

Guide to WHS resources: Consultation and representation

Want to know more about how you can help keep Western Australian workplaces healthy and safe? Perhaps you are looking for a resource to use at a health and safety or toolbox meetings?

Welcome to the video series showcasing some resources developed by the department covering Western Australia's work health and safety laws.

This video will guide you through publications and animations that explain how persons conducting a business or undertaking, or PCBUs, can meet the requirements for consultation, cooperation and coordination on work health and safety matters under the Work Health and Safety Act

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Here you'll find an outline of the requirements to consult under the Work Health and Safety Act, including:

- Consultation with workers
- When a PCB must consult with workers
- A consultation checklist
- And a brief overview of the role of health and safety representative

Scroll to the bottom of the page to find other information such as the code of practice on work health and safety consultation, cooperation and coordination.

This code of practice further explains how to effectively consult with workers, and has chapters on:

- What is effective consultation?
- When to consult, cooperate and coordinate activities with other duty holders
- What is effective consultation with other duty holders?

Looking for a resource to use at your health and safety meeting? This snippet is from an animation on the requirements under the work health and safety legislation to consult with workers. This animation and others on related topics, such as Introduction to the Work Health and Safety Act 2020, and What is a PCBU, can be found by clicking the link to WHS Animations (<https://www.dmirns.wa.gov.au/safety-regulation/work-health-and-safety-laws/whs-publications-and-resources/whs-publications-and-2>), which is under further information on the Engaging with workers webpage

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