



# **Employer Public Report**

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- Public Report Questionnaire
- Public Report Employee Data Tables

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Report contacts will be asked to declare in the Portal that all relevant CEO or equivalents have signed the public report.

Detailed information on the requirements to share the public report with your employees, members or shareholders can be found within the online Reporting Guide on **Notification and Access requirements**.

#### **Gender Equality Standards**

If there is a single entity employing 500 or more employees, they must have a policy or strategy in place against each of the six Gender Equality Indicators. More information can be found within the online reporting guide on <u>Gender Equality Standards</u>.



### **Workplace Overview**

#### **Policies & Strategies**

Employer policies or strategies on workplace gender equality and the composition of the workforce can be powerful levers for making progress and change. Policies or strategies are most effective when backed up by evidence-informed action plans to address areas of imbalance and inequality. Similarly, targets are achievable, time-framed goals that create mechanisms for accountability and are effective when combined with dedicated actions to help achieve them.

## 1.1 Do you have formal policies and/or formal strategies in place that support gender equality in the workplace?

Yes

Policy; Strategy

#### 1.1a Do the formal policies and/or formal strategies include any of the following?

Recruitment; Retention; Performance management processes; Promotions; Succession planning; Training and development; Talent identification/identification of high potentials; Key performance indicators for managers relating to gender equality

## 1.2 Do you have a formal policy and/or formal strategy on diversity and inclusion in your organisation?

Yes

Policy; Strategy

#### 1.2a Do the formal policies and/or formal strategies include any of the following?

Gender identity; Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander background; Cultural and/or language background; Disability and/or accessibility; Age

### 1.3 Does your organisation have any targets to address gender equality in your workplace?

Yes

Reduce the organisation-wide gender pay gap; Increase the number of women in management positions; Increase the number of women in key management personnel (KMP) roles; To have a gender balanced governing body (at least 40% men and 40% women)

## 1.4 If your organisation would like to provide additional information relating to your gender equality policies and strategies, please do so below.

Helia is dedicated to fostering an inclusive and diverse workplace environment, striving to



eliminate barriers to gender equality. Formerly known as Genworth, Helia has been awarded with the WGEA Employer of Choice for Gender Equality citation for eleven consecutive years. This achievement underscores the organisation's enduring commitment to equal employment opportunities and gender balance across recruitment, development and talent management. Helia remains committed to advancing gender equality, with women now representing 57% of the Board. We are also making great progress towards our goal of 40% female representation on the Senior Leadership Team, currently at 37.5%. Additionally, we are proud of our continued efforts to significantly reduce the gender pay gap. The Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Strategy for 2024-2025 outlines Helia's targets, including maintaining women in senior management at greater than 40% and reducing the gender pay equity gap to below 6.5%. During the reporting period, Helia has continued to prioritise leadership development through a range of programs. These include executive leadership development, diversity training for leaders focused on advancing their interpersonal skills and strategies for recognising power, influence and effective allyship. Helia also fosters a psychologically safe workplace, promoting awareness of unconscious bias and its impact on leadership. Programs emphasise building respectful, safe relationships and advocating for team members. Additionally, tailored programs such as Emerging Leaders, Executive Presence and Gravitas with AGSM and Developing Female Leaders, further reinforce Helia's commitment to enhancing leadership capabilities and empowering individuals to lead with impact. Regular discussions within the Senior Leadership Team focus on identifying employees with leadership potential, assessing readiness and implementing key development initiatives such as exposure opportunities, stretch assignments and mentorship programs to support career advancement. The organisation remains committed to gender equality, with women currently holding 35% of management roles, just shy of our 40% target. We continue to make strong strides toward achieving this goal, while also maintaining our focus on reducing the gender pay gap. The 2023-2024 WGEA Gender Equality report, saw Helia achieving -3.4% (average total remuneration), marking another significant milestone in its pursuit of gender equality. Although we have not marked 'yes' for increasing the number of women in male-dominated roles and men in femaledominated roles, our recruitment strategy includes goals to achieve a gender-balanced shortlisting for all vacant roles, ensuring equal representation throughout the recruitment process. At Helia, we do not set specific targets for men taking parental leave as we actively encourage all our staff to take advantage of this benefit. In 2022, we removed the distinction between "primary" and "secondary" carers to be more inclusive and to further promote the utilisation of parental leave. During the 2024-2025 period, five male employees took either paid or unpaid parental leave.



