## Carcinogens and Airborne Risks Roadshow September 20 – November 15, 2022

# Learn about identifying and controlling carcinogens and airborne risks at a roadshow near you.

At WorkSafe New Zealand, we support businesses to improve work-related health. One of our current initiatives is to prevent harm from carcinogens (something that can cause or promote the uncontrolled growth of cells or cancer) and airborne risks (something in the air that might be inhaled or might interact with the skin).

Carcinogens and airborne exposures account for at least 31% of work-related harm. Controlling and preventing exposure will make a lasting impact on your health, safety, and wellbeing, and your workers'.

To help you identify, control, and manage exposure and help to keep you and your workers safe, we're taking a roadshow across New Zealand.

Focusing on asbestos, silica, welding fume, and wood dust, the roadshow will be hands on and interactive and an opportunity to engage with the WorkSafe team and subject matter experts.

If your business involves work where there could be exposure to carcinogens and airborne risks such as welding, silica, asbestos and dust these events are a must attend. Industries include (but not limited to)

#### Is your business in any of these areas?

- Brick and block layers
- Building
- Collision and repair
- Concrete cutters
- Construction
- Engineering
- Manufacturing
- Quarries
- Woodworking



Take a break, grab a coffee and a bite to eat, and join the WorkSafe team at one of 11 events around New Zealand for an engaging hands-on experience that will help you to understand more about the risks, tools to manage them, and ensure that you are getting health right for your business.

South Auckland	Tuesday 20 September
North Auckland	Thursday 22 September
Hamilton	Tuesday 27 September
Tauranga	Thursday 29 September
Gisborne	Tuesday 4 October
Palmerston North	Thursday 6 October
New Plymouth	Tuesday 11 October
Wellington	Thursday 13 October
Blenheim	Tuesday 8 November
Christchurch	Thursday 10 November
Dunedin	Tuesday 15 November

Keep yourself and your team safe by understanding your exposure to carcinogens and airborne risks.

### Register here

All events are open from 7am to 3pm and will take no more than 90 minutes to walk through and talk to the WorkSafe team.

Pre-registration is not a requirement. However, it is recommended so we can keep you up to date with event information. Pre-register and attend to be in the draw to win a training package.



#### **About WorkSafe New Zealand**

Since WorkSafe New Zealand was created almost a decade ago, we've helped make a big difference to health and safety in Aotearoa. This includes being part of a collective effort to reduce fatalities, which means more people are coming home to their whānau.

Our vision is that everyone who goes to work comes home healthy and safe. That is essential but more is possible. To make a real difference to health and safety in the long term, we need to address how work is done, which is the cause of harm.

As Aotearoa's primary health and safety regulator, WorkSafe, together with workers and organisations, can improve how work is designed and delivered for better health, safety and wellbeing outcomes.

By changing how work is done, we will help build a future where people thrive, businesses prosper, and communities are healthy.

