School health and safety policies

Use the Health and Safety Practical Guide for Boards of Trustees and School Leaders

to support your understanding of the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015.

A school's health and safety policy must include:

- the school's commitment to accurate reporting and recording
- reporting to the Board of Trustees on accident frequencies and severity
- reporting serious harm injuries to WorkSafe and the Ministry of Education
- the school's commitment to continuous improvement and the encouragement of best practice in health and safety management.

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