

# Topic 7 - Finale -Session 2

## Continuous learning, certification and evaluation



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# Key issues

- Resources for continuous OHS learning
- Review of Action plans
- Certification
- Evaluation

also

*Necessity for OHS practitioners to evolve in keeping with global market labour changes*

# Continuous Learning

- Continuous or life long learning encourages people to take part in work related training at school and at all stages throughout their career and working life.
- It is an essential component of Australia's National Strategy for Vocational Education and Training(VET) 1998-2003.



# National Strategy

## Aim

- To ensure Australian Industry remains productive and competitive in line with the emerging world economy

## Purpose

- To develop a response to major changes in Australian and global labour markets

# Recent changes to Australian labour market

- Increased global competition
- Rapid technological change
- Growth in small business
- Change in working arrangements
- Change in government roles and initiatives
- Emergence of service and knowledge based industries



# Keeping up to date

- Access continuous learning materials on WorkCover internet site

[www.workcover.nsw.gov.au](http://www.workcover.nsw.gov.au)

- Access useful links to other OHS sites
- Subscriptions to OHS publications

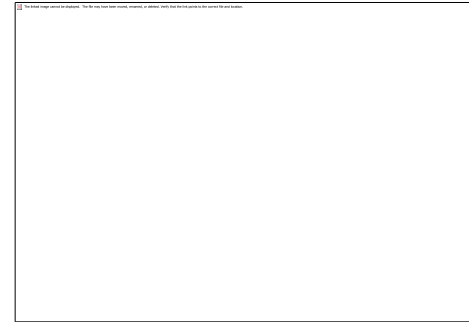


# Australian Government websites

- Australian Capital Territory [www.workcover.act.gov.au](http://www.workcover.act.gov.au)
- Commonwealth [www.comcare.gov.au/ohs.html](http://www.comcare.gov.au/ohs.html)
- New South Wales (NSW) [www.workcover.nsw.gov.au](http://www.workcover.nsw.gov.au)
- Northern Territory (NT) [www.worksafe.nt.gov.au](http://www.worksafe.nt.gov.au)
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- Victoria (Vic) [www.workcover.vic.gov.au](http://www.workcover.vic.gov.au)
- Western Australia (WA) [www.safetyline.wa.gov.au](http://www.safetyline.wa.gov.au)
- Tasmania (TAS) [www.workcover.tas.gov.au](http://www.workcover.tas.gov.au)

# Exercise -Action plans

- Participants work individually or in small groups
- Check list written during course
- Prioritise each item on their own action plan
- Provide brief feedback on what will be required to implement action



REMEMBER YOU HAVE DETERMINED ISSUES  
THAT NEED TO BE ADDRESSED> IT IS YOUR  
RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE THAT THEY ARE

# Course evaluation

- 5-10 minutes – The evaluation of this course will assist WorkCover and the trainer to further develop the package to the benefit of future participants

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