### **Workplace Overview**

#### **Governing Bodies**

Gender balance on governing bodies or Boards is good for business. It contributes to workplace gender equality outcomes and improved company performance more broadly. Measures to support gender balance in the governing body include analysing the gender representation of chairs and other members, considering gender in the selection of Board members, and taking action to drive change through term limits, gender equality targets and policies.

1.5 Identify your organisa	tion/s' governing body	or bodies.
Organisation: Helia Insurar	nce Pty Limited	
A. To your knowledge, is t group for this year's Gend		so reported in a different submission
No		
B. What is the name of you	ur governing body?	
Helia Insurance Pty Ltd Bo	ard of Directors	
D. How many members ar position?	e in the governing bod	y and who holds the predominant Chair
	Female (F)	Male (M)
Chair  Members (excluding chairs)	3	3
-		
Yes <b>Selected value:</b> Policy; Stra	ganisation's governing ategy	ategies in place to support and achieve body?  trategies include any of following?

positions; Gender diversity on candidate shortlists; Succession planning for the



governing body; Gender diversity and inclusion

F. Does this organisation's Members?	governing body ł	nave limits on the terms of its Chair and/ or
No		
G. Has a target been set or	the representation	on of women on this governing body?
Yes, a target has been set t governing body	o maintain the exi	sting representation of women on this
H. Do you have a formal po organisation's governing b		Il strategy on diversity and inclusion for this
		ty; Cultural and/or language and/or accessibility; Gender identity; Age
Organisation: Helia Group L	imited	
A. To your knowledge, is th group for this year's Gende		y also reported in a different submission ing?
No		
B. What is the name of you	ır governing body	?
Helia Insurance Pty Ltd		
C. What type of governing	body does this or	ganisation have?
Board of Directors		
D. How many members are position?	e in the governing	body and who holds the predominant Chair
	Female (F)	Male (M)
Chair	1	0
Members (excluding chairs)	3	3

E. Do you have formal policies and/or formal strategies in place to support and achieve gender equality in this organisation's governing body?



ted value: Policy; Strategy
E.1 Do the formal policies and/or formal strategies include any of following?
Selection process for governing body members; Advertisement of governing body positions; Gender diversity on candidate shortlists; Succession planning for the governing body; Gender diversity and inclusion
es this organisation's governing body have limits on the terms of its Chair and/ or bers?
as a target been set on the representation of women on this governing body?
a target has been set to maintain the existing representation of women on this rning body
you have a formal policy and/or formal strategy on diversity and inclusion for thi nisation's governing body?
ginal and/or Torres Strait Islander identity; Cultural and/or language and/or ethnicity background; Disability and/or accessibility; Gender identity; Age



Yes

### **Action on Gender Equality**

#### **Gender Pay Gaps**

The gender pay gap is the difference in average or median earnings between women and men. It is a measure of how we value the contribution of women and men in the workforce. The gender pay gap is not to be confused with women and men being paid the same for the same, or comparable, job – this is equal pay. Equal pay for equal work is a legal requirement in Australia. However, illegal instances of unequal pay can still be one of the many drivers of the gender pay gap. Closing the gender pay gap is important for Australia's economic future and reflects our aspiration to be an equal and fair society for all

## 2.1 Do you have formal policies and/or formal strategies on equal remuneration (pay equity and the gender pay gap) between women and men?

