

Information Workshop

Identify and manage psychosocial hazards in the workplace.

Background:	Psychosocial hazards can cause psychological and physical harm. On average, work-related psychological injuries have longer recovery times, higher costs, and require more time away from work. Managing the risks associated with psychosocial hazards not only protects workers, but it also decreases the disruption associated with staff turnover and absenteeism and may improve broader organisational performance and productivity. Includes discussion on new industrial manslaughter laws soon to be introduced into South Australian Law.
Timing:	2.5-3 hour workshop
Who should attend?	The course is aimed at all members of organisations who want an overview of Workplace Health and Safety Legislation and their personal responsibilities and penalties regarding psychosocial hazards in the workplace.
Workshop overview	<p>This course provides information on key elements of the WHS Act to all persons engaged in or by the PCBU</p> <p>Topics covered include:</p> <p>Where to start, and what does it mean to you, Description of key definitions, duties of parties according to the WHS Act, responsibilities of the PCBU to control hazards in the workplace, how to Understand hazards and risks, Consultation and Risk Management, developing a safety culture to protect our fellow workers and the new (pending) industrial manslaughter laws and they they affect you. Questions and scenarios.</p>
Provider:	<p>Paragon WHS</p> <p>Member of Australian Institute of Health and Safety</p>
Facilitator:	<p>Peter McWhinnie</p> <p>Qualifications: Graduate Diploma Organisational Safety Management (Uni SA), Diploma of WHS, Nationally accredited Workplace trainer and assessor, Diploma of Vocational Education and Training, Graduate Certificate of Retail Leadership, Diploma of Retail Management, Diploma Quality auditing, Diploma of Business, Diploma of management.</p>
Positions:	CEO and Managing Director Paragon WHS, HSR trainer, Vocational Education and Training /WHS manager and facilitator, WHS consultant, HSR training provider.

