

The Gladstone Area Water Board's key objective for safety is:

To operate safely in all that we do.

GAWB is committed to continually improving occupational health and safety performance with the intention that no staff, contractors or visitors suffers injury or illness as a result of GAWB's activities.

Our commitment

- Comply with or exceed all statutory health and safety requirement and other relevant standards or codes
- Ensure adequate resources are provided to meet our safety obligations
- In consultation with our employees and contractors, implement a risk management approach to identify, assess and control risks to a level as low as reasonably practicable
- Consult with employees about health and safety matters to identify ways of reducing safety risks and improving safety systems
- Train and educate our employees and contractors so they can perform their duties safely
- Ensure all incidents and near misses are reported, documented and investigated and action taken to reduce recurrence
- Management shall ensure that no business objective takes precedence over safety
- Provide an effective system of rehabilitation management for injured employees
- Regularly monitor, review and report on health and safety performance against agreed targets
- Regularly audit safety practices and management systems in line with the requirements of AS/NZS 4801:2001.

Your responsibility

- Adhere to GAWB's standard operating procedures, objectives and instructions.
- Take personal responsibility to maintain your own health and safety
- Immediately report to your leader anything at work that you believe is dangerous or hazardous
- Do not act in a manner that places yourself or others at risk of injury or illness.

We will be vigilant to ensure our workplace is safe from hazards and injury free.

