

TrackSAFE is focussed on saving lives and positively impacting people and the economy.



Reducing fatalities, injuries and near hits on the Australian rail network from suicide, trespass and human error.



Increasing community awareness of safety on and around the rail corridor.



Supporting and improving the wellbeing of employees in all sectors of the rail industry.

No other sector is impacted as severely as the rail network by suicide.

Practically, one incident alone affects multiple train services.

Financially, incidents cause disruption and delays to hundreds of services each year, impacting customers and the economy.

Emotionally, the impact is far more difficult to measure. Following a fatality, rail workers and first responders are involved, with the ripple effect of suicide travelling through families, communities and colleagues.

86%

Fatalities on the Australian rail network are suspected suicides.*

1,854

Near hits at level crossings or due to trespass on the rail network.*

Advocates for effective suicide intervention and prevention.

Facilitates rail safety campaigns, education resources and knowledge sharing.

Engages and collaborates with supporters, partners and governments.

Delivers events and resources to support employee wellbeing.

TrackSAFE services & activities

- 1** Australia's only national charity focussed on reducing harm, including suicide on the rail network by working with trusted partners like Lifeline Australia to promote community-based crisis services.
- 2** Advocating for funding for the construction of barriers to limit access to the rail corridor to prevent trespass, injury and fatalities.
- 3** Improving the wellbeing of the rail workforce through training, events and initiatives such as Rail R U OK?Day, mental health first aid and trauma management training, RAILRES App and other wellbeing and post incident resources.
- 4** Leading community awareness safety campaigns and initiatives like Rail Safety Week and providing education resources to improve safety around trains and train tracks.
- 5** Actively contributing to government and industry working groups and committees focussed on improving safety on and around rail, including at level crossings.
- 6** Working with leaders in suicide, trauma and injury prevention and engaging in strategic partnerships and research that supports evidence-based advocacy, policy, prevention and intervention activities.
- 7** Connecting Industry by facilitating information sharing related to employee wellbeing and public safety on and around rail.

Support us and support the rail industry.

Whether directly or indirectly impacted by fatalities and injuries on the rail network, support of TrackSAFE demonstrates our collective sense of social responsibility to harm prevention and the ongoing journey to improve employee wellbeing.

With 45% of Australians between 16–85 likely to experience a mental health condition in their lifetime, employers of choice create mentally healthy workplaces offering support and encouraging help seeking.

