

## WCRA – Professional Industry Training

The Waste Contractors and Recyclers Association of NSW/ACT (WCRA) is an industrial body of employers that addresses operational, training, regulatory advocacy and business issues relating to the resource recovery, waste and recycling industries on behalf of its constituent Members.

WCRA is registered with the Industrial Relations Commission of NSW and Fair Work Commission and provides Members with advice and support in a broad range of employment and industrial relations matters.

The waste and recycling industry in NSW and the ACT is significant. The industry:

- Generates ~\$6 billion dollars in revenues;
- Handles ~20 million tonnes of materials;
- Provides ~10,000 full time equivalent jobs and ~8,000 part-time, casual and indirect employment opportunities across NSW and the ACT.

WCRA represents ~90% of the waste and recycling industry across NSW and the ACT. There are several issues of significance impacting the industry at present, including changes in Chain of Responsibility regulations, changes in insurance risk protocols and changes in global recovered resource markets – potentially exposing the industry to added risk and uncertainty. WCRA is working with its Members to better understand and manage potential impacts that these changes may bring.

WCRA designs and delivers a range of certificated, accredited and non-accredited in-house, partner delivered and TAFE NSW accredited courses, including:

- Regular Industry Briefings & Seminars;
- Certificate IV in Leadership & Management / Logistics (Waste Management Industry);
- Fatigue Management;
- Chain of Responsibility;
- Working Safely Overhead Wires;
- Workplace Chemical Safety Training;
- Spill Response Training;
- WHS Incident Investigation Training;
- Tailored Workplace WHS Audits and Training.

WCRA can also custom tailor training specifically for a Member's needs – including exclusive and wider group cohorts.

For more information on WCRA's range of training opportunities, please visit <u>www.wcra.com.au</u> or contact us at <u>memberservices@wcra.com.au</u> or on (02) 9604 7206.

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