ACLE4 Workshop

The Changing World of Safety in the Workplace

Description:

A workshop to discuss the impact of the recent changes in legislation arising from the Australian Government thrust to harmonise the WHS laws across the states and the effect on schools.

Workshop Leader:

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- HR Manager Lutheran Schools Association
- Concerned with safety in the workplace for more than 30 years and schools in particular for the past 10 years.
- Chairperson Concordia College (SA) and St John's Lutheran School Highgate

Audience:

Any person interested in WHS including:

- School council members (Governors)
- Other Officers
- H&S reps

The issue

To help busy people to:

- Discuss key changes
- Share experiences about the changing legislation

Thereby gain an improved understanding of the impact of the changing legislation and take action at individual workplaces to better meet the moral and legal obligations.

Why the audience should care for the issue:

All school workers are concerned about WHS because they care for the wellbeing of the other members of the community. Of course there are a few legal reasons as well!

Links to theme/s of the conference

If a worker, volunteer or student is injured at our schools, transforming the mind, body and heart may become exceedingly difficult especially if the injury could have been prevented. We need to 'wise up' and with wisdom make our schools safer places so we all can physically and mentally continue to have 'good life'.

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