Yes

Policy

#### 2.1a Do the formal policies and/or formal strategies include any of the following?

To achieve gender pay equity; To close the gender pay gap; To ensure no gender bias occurs at any point in the remuneration review process (for example at commencement, at annual salary reviews, out-of-cycle pay reviews, and performance reviews); To ensure managers are held accountable for pay equity outcomes; To implement and/or maintain a transparent and rigorous performance assessment process

### 2.2 Have you conducted analysis to determine if there are remuneration gaps between women and men?

Yes

#### 2.2a What type of gender remuneration gap analysis has been undertaken?

Like-for-like pay gaps analysis which compares the same or similar roles of equal or comparable value to identify unequal pay; A by-level gap analysis which compares the difference between women's and men's average pay within the same employee category; Overall gender pay gap analysis to identify the difference between women's and men's average pay and gender composition across the whole organisation; A comprehensive gender pay gap analysis, looking at base salary and total remuneration, workforce composition, talent acquisition and employee movements

#### 2.2b When was the most recent gender remuneration gap analysis undertaken?

Within the last 12 months



## 2.2c Did you take any actions as a result of your gender remuneration gap analysis?

Yes

Corrected instances of unequal pay; Identified cause/s of the gaps; Reviewed remuneration decision-making processes; Reported results of pay gap analysis to the governing body; Reported results of pay gap analysis to the executive; Reported results of pay gap analysis to all employees; Reviewed and implemented performance evaluation processes to ensure no gender bias

You may also provide more detail below on the gender remuneration gap analysis that was undertaken.

# 2.3 If your organisation would like to provide additional information relating to employer action on pay equity and/or gender remuneration gaps in your workplace, please do so below.

Helia's Remuneration strategy is a commitment to fair and equitable remuneration practices with a responsibility to achieving pay equity in all roles on a like-for-like basis (comparing equal or comparable jobs). As part of the annual review process, Helia performs comprehensive reviews and reporting of gender performance and pay equity outcomes. The 2024 annual review of performance and remuneration focused on the following: • Addressing male and female compa-ratio to ensure they are paid at or above the median in the market relative to their skills and experience. • Parity of base salary increases allocated for males and Analysis of short-term incentive outcomes by gender, females on a like-for like basis. • ensuring gender impartiality and absence of unconscious bias in the evaluation process for individuals with similar performance ratings on a like-for-like basis. Our ongoing commitment to championing gender equality has resulted in 35% women in management, positioning us well on track to reaching our 40% target. The 2023-2024 WGEA Equality Report highlighted a gender pay gap of -3.4%, a significant reduction from 8% in 2022-2023, marking our achievement of pay parity.



### **Action on Gender Equality**

#### **Employee Consultation**

Engaging employees through consultation on gender equality issues helps employers to understand the employee experience and to take meaningful action. Employers can use the information they learn through the consultation process to generate solutions that are practical and relevant to their organisation.

2.4 Have you consulted with employees on issues concerning gender equality in your workplace during the reporting period?

Yes

#### 2.4a How did you consult employees?

Employee experience survey; Consultative committee or group; Exit interviews

2.4b Who did you consult?

ALL staff

2.5 Do you have formal policies and/or formal strategies in place to ensure employees are consulted and have input on issues concerning gender equality in the workplace?

Yes

Strategy

2.8 If your organisation would like to provide additional information relating to employee consultation on gender Equality in your workplace, please do so below.

On the 3rd June 2024, we shared our WGEA reports through multiple channels to ensure accessibility for both employees and shareholders. These channels included our internal communication platform (Workplace), the company intranet, and externally on the Helia website. Employees were encouraged to provide feedback or comments on the report, either directly to the People and Culture team, the Chief People and Culture Officer (CPCO), or the Agency itself. The WGEA Executive Summary and Industry Benchmark reports were also provided to the CEO, who subsequently shared them with the governing body.



### Flexible Work

#### **Flexible Working Arrangements**

A flexible working arrangement is an agreement between an employer and an employee to change the standard working arrangement, often through a change to the hours, pattern or location of work. Flexible work is a key enabler of gender equality, helps accommodate an employee's commitments out of work and has become increasingly important for employers in attracting and retaining diverse and talented employees.

