implement the agreed CLP and ensure it remains suitable and sufficient
- procure site and fleet operations that comply to the requirements of the *CLOCS Standard*
- ensure site arrangements enable the safest fleet operations including, but not limited to, 'last mile' routing, level access/egress, stable loading/unloading areas, effective delivery management systems and competent site access traffic marshals
- ensure effective and efficient site access gate checks of HGVs and their drivers to ensure they always comply to the *CLOCS Standard*. Non-compliances must be immediately risk-assessed, appropriately mitigated and addressed through procurement processes
- ensure effective independent monitoring of the project's compliance with the *CLOCS Standard* is undertaken approximately every 6 months and appropriate action taken to address non-compliance
- review information on all collisions resulting in harm (and near miss incidents) that occur on journeys associated with the project and ensure they are quickly investigated and actions taken to prevent recurrence

Stakeholder requirements

Fleet Operators



- ensure all journeys are compliant with the *CLOCS Standard*, meeting the requirements described as Silver in the FORS Standard addressing management, drivers, vehicles and operations
- provide acceptable evidence of compliance as defined/specified by each procurer

PROMOTE AND PROTECT YOUR REPUTATION

CLOCS Champions are recognised for their commitment to the highest levels of safety. Through their contribution to developing and implementing CLOCS as a progressive and pragmatic national Standard, they provide leadership and action.

The strategy behind the CLOCS programme is focused on planning and procurement and collaborative effort is needed to drive behaviours and commercial conditions that will support universal implementation of the CLOCS Standard.

CLOCS champions across the UK are already making progress - join them today.

CLOCS: CHAMPION BENEFITS

- Recognition
- Support with implementation of the CLOCS Standard
- Tools and guidance
- Free and discounted training for Construction Logistics Planning
- Use of the CLOCS logo
- Protection

Above all, CLOCS Champions are secure in the knowledge that every reasonable effort has been made to **ensure the safest construction vehicle journeys.**

Find out more:

Contact us to find out more about CLOCS and how to become a CLOCS Champion

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