

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Safety at Dublin Port: A Collective Commitment

At Dublin Port, safety is more than a priority—it's a core value embedded in everything we do. Through proactive measures, collaborative efforts, and a shared responsibility among all stakeholders, we strive to create a secure environment for everyone who works in, visits, or navigates through the Port.

This commitment drives continuous improvement, ensuring that safety remains at the heart of our operations and reflects our dedication to protecting people, the environment, and the maritime community.

A number of safety initiatives operate within the Port;

Dublin SafePort

Dublin SafePort is an initiative by Dublin Port bringing together terminal operators and key stakeholders to focus on ensuring the safety, welfare, and dignity of all port users, including seafarers, workers, and visitors.

By promoting a culture of safety, providing essential resources, and fostering collaboration with various agencies, SafePort aims to create a secure and supportive environment across the port. From advocating for the rights of seafarers to enhancing workplace safety, Dublin SafePort is committed to upholding the highest standards of care and responsibility.

Learn more about this important initiative [HERE](#).



Dublin
SafePort

Captain Michael McKenna | Harbour Master | 01 January 2026

Masters, owners, agents, charterers, marinas, yacht clubs and recreational boaters should ensure that the contents of this notice are made known to the persons in charge of their vessels or craft. All notices to mariners can be found at www.dublinport.ie/information-centre/notice-to-mariners/



Dublin
SafePort

Enhancing
safety culture
and practice,
port-wide.



Dublin Port Pass

The Dublin Port Pass ensures all personnel accessing the port are equipped with essential health, safety, and security knowledge.

The Dublin Port Pass is a mandatory Health & Safety and Security induction introduced by Dublin Port Company to ensure safe and secure access to the North and South Port Common User Areas.



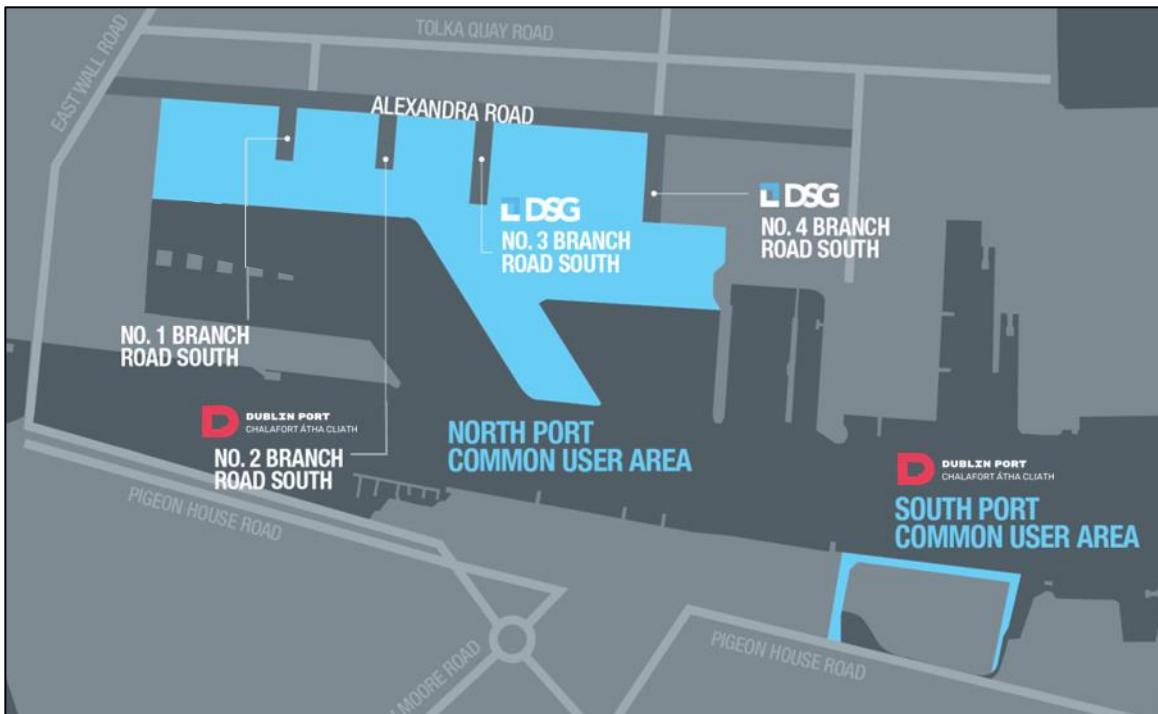
Accessible in multiple languages—English, Irish, Filipino, Polish, Romanian, and Russian—the Dublin Port Pass is required for Port Employees, Tenants, Agents, Stevedores, Linesmen, Contractors, Suppliers, Drivers, and Visitors. [DUBLIN PORT PASS](#)

For seafarers, Dublin Port is committed to supporting safety and shore leave rights. Seafarers can complete a Dublin Port Pass or use a Shore Pass, detailed at [DUBLIN PORT PASS FOR SEAFARERS](#).

Basic Safety Rules for the Port, Quays and Terminals



Access to North & South Common User Areas



North Port Common User Area & Pedestrian Walkways



Oil Zone Induction

The Oil Zone Induction is a mandatory Health & Safety and Security induction introduced by Dublin Port Company to ensure safe and secure access to the Oil Zone. The Oil Zone Induction is required for Port Employees, Tenants, Agents, Stevedores, Linesmen, Contractors, Suppliers, Drivers, and Visitors. [OIL ZONE INDUCTION](#)

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Basic Safety Rules for the Oil Zone & Required PPE

- Mobile Phones not to be used within the Oil Zone Area
- Use the designated walkways
- No Smoking
- No cycling or use of e-scooters within the Oil Zone Area

- No sources of ignition or electronic equipment
- Beware of moving vehicles, cargo and lifting operations
- Deepwater – keep 1.5m away from the quay edge

PPE is required with CE Marking.

(Dublin Port Company Fire Wardens may apply discretion for PPE requirements for each individual.)



Safety Helmet



Footwear to be minimum of S3 safety rating EN ISO 20345



Flame retardant Anti-Static Clothing in acc. with ISO11612 at EN1149



Class 3 High Visibility Clothing rating EN ISO 20471:2013



Eye Protection



Appropriate Gloves

Oil Zone User Area & Pedestrian Walkways



Road Safety

Road safety is a top priority across the Dublin Port estate, ensuring a safe environment for everyone who drives, works, or travels within its boundaries. To promote safety, a strict 40km/h speed limit is enforced throughout the port, with a reduced limit of 20km/h in all terminal areas. These measures, combined with clear signage and ongoing awareness initiatives, help minimize risks and maintain a secure and efficient flow of traffic.



Throughout the Port Estate



In All Terminals

Learn more about road safety in Dublin Port [HERE](#).

Water Safety

Dublin Port is dedicated to fostering a culture of water safety for all who enjoy or work on the water. Through active engagement with clubs, leisure users and schools, we aim to raise awareness and educate the community about the importance of staying safe on and around the water. By promoting best practices, offering resources, and supporting initiatives, Dublin Port ensures that everyone can enjoy the water responsibly and safely.

Learn more about our commitment to water safety [HERE](#).

Mutual Aid Group – Oil & HNS Response Program

The Mutual Aid Group is a collaborative initiative bringing together 15 key stakeholders across the Dublin Port Estate. This program promotes shared responsibility for responding to Oil and Hazardous Noxious Substance (HNS) spills, ensuring a unified and effective approach. Now in its second year, the group has established a dedicated building for response equipment and implemented training sessions to enhance the skills of personnel involved in cleanup operations. This initiative underscores the commitment to environmental protection and collective safety within Dublin Port.