## 3.1 Do you have a formal policy and/or formal strategy on flexible working arrangements?

Yes

Policy; Strategy

#### 3.1a Do the formal policies and/or formal strategies include any of the following?

A business case for flexibility has been established and endorsed at the leadership level; Leaders are visible role models of flexible working; Flexible working is promoted throughout the organisation; Leaders are held accountable for improving take up and approval of workplace flexibility; Training on flexible working and remote/hybrid teams is provided to managers; Training on flexible working and remote/hybrid teams is available to all employees; All employees are surveyed on whether they have sufficient flexibility; The organisation's approach to flexibility is integrated into client conversations; The impact of flexibility is measured and evaluated (e.g. reduced absenteeism, increased employee engagement); Metrics on the use of, and/or the impact of, flexibility measures are reported to key management personnel; Metrics on the use of, and/or the impact of, flexibility measures are reported to the governing body; All team meetings are offered online; Other

**Provide Details:** Helia has adopted a hybrid workplace model, where employees work 50% of their time in the office and the remaining 50% from home. Two set days in the office each week are agreed by the team; other days are flexible and can change each fortnight.

### 3.2 Do you offer any of the following flexible working options to MANAGERS and/or NON MANAGERS in your workplace?

Flexible working option	MANAGERS	NON-MANAGERS
Flexible hours of work (start and finish times)	Yes	Yes
Compressed working weeks	Yes	Yes
Time-in-lieu	Yes	Yes
Hybrid working (regular days worked from home and in office)	Yes	Yes
Working fully remote (no regular days worked in office)	Yes	Yes
Reduced hours or part-time work	Yes	Yes
Job sharing arrangements	Yes	Yes
Purchased leave	Yes	Yes



Unpaid leave	Yes	Yes
Flexible scheduling, rostering or switching of shifts	Yes	Yes

## 3.3 If your organisation would like to provide additional information relating to flexible working and gender equality in your workplace, please do so below.

We have continued to operate in a hybrid workplace post Covid; 2022, after a consultation process with employees, allowing teams to decide which day worked best for the team to all come into the office and have a day per week where collaboration was at the heart of the day. Effective 4th March 2024, Helia adopted a hybrid workplace model, where employees work 50% of their time in the office and the remaining 50% from home. Two set days in the office each week are agreed upon by each of the teams; other days are flexible and can change each fortnight. Helia's 2024 Employee Engagement and Culture survey revealed that 90% of employees felt they had the flexibility needed to manage work and other commitments. Flexibility continues to rate highly and yield a positive impact throughout the organisation. Following the COVID-19 pandemic, Helia has retained the provision of three days of well-being leave, which employees can utilise for both physical and mental well-being. Additionally, Birthday leave remains part of our benefits package. With the inclusion of these four extra days, Helia's employees now receive an additional four days of leave annually.



### **Employee Support for Parents and Carers**

#### **Paid Parental Leave**

Parental leave policies are designed to support and protect working parents around the time of childbirth or adoption of a child and when children are young. Some employers offer universally available parental leave policies, offering equal parental leave for all parents, others offer with a distinction between 'primary' and 'secondary' carers. It's important that it's a policy that's available to all parents, irrespective of gender, 13recognising the equally important role of all parents in caregiving. Gender equal policies help to de-gender the ideal worker and carer norms, which pervade the workplace and reduce opportunities for women to remain in, or re-enter the workforce.

4.1 Do you provide employer-funded paid parental leave in addition to any government
funded parental leave scheme?

Yes, we offer employer funded parental leave to all genders without using the primary/secondary carer distinction

4.1a Please indicate whether your employer-funded paid primary carers leave is available to:
All, regardless of gender
4.1b Please indicate whether your employer-funded paid primary carers leave covers:
Birth; Adoption; Surrogacy; Stillbirth; Fostering
4.1c How do you pay employer-funded paid parental leave?
Paying the employee's full salary
4.1d How many weeks of employer-funded paid parental leave is available to
eligible employees?
Lowest entitlement: 14 Highest entitlement:
4.1e Who has access to this type of employer-funded paid parental leave?
Permanent employees
4.1f Do you require carers to work for the organization for a certain amount of time (a qualifying period) before they can access employer-funded parental leave?
No qualifying period
4.1g Do you require carers to take employer-funded paid parental leave within a



