



# First Nations People and Safety Forum

Tuesday 27 August 9:00am - 3:00pm  
Pullman International Hotel  
17 Abbott Street, Cairns



## Agenda - Tuesday 27 August 2024

**9:00am- 9:30am**

**Morning tea and registration**

**9:30am- 9:32am**

**Welcome**

Rachael Lindsay, Manager Insurance Services, LGAQ

**9:33am- 9:35am**

**Acknowledgement of Country**

**9:35am- 10:15am**

**Leadership in safety**

Zala Chatur, CEO, Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council

**10:15am- 11:00am**

**Challenging relationships in the workplace - what to look for and practical tips for resolution**

Elle Ackland, Manager, Workforce & Industrial Relations, LGAQ

**11:00am- 11:45am**

**Mutual Risk Obligations Program (MRO) audit results - What to expect**

Lesley Harpeng, WHS Manager, LGW & Chris Simmonds, QRMC

**11:45am- 12:15pm**

**Managing claims and psychosocial hazards**

Lesley Harpeng, WHS Manager, LGW

**12:15pm- 1:15pm**

**Lunch**

**1:15pm- 2:00pm**

**Councils safety journey**

Jon Flower, Principal Inspector, Far North Queensland, WHSQ

**2:00pm- 2:30pm**

**Council people and safety - round table**

**2:30pm- 2:50pm**

**Understanding obligations at the workplace - people strategies to support council workforce**

Elle Ackland, Manager, Workforce & Industrial Relations, LGAQ

**2:50pm- 3:00pm**

**Workforce development and funding opportunities available for safety officers**

Elle Ackland, Manager, Workforce & Industrial Relations, LGAQ

**3:00pm**

**Program close**



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