



SYDNEY TRAMWAY MUSEUM

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Sydney Tramway Museum (STM) operates Museum and tourist tram services, using heritage tram rolling stock, over a 3.3 kilometre section of the tramline between Sutherland and the Royal National Park, providing a tourist attraction for people visiting the Sutherland district. STM is operated by its members on a voluntary, not-for-profit basis

The STM complies with the requirements of the National Health Assessment Standard for Rail Safety Workers (NHAS) in managing the health and fitness of its rail safety workers.

The duties and medical requirements for all positions have been documented. Each position has been assessed for risk and categorised according to the NHAS.

Relevant staff have been medically assessed in accordance with the Procedure for Managing Rail Safety Worker Health Assessments (STM 6015) and copies of health assessments are held at the STM office. STM either arranges for a staff member to have a medical assessment or reviews an assessment conducted on behalf of another railway or tramway operator, using the Portability of Health Assessment Form (STM 6021), to ensure that the level of health assessment performed by the original rail/tram organisation is equal to or greater than that required for the tasks performed by the staff member at STM.

No one is allowed to carry out rail safety work unless they have been certified fit for the work according to the NHAS.

Where a health assessment indicates a temporary or permanent medical impairment that prevents a person carrying out Category 2 work, STM examines whether the person is fit for Category 3 or 4 work, or other alternative duties. STM tries to involve members and non-member volunteers as far as their health and fitness safely allows.

Adopted by the Board of the South Pacific Electric Railway Co-Operative Society Limited.

Chairman

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