



RISKY BUSINESS

PROTECT EMPLOYEE HEALTH & WELLBEING

Why consider a Travel Health Policy?



Australian employers have a legislated duty of care to provide a safe working environment for employees, and must take preventative steps to mitigate known risks. This duty of care extends to employees travelling overseas for business.¹



Did you know?

Companies are accountable for business travellers' health and safety under workplace health and safety legislation.²

Neglecting your duty of care can negatively impact your business

- Direct costs
- Productivity
- Profitability
- Legal Costs



A recent survey³ of HR managers and business travellers revealed many organisations do not adequately provide travel health policies for their staff:

36% of companies **do not provide guidelines on vaccinations** prior to international travel.

40% **don't have a travel health policy**, and a further 20% of employees were not sure about their company's policies.

84% **consider a Travel Health Policy as an important part of employment**, rather than an employee benefit.



REMEMBER!

HR professionals have an important role to play in protecting employee health & wellbeing. For more information, visit:

Australian
Government

www.smarttraveller.gov.au

VaccineHub

<http://vaccinehub.com.au/>

Centers for Disease Control
and Prevention

www.cdc.gov

Consult a healthcare professional six weeks before travel to discuss travel vaccinations and medications.

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