

Lessons learned from one of New Zealand's most challenging civil engineering projects: rebuilding the earthquake damaged pipes, roads, bridges and retaining walls in the city of Christchurch 2011 - 2016.

## **SCIRT Health and Safety Policy – February** 2016

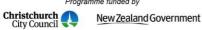
**Story:** Health and Safety

**Theme:** Programme Management

The revised SCIRT Health and Safety Policy.

This document has been provided as an example of a tool that might be useful for other organisations undertaking complex disaster recovery or infrastructure rebuild programmes.

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## **HEALTH AND SAFETY POLICY**

Health and Safety is SCIRT's highest priority - we are committed to ZERO HARM in the workplace.

We will achieve this by:

- Placing the health and safety of our people, contractors and the community above all else
- Empowering our people to stop unsafe processes and to speak up about any areas of health and safety concern
- Ensuring our people are trained in safe methods of work
- Leading health and safety by example
- Complying with relevant health and safety legislation, regulations, codes of practice and standard operating procedures
- Working collectively to raise industry health and safety performance standards
- Accurately report, record, investigate and learn from all workplace incidents and injuries
- Identifying key health and safety risks and ensuring appropriate controls and practices are developed and implemented

We believe every job can be done safely and without harm.

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