

Safety instructions for stainless steel furniture



Explanation of signal words

Important safety instructions and warnings are marked with signal words in these instructions. These instructions must be observed in order to avoid personal injury, accidents and damage to property.

DANGER!

The signal word DANGER warns of hazards that will result in serious injury or death if they are not avoided.

WARNING!

The signal word WARNING warns of hazards that could result in moderate to serious injury or death.

CAUTION!

The signal word CAUTION warns of hazards that can result in minor or moderate injuries if they are not avoided.

ATTENTION!

The signal word CAUTION indicates possible material damage that can occur if the safety instructions are not observed.

NOTICE!

The NOTE symbol provides further information and tips for using the appliance.



Warning of electricity hazard

Electrical voltage can lead to serious accidents if appliances are defective or handled improperly.

- **DANGER!** Immediately disconnect defective appliances from the power supply and label them.
- **WARNING!** Work on electrical systems may only be carried out by qualified personnel.
- **WARNING!** Do not operate electrical appliances with wet hands.
- **CAUTION!** Check appliances regularly for damage.
- **CAUTION!** Do not tamper with fuses and circuit breakers.
- **NOTE!** Ensure that the appliances are earthed.



Warning of hot surface

Hot surfaces are ubiquitous in the catering industry, e.g. on grills, ovens or hobs. They harbour a high risk of injury.

- **DANGER!** Only touch hot surfaces when wearing suitable protective gloves.
- **WARNING!** Observe warning notices on appliances.
- **WARNING!** Allow appliances to cool down sufficiently after switching off.
- **CAUTION!** Keep children and unauthorised persons away from hot appliances.
- **CAUTION!** Do not place any objects on hot surfaces.
- **NOTE!** Regularly check the function and safety of the appliances.



Warning of crushing by moving parts

There is a risk of crushing when working with presses, lifting equipment or heavy furniture in the catering industry.

- **DANGER!** Keep hands and fingers away from moving parts.
 - **WARNING!** Only use the intended controls.
 - **WARNING!** Do not remove safety devices such as protective covers.
 - **CAUTION!** Clearly mark crushing zones.
 - **CAUTION!** Maintain mechanical devices regularly.
 - **NOTE!** Carry out training courses on the safe operation of machines.
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Warning of hand injuries

In the catering industry, hand injuries can be caused by sharp knives, hot surfaces or machines.

- **DANGER!** Wear protective gloves when cutting.
- **WARNING!** Never leave knives unsecured.
- **WARNING!** Handle appliances with sharp edges with care.
- **CAUTION!** Avoid risk of injury from damaged appliances.
- **CAUTION!** Keep work areas clean to avoid accidents.
- **NOTE!** Keep a first aid kit to hand.



Warning of slippery surface

In catering areas, the risk of slipping due to spilt liquids or slippery floors is a frequent cause of accidents, especially in the washing-up area.

- **DANGER!** Wipe up liquids immediately to prevent falls.
 - **WARNING!** Put up warning signs on freshly cleaned floors.
 - **WARNING!** Only use non-slip floor coverings in work areas.
 - **CAUTION!** Make employees aware of the dangers of slippery floors.
 - **CAUTION!** Clean floor drains regularly to avoid water accumulation.
 - **NOTE!** Wear non-slip shoes.
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