

Education and Skills Development Program 08



Safety Leadership Foundations

Safety leadership is an ACTION not a job title!

One worker a week dies on construction sites around Australia and 20-24 year-olds in the building and construction industry are four times more likely to have a fatal accident than those in other industries. Everybody wants to be safe, yet factors like budget and time constraints and the desire to take short cuts when the pressure is on often conflict with the desire to put safety first. If you hold a safety critical role, this workshop helps you build the skills and competencies to manage the safety of others in your workplace more effectively.

Who should attend?

- CEO's & Senior Managers
- Supervisors
- Safety Managers
- Anyone with a safety critical role

Workshop Details

Duration - 2 days

Maximum 15 per workshop for customised in-house workshops

Maximum 24 per workshop for public workshops

What's included?

- Two full days of training
- Free legal advice provided by legal specialists
- Toolkit and all participant materials
- Morning tea, lunch & afternoon tea

Public courses have recently been conducted in Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne.

For further information about future workshops or to discuss the option of partnering with the CRC for Construction Innovation to provide customised in-house programs, please contact Lyn Pearson - Education and Training
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What will you learn?

This leading-edge, practical workshop is designed to help you as a Supervisor or Safety Manager to manage your safety tasks. Participants will:

- Determine exactly what each leader is accountable for
- Gain clarity on what does the Act mean when it says "consultation and communication"
- Answer the questions, "How do I do this? Am I compliant?"
- Learn how to conduct more effective Tool Box talks and uncover what is really happening onsite
- Walk away with key ideas that will create and maintain a consistent and strong safety culture and know-how to get others to behave safely
- Understand your legal obligations.

Course Content

This practical and interactive workshop is the product of a two-year industry-led research project supported by the Office of the Federal Safety Commissioner. The project won the Australian Institute of Building's Professional Excellence in Building Award 2007. The workshop provides participants with the opportunity to:

- Reflect on their current work situation and have an opportunity to raise safety issues and ideas
- Review their understanding of their legal obligations through access to a specialist lawyer
- Review and practice communication skills for Toolbox and pre-start meetings and 1:1 safety discussions
- Understand how to manage risk
- Identify key activities that make up a safe and high performing work culture
- Create a practical safety improvement action plan to implement in their workplace team
- Discover how to manage people who demonstrate unsafe behaviours
- Learn how to improve reporting (incidents and near misses).

Workshop Facilitators

Safety Dimensions, a division of Learning Dimensions International, specialises in Safety Leadership and Culture Change. With a team of 40 Facilitators, Safety Dimensions is a leader in the area of building safety cultures, and as a testament to the outcomes achieved to date, is the only organisation licensed to deliver the Certificate IV in OHS (Construction).