

Questacon Environmental Management Policy

Our Organisation

Questacon's vision is for a better future for all Australians through engagement with science, technology and innovation.

As a role model for the Australian Government to the wider community, Questacon recognises its responsibility to minimise the impact of its activities on the environment.

Our Commitment

Questacon's Environmental Management Policy covers all activities carried out by Questacon, including all education, transport, manufacturing and office based activities at our main premises in Parkes and Deakin.

Questacon is committed to continually reducing its impact on the environment in proportion to the scale of its activities.

Our Strategy

We will:

- endeavour to conserve natural resources and reduce pollution where possible by developing programs that aim to minimise waste, reduce consumption of fossil fuels, mitigate environmental risks and promote a thoughtful approach to the use and management of consumables;
- promote awareness of environmental issues relating to Questacon's operations and encourage staff and visitors to embrace the initiatives that aim to minimise Questacon's impact on the environment;
- work closely with all of our stakeholders to communicate our aims and achievements;
- continually afford environmental considerations the highest possible priority;
- monitor, review and refine our work practises to ensure best practice; and
- comply with all relevant Commonwealth and ACT Government environmental legislation, the Commonwealth Government's environmental policies and initiatives, and any other environmental initiatives which Questacon voluntarily commits to.



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