

Workshop on Safety Culture Self-Assessment for Regulatory Body

The overall objective of this workshop is to orient participants of the regulatory body to establish a strategic approach to assessing and enhancing safety culture. The workshop will provide a forum for discussing culture, the elements of a safety culture improvement programme, the relationship with other organizational improvement activities and strategies, as well as the role of self-assessment of safety culture in regulatory bodies for establishing improvement priorities.

The purpose of this workshop is to enhance understanding of elements involved in systematically working with safety culture and the key success factors to implementing a safety culture improvement programme by the regulatory body. This will include: a strategic perspective on the value of safety culture self-assessment; the application of project management principles to the implementation of the IAEA safety culture self-assessment methodology, and the critical role of senior management ownership and commitment to implementing an improvement program based on the results of the self-assessment.