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# ISO 45001 Datasheet:

# A solid health and safety framework for a changing world of work

Things change; that is a fact. Whilst external factors that are often out of our control may impact our world of work, one thing remains constant; you want your employees to be safe.

ISO 45001 certification can help you achieve this by reducing workplace related risks and providing a solid framework for the health, safety and wellbeing of your employees – irrespective of your organisation's size, sector or geographical location.

# What is ISO 45001?

ISO 45001 is the international standard for occupational health and safety (OH&S) management. It helps organisations demonstrate their internal and external commitment to workplace safety and reinforce their business' reputation with employees and customers.

Increasingly a regulatory requirement in many countries, ISO 45001 delivers valuable management information and insight to help identify risks and take steps to manage these before accidents happen.

# Benefits of ISO 45001

#### A healthier and safer workforce

ISO 45001 aims to reduce work-related incidents, and focuses on creating a health and safety culture, whereby employees are encouraged to take an active role in their own OH&S. This underpinned by strong leadership with demonstrable commitment to OH&S - helps to create a culture of safety, resulting in reduced staff turnover, increased morale and improved staff retention rates - as well as making them work environment both safer and healthier.

#### **Reduce overall costs**

ISO 45001 easily integrates with all new and revised ISO managements system standards, such as ISO 9001 and ISO 14001, as it shares the same high level text and common structure. This means you can potentially save time and reduce disruption by consolidating both your internal audit process as well as the certification audit. In addition, compliance to ISO 45001 can often result in lower insurance premiums as you are able to demonstrate your commitment to health and safety.

# Compliance and a commitment to excellence

ISO 45001 provides a clear framework to manage your regulatory and legal

obligations. Implementing a robust OH&S management system can help to deliver stakeholder confidence, thereby improving your brand reputation and providing a competitive advantage when bidding for contracts.

#### **Maximise productivity**

ISO 45001 helps your organisation understand risk profiles through a systematic process to keep your workforce healthy and safe, thereby reducing absenteeism and staff turnover, leading to increased productivity.

#### Identify and mitigate risk

ISO 45001 requires organisations to establish and maintain processes to identify and manage potential emergency scenarios, such as response to incidents and emergencies and how to prevent and mitigate any associated risks and impact on the work environment.



#### Why work with LRQA?

In today's world, employee safety and well-being are directly tied to the survival and success of your organisation. That's why we dive deeper into your business to emerge with meaningful insights and smarter solutions.

Our auditors and trainers are industry experts who work with you to understand what helps your business operate at its optimum level. They create long-lasting value through collaboration, delivering a greater impact on your business, your people and your customers

# How we can help

We offer a range of on-site and remote audit and training services suitable for organisations of all sizes and from all industries, designed to help you get the most from ISO 45001. We work collaboratively with you to design the best audit and training options for your business.

# Training

Many of our courses are delivered as eLearning or in a virtual classroom environment, structured to meet your learning objectives at a pace that works for you - wherever you are in the world. Alternatively, we can customise a solution against your organisation's training needs. We also deliver public courses.

- Introduction to ISO 45001
- Implementing ISO 45001
- ISO 45001 Internal Auditor
- ISO 45001 Auditor/Lead Auditor
- Introduction to integrated management systems

## Why choose Remote Audits?

Remote audits are delivered through safe and secure platforms and applications. Wherever possible, we can deliver the same high-quality services online that we provided before on-site and in person; easily and safely – and with the same outcomes as seen previously.

- Fast & flexible
  - Audit dates can be agreed and delivered quickly, minimising on-site disruption.
  - Increased access to technical experts, with multiple stakeholder participation now possible.
- Safe & sustainable
  - Reduced risks for people travelling to hazardous or hard to reach locations.
  - A smaller carbon footprint and a more environmentally friendly delivery method.
- Excellence & expertise
  - Audit outcomes and accredited certification through robust processes and technica expertise.
  - Secure, easy-to-use, online platforms to protect your information and your audit integrity.

# **Gap Analysis**

For organisations looking to evaluate their current OH&S management system (O HSMS) against ISO 45001, you can work with an LRQA auditor to identify critical or highrisk areas of your OHSMS, alongside specific vulnerabilities. This can either be delivered on-site or remotely, and helps determine the scope of your ISO 45001 management system, giving you the flexibility to focus on areas critical to your operations.

# Certification

ISO 45001 certification from LRQA demonstrates to your key stakeholders that you have a robustly designed and implemented management system for keeping your employees healthy and safe and that it has been audited to the highest standards.

# Impartiality

We maintain our impartiality by proactively managing conflicts of interest across all LRQA businesses including those which may exist between consultancy and third-party certification services.

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