

# ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH RISK MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

Thursday 28 & Friday 29 January 2010

## WORKSHOP OVERVIEW

The purpose of this workshop is to update and inform environmental health practitioners on:

- (1) The basic procedures for assessing risk for a variety of environmental health issues; and
- (2) The appropriate use of regulatory tools for the management of environmental health risks.

The workshop will consist of a series of presentations and scenario-based activities. Topics to be covered include:

### Day 1:

- Risk and risk management frameworks
- Environmental health risk management framework
- Public health risk assessment and use of regulatory tools
- Food safety risk assessment – principles
- Role of risk-based approaches for managing Australia's food regulatory system
- Food safety risk management – case studies and scenarios

### Day 2:

- Environmental risk management - principles
- Environmental risk management – case studies and scenarios
- Dangerous goods risk management – case studies and scenarios
- Use of risk-based approaches for managing environmental health programs – experiences from two major Councils

The workshop will be held in Brisbane at Level 2 (Room Q2.08) of the QUT Health Clinics Building, 44 Musk Avenue, Kelvin Grove. This building is in the Kelvin Grove Urban Village Precinct. A campus map is available at:  
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