

Stage Three

Health and Safety Course Outline

Role of the Health and Safety Representative

- A brief recap on the functions and role of the health and safety representative

Cost of injuries and illness

- Cost of workplace injuries and illness to an injured worker and to the employer

Workplace productivity How good health and safety links with productive workplaces

Measure what matters

- Use injury data to identify patterns of injury, hazards and contributing factors (case study)

Improvements and recommendations

- Prepare an improvement plan with recommendations, costs and benefits (case study)

Presenting recommendations

- Present recommendations and gain agreement on next steps (case study)

Support for injured workers

- Understand ACC cover and treatment and social rehabilitation entitlements

Vocational rehabilitation

- The role of the Health and Safety Representative in rehabilitation

Review and Action plan

- Decide how you will apply what you have learned back at work