



Key outcomes of the BCIT Board Meeting

Held 21 June 2024

- The meeting received an update from Sally North, the Acting Commissioner at Worksafe on Worksafe's four priority areas of focus. These focus areas include Repeat Hazard Exposure, Psychosocial Hazards, Respiratory and Silica and consultation with industry. The meeting discussed the new regulations and codes of practice that are being put in place and the need for education and awareness training for the building and construction industry on these matters.
- The meeting discussed the importance of the Pyschosocial Hazard workshops that the CTF are running around Western Australia, being led by Dean Laplonge and the data that will be collected to help inform strategies.
- The meeting received an update from Joy deLeon from The National Centre for Vocational Education and Research on a research project that was undertaken in regard to effective mentoring programs across the building and construction industry. The meeting discussed the importance of mentoring in the industry and how mentoring can be used to help retain apprentices and improve health, safety and wellbeing of the workforce.
- The Board continued its governance requirements with a further review of the Strategic Risk Register.
- The meeting received updates on the progress of the Civil Construction Pilot Program and Mature Aged Wage Subsidy in Civil Construction Program which are both progressing well.

Approved

Board Chair Reg Howard-Smith

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