

WHS1218 - Health and Safety Representative Training

Course Overview

This course will provide participants with information and skills that will assist Health and Safety Representatives (HSRs) to carry out their role and functions under the WHS legislation including:

- an understanding of the Work Health and Safety (WHS) legislation;
- an understanding of how it applies to their role as elected HSRs and deputy HSRs; and
- the knowledge and skills necessary to use their additional powers under the WHS legislation to issue Provisional Improvement Notices (PINs) and direct that unsafe work cease.

Course Objectives

At the completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- Interpret the WHS legislative framework and identifying key parties and their legislative obligations and duties;
- Establish representation in the workplace under the WHS Act;
- Effectively consult and participate in issue resolution and monitoring risk controls as a HSR;
- Monitoring Person Conducting a Business or Undertaking (PCBU) management of work health and safety: workplace inspections, recording findings and 'notifiable incidents'
- Issue a Provisional Improvement Notice (PIN) and direct the cessation of unsafe work

Target Audience

Elected Health and Safety Representatives (HSRs) under the Work Health and Safety (WHS Act 2011) who have requested approved training to gain an understanding of the management of work health and safety under the WHS legislation and their role and entitlements as HSRs.

Interested in
becoming a
HSR?

