



CASTLEREAGH MACQUARIE COUNTY COUNCIL

Work Health and Safety Policy

Castlereagh Macquarie County Council is committed to the implementing of Council's statutory obligations under the Work Health and Safety Act 2011 and the Work Health and Safety Regulations 2017.

It shall apply to all Castlereagh Macquarie County Council operations; however, it must be read in conjunction with all other statutory legislation that applies in regard to health and safety requirements.

The council is committed to providing a safe and healthy workplace for all employees, contractors and visitors and acknowledges the following obligations to:

- Secure and promote the health, safety and welfare of staff, contractors and visitors in the workplace
- Promote a safe and healthy workplace that protects them from injury and illness
- Provide for consultation and co-operation between employers and employees in achieving the objectives of the Work Health and Safety Act 2011
- Ensure that risks to health and safety in the workplace are identified, assessed and eliminated or controlled
- Develop and promote community awareness of Work Health and Safety issues
- Provide a framework that allows for progressively higher standards of Work Health and Safety to take account of changes in technology and work practices
- Protect staff, contractors and visitors against risks to Health and Safety arising from the use of plant that affect public safety.

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