

AS/NZS: 4801.2001

AUDITING & CERTIFICATION SERVICES



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Option 1:

Certification to AS/NZS: 4801.2001 OHS Management Systems

AS / NZS: 4801.2001 is the current OHS Management System Standard. Certification to meet its requirements represents the highest publicly recognized level of OHS achievement in our region, and earns your organization the right to display the 'five tick' OHS Standards Symbol.

The comprehensive Standard encompasses the best elements of OHS Management techniques already in use across Australia and New Zealand.

AS/NZS: 4801 works in conjunction with the AS/NZS: 4804 and covers the following comprehensive elements for effective OHS practices.

- Establishing OSH Policies;
- Planning, Identification of Hazards and assessment and control of risks;
- Legal and other requirements;
- Establishing Training and Competence;
- Consultation, Communication & Reporting;
- Emergency Preparedness and Response;
- Incident Investigation, Corrective and Preventive Actions;
- Monitoring, Measurement, and Records Management;
- Auditing Procedures and Requirements;
- Management Review



Option 2:

Assessment against the SafetyMAP OHS Criteria

Another option available to our clients is to have your OSH System assessed according to the SafetyMap auditing criteria, SafetyMap is an established set of OSH criteria designed to help measure the performance of your OSH Management System.

There are two levels of SafetyMap.

Initial:

To establish the foundations of your OSH Management System to meet minimum OSH legislative requirements.

Advanced:

Benchmarking your OSH Management in line with high levels of effective practice and ensuring its maintenance at this level of performance. Cowden Limited can assess your management system against the Advanced SafetyMap criteria. The Assessment to SafetyMap can be stand alone, or you can use it as a building block to achieve the AS/NZS: 4801.2001 Certification.

Option 3:

Certification to OHSAS: 18001 (International Option)

Your organization may want to establish an OHS Management System and assessment tool for your International business operations, or to expand your current systems to meet International OHS Standards.

The Occupational Health and Safety Assessment Series (OHSAS) Specification provides this option. It is referred to as OHSAS 18001, and has been developed to be compatible with the Environmental Management Systems Standards (ISO 14001) and the Quality Management Systems Standard ISO 9001

Our Risk Advisor can assess your Safety Management System using the OHSAS 18001 Standard and provide consultancy assistance to upgrade to the relevant standards if you wish.

Option 4:

Assessment against your own business / industry requirements

You can also select your own OHS System criteria, according to your particular business needs and your relevant industry standard for OHS. When you are ready, Cowden Limited can assess your system against your chosen requirements. This offers independent assurance that your business is striving to meet its OHS commitments and is an excellent method of benchmarking your systems.

Other OSH Auditing Options;

Gap Analysis:

We can also Audit your business to assess your current status, and advise in detail what is involved in establishing a suitable OHS Management System. This lets you assess your internal resources, focus on making improvements and prepare the groundwork for later implementation.

System Integration:

An effective OHS Management System is by its nature suitable for integration with other management systems, resulting in enhanced management efficiency that delivers benefits across a broad spectrum of your business.

Second-party OSH Assessment:

Cowden Limited can assess the OHS Performance of your key suppliers or strategic partners, ensuring that your organisations commitment to high OHS Standards withstands objective scrutiny and guards against the risk of any negative publicity.

Please feel free to contact our professional Risk Advisor on the details below to discuss your requirements today.

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