#### certain time after the birth, adoption, surrogacy and/or stillbirth?

Anytime within 12 months

4.1h Does your organisation have an opt out approach to parental leave? (Employees who do not wish to take their full parental leave entitlement must discuss this with their manager)

No

### 4.2 Do you pay superannuation contributions to your employees while they are on parental leave?

Yes, on employer funded primary carer's leave or equally shared parental leave (if applicable); Yes, on government funded parental leave

### 4.3 If your organisation would like to provide additional information relating to paid parental leave and gender equality in your workplace, please do so below.

From 1st September 2022, we've paid super on Government sponsored parental leave payments. We've also paid additional SG (super guarantee) at minimum wage rate, as our Company paid parental leave is less than government funded leave, by 4 weeks. Since 1st January 2024, Permanent employees regardless of their length of service with the Company, have been entitled to 14 weeks paid parental leave related to the birth of a child, or in the case of adoption (including surrogacy arrangements), or in the event of a stillbirth. This can also be taken flexibly.



### **Employee Support for Parents and Carers**

#### **Support for Carers**

Employers can contribute to workplace gender equality by providing support for employees with caring responsibilities. A carer refers to, but is not limited to, an employee's role as the parent (biological, step, adoptive or foster) or guardian of a child, or carer of a child, parent, spouse or domestic partner, close relative, or other dependent. Employer support for employees with caring responsibilities allows them to better accommodate their out-of-work responsibilities.

## 4.4 Do you have formal policies and/or formal strategies to support employees with family or caring responsibilities?

Yes

Policy

#### 4.4a Do the formal policies and/or formal strategies include any of the following?

Gender inclusive language when referring to carers; Support for all carers (e.g. carers of children, elders, people with disability); Paid Parental leave; Flexible working arrangements and adjustments to work hours and/or location to support family or caring responsibilities; Extended carers leave and/or compassionate leave

## 4.5 Do you offer any of the following support mechanisms for employees with family or caring responsibilities?

Support mechanism	Answer
Breastfeeding facilities	Yes
Information packs for those with family and/or caring responsibilities	Yes
Referral services to support employees with family and/ or caring responsibilities	Yes
Coaching for employees returning to work from parental leave and/or extended carers leave and/or career breaks	Yes
Internal support networks for parents and/or carers	Yes
Targeted communication mechanisms (e.g. intranet forums)	No
Return to work bonus (only select if this bonus is not the balance of paid parental leave)	No



Support mechanism	Answer
Breastfeeding facilities	Yes
Support for employees with securing care (including school holiday care) by securing priority places at local care centres (could include for childcare, eldercare and/or adult day centres)	No
Referral services for care facilities (could include for childcare, eldercare and/or adult day centres)	No
On-site childcare	No
Employer subsidised childcare	No
Parenting workshop	No
Keep-in-touch programs for carers on extended leave and/or parental leave	Yes
Access to counselling and external support for carers (e.g. EAP)	Yes



### 4.6 If your organisation would like to provide additional information relating to support for carers in your workplace, please do so below.

Our Leave Policy recognises additional support for elder and disability carers leave. In the event an employee exhausts their personal/carers leave entitlement, they are entitled to an additional five (5) days of paid special personal leave per calendar year, allocated for the care of elderly or disabled family members.



### **Harm Prevention**

#### Sexual harassment, harassment on the ground of sex or discrimination

Workplace sexual harassment and sex discrimination is a gender equality issue that predominantly impacts women. To increase women's workforce participation and well-being, it is essential employers take action to prioritise and protect all employees from sexual harassment, harassment on the ground of sex or discrimination and ensure that every employee feels safe in the workplace.

5.1 Do you have formal policies and/or formal strategies on the prevention of and appropriate response to sexual harassment, harassment on the ground of sex or discrimination?

