

## Wellbeing, Health and Safety Policy

The wellbeing, health and safety of our people, contractors and our community is our most important responsibility and our highest priority.

## **Our Commitment**

- To be relentless in our quest to prevent injury and illness.
- To give our people a voice, encouraging and supporting them to challenge decisions.
- To make wellbeing, health and safety a mindset we live and breathe it as part of our every day.
- To provide a supportive environment where learnings are opportunities for continuous improvement.
- To engage with and empower our people, demonstrating kindness, care, transparency and consistency in all our actions.

## **Our Approach**

• Four principles form the foundation of, and guide, our approach to workplace wellbeing, health and safety.

Empowered and Trusted	<ul> <li>We empower our people and gain trust through action by:</li> <li>Making it easy for our people to be involved in wellbeing, health and safety</li> <li>Making incident reporting easy</li> <li>Ensuring everyone is accountable and responsible for their own and others' wellbeing, health and safety</li> <li>Balancing resourcing against work expectations and managing this in a safe, sustainable, and fair manner</li> </ul>
Respectful and Caring	<ul> <li>We care deeply for each other, understanding how it affects people's wellbeing, health and safety by:</li> <li>Involving, consulting and seeking participation of all, respecting their knowledge and experience</li> <li>Involving everyone so together we identify, assess and control workplace hazards, design work and review safety performance.</li> <li>Promoting early intervention and return to work for employees who are injured or unwell</li> </ul>
Everyone does their bit	<ul> <li>We adopt a #OneTeam approach by:</li> <li>Remaining mindful of others' wellbeing, health and safety in our everyday interactions</li> <li>Empowering our people to speak up and challenge the status quo, speak openly, and collaborate with each other</li> <li>Reinforcing that wellbeing, health and safety is critical to all roles and at all our workplaces</li> <li>Supporting our own and others' work and life balance</li> </ul>
Continuous improvement	<ul> <li>We strive for operational excellence and global best practice by:</li> <li>Providing clear expectations, training and support to ensure our people have the necessary skills, the right tools and the knowledge to work safely and contribute to improving safety performance</li> <li>Considering our natural environment when managing our wellbeing, health and safety.</li> <li>Using indicators and strategies to drive continual improvement of safety performance and the safety management system</li> <li>Responding when things don't go well, seeking to understand the context and taking a learning, continuously improving, fair and just approach</li> </ul>

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