Yes

Policy

#### 5.1a Do the formal policies and/or formal strategies include any of the following?

A grievance process; Definitions and examples of sexual harassment, harassment on the grounds of sex and discrimination and consequences of engaging in this behaviour; The legal responsibilities of the employer to eliminate, so far as possible, sexual harassment and how it is demonstrated in the organisation; Leadership accountabilities and responsibilities for prevention and response to sexual harassment; Disclosure options (internal and external) and process to investigate and manage any sexual harassment; Processes relating to the use of non-disclosure or confidentiality agreements; Expected standard of behaviour is clearly outlined and included in recruitment and performance management processes; Guidelines for human resources or other designated responding staff on confidentiality and privacy; Sexual harassment risk management and how control measures will be monitored, implemented and reviewed; Process for development and review of the policy, including consultation with employees, unions or industry groups; Protection from adverse action based on disclosure of sexual harassment and discrimination; A system for monitoring outcomes of sexual harassment and discrimination disclosure, including employment outcomes for those impacted by sexual harassment and the respondent; The frequency and nature of reporting to the governing body and management on sexual harassment; Manager and nonmanager training on respectful workplace conduct and sexual harassment

## 5.1b If Yes, have the policies and/or strategies been reviewed and approved in the reporting period by the Governing Body and CEO (or equivalent)?

	Answer
By the Governing Body	Yes
By the CEO (or equivalent)	Yes

5.2 Do you provide training on the prevention of sexual harassment, harassment on the ground of sex or discrimination to the following groups?

Yes



Cohort	At induction	At promotion	Annually	Multiple times per year
All managers	Yes	No	Yes	No
All non-managers	Yes	No	Yes	No
The Governing Body	No		Yes	No

### 5.2a Does the training program delivered to the above groups include any of the following?

The respectful workplace conduct and behaviours expected of workers and leaders; Different forms of inappropriate workplace behaviour (e.g. sexual harassment, harassment on the grounds of sex and discrimination) and its impact; The drivers and contributing factors of sexual harassment; Bystander training; Options for reporting occurrences of sexual harassment as well as the risk of sexual harassment occurring; Information on worker rights, external authorities and relevant legislation relating to workplace sexual harassment; The diverse experiences of sexual harassment and the needs of different people, including women, LGBTIQ+ workers, culturally diverse workers and workers with a disability.; Trauma-informed management and response to disclosures; Self-care and vicarious trauma training for employees, witnesses and responding staff; Responding to employees who engage in harassment or associated behaviours; Other

**Provide Details:** At Helia, all employees must complete mandatory e-learning annually within 30 days. Topics include WHS, Code of Conduct, Whistleblower Policy, and Anti-Discrimination, Bullying & Harassment. Helia promotes a "safe to speak up" culture with support avenues

### 5.3 Does the governing body and CEO or equivalent explicitly communicate their expectations on safety, respectful and inclusive workplace conduct? If yes, when?

#### Members of the governing body

Yes

;More often than annually;Other

**Provide Details:** Our CEO and CPCO regularly sends consistent messages about the importance of feeling included, safe and supported when we come to work each day. In addition, our zero tolerance of gender-based harassment and discrimination, sexual harassment and bullying

#### **Chief Executive Officer or equivalent**

Yes

At staff inductions; Ahead of big events (e.g. functions, conferences) or at internal launches (e.g. at the launch of a new strategy); More often than annually; Other



**Provide Details:** In 2024, Helia launched Inclusion & Allyship training, marking our growth from foundational concepts to deeper diversity awareness. We aim to build a culture where all feel valued and empowered, promoting allyship, equity, respect and psychological safety

### 5.4 Do you have a risk management process in place to prevent and respond to sexual harassment, harassment on the ground of sex or discrimination?

Yes

#### 5.4a Does your risk management process include any of the following?

Identification and assessment of the specific workplace and industry risks of sexual harassment; Control measures to eliminate or minimise the identified drivers and risks for sexual harassment so far as reasonably practicable; Regular review of the effectiveness of control measures to eliminate or minimise the risks of sexual harassment; Consultation on sexual harassment risks and mitigation with staff and other relevant stakeholders (e.g. people you share premises with); Reporting to leadership on workplace sexual harassment risks, prevention and response, incident management effectiveness and outcomes, trend analysis and actions; Identification, assessment and control measures in place to manage the risk of vicarious trauma to responding staff

### 5.4b What actions/responses have been put in place as part of your workplace sexual harassment risk management process?

Make workplace adjustments; Change or develop new control measures; Undertake and act on a culture audit of the relevant business or division; Train people managers in prevention of sexual harassment; Train staff on mitigation and control measures

### 5.5 What supports are available to support employees involved in and affected by sexual harassment?

Confidential external counselling (E.g. EAP); Information provided to all employees on external support services available; Reasonable adjustments to work conditions

### 5.6 What options does your organisation have for workers who wish to disclose or raise concerns about incidents relating to sexual harassment or similar misconduct?

Process for disclosure to human resources or other designated responding staff; Process



for disclosure to confidential/ethics hotline or similar; Process to disclose anonymously; Process for workers to identify and disclose potential risks of sexual harassment, without a specific incident occurring; Other (please specify)

**Provide Details:** The Ombudsperson is a neutral, confidential channel for Helia employees to report integrity concerns or policy/legal violations without fear of retribution. They may review the issue or refer it to appropriate resources for investigation or resolution.

### 5.7 Does your organisation collect data on sexual harassment in your workplace, if yes, what do you collect?

Yes

Number of formal disclosures or complaints made in a year; Number of informal disclosures or complaints made in a year; Anonymous disclosures through a staff survey; Gender of the complainant/aggrieved or victim; Gender of the accused or perpetrator; Outcomes of investigations

### 5.8 Does your organisation report on sexual harassment to the governing body and management (CEO, KMP) and how frequently?

#### Governing body

Yes

Multiple times per year

#### CEO or equivalent

Yes

Multiple times per year

#### **Key Management Personnel**

Yes

Multiple times per year

### 5.8a Do your reports on sexual harassment to governing body and CEO include any of the following?

Identified risks of workplace sexual harassment; Prevalence of workplace sexual harassment; Nature of workplace sexual harassment; Organisational action to prevent and respond to sexual harassment; Outcome of reports of sexual harassment; Consequences for perpetrators of sexual harassment; Effectiveness of response to reports of sexual harassment

5.9 If your organisation would like to provide additional information relating to measures to prevent and respond to sexual harassment, harassment on the ground of sex or discrimination, please do so below.





### **Harm Prevention**

#### **Family or Domestic Violence**

5.10 Do you have a formal policy and/or formal strategy to support employees who are experiencing family or domestic violence?

Yes

Policy

## 5.11 Do you have the following support mechanisms in place to support employees who are experiencing family or domestic violence?

Type of support (select all that apply)	
Protection from any adverse action or discrimination based on the disclosure of domestic violence	Yes
Confidentiality of matters disclosed	Yes
Training of key personnel	Yes
Flexible working arrangements	Yes
Workplace safety planning	no
Employee assistance program (including access to psychologist, chaplain or counsellor)	Yes
Referral of employees to appropriate domestic violence support services for expert advice	Yes
Provision of financial support (e.g. advance bonus payment or advanced pay)	Yes
A domestic violence clause is in an enterprise agreement or workplace agreement	Yes
Access to medical services (e.g. doctor or nurse)	No
Offer change of office location	No
Emergency accommodation assistance	Yes

## 5.12 Do you have the following types of leave in place to support employees who are experiencing family or domestic violence?

Access to paid domestic violence leave?

Yes

Is it unlimited?

No

Do you offer paid family and domestic violence leave by negotiation or as needed?

No

How many days of paid domestic violence leave?

10



Access to unpaid domestic violence leave?

Yes

Is it unlimited?

No

Do you offer unpaid family and domestic violence leave by negotiation or as needed?

No

How many days of unpaid domestic violence leave?

20

5.13 If your organisation would like to provide additional information relating to family and domestic violence affecting your employees, please do so below.

