



Appendix two – Survey results

Background

In July and August 2017, the Audit Office conducted a survey across employees in the four auditee agencies (TCorp, NSW Police Force, NSW Fair Trading, and Ministry of Health). There were 418 responses. Of these:

- 141 were people managers
- 253 were non-managers
- 24 preferred not to say.

Results may not add up to 100 per cent due to rounding.

Survey results

Question	Agree (%)	Neutral (%)	Disagree (%)
1. Senior leaders in my agency have communicated that effectively managing risks is a priority	65.5	20	14.6
2. Senior leaders in my agency make clear how much risk people in my work group are permitted to take when making decisions	44.3	28.8	26.9
3. If things go wrong in my work group, I feel safe in calling these out	69.7	12.5	17.8
4. I feel encouraged to identify opportunities and better ways of doing my work	69.7	13.2	17.1
5. I feel comfortable in raising issues and challenging ideas and opinions of others in my work group	70.6	14.7	14.7
6. If I manage risks effectively in my day to day job I get positive recognition in my performance reviews	43.8	34.5	21.7
7. When communicating information within my division, attention is given to both bad and good news	59.2	22.5	18.2
8. People in my work group are encouraged to consider risks and issues prior to starting, and during, significant projects	62.2	23.5	14.3
9. I know where to look for support if I need to escalate a risk or issue	75.8	13	11.1
10. I have a good understanding of the most important risks in my work group and how those risks should be managed	73.7	17.1	9.3
11. I receive adequate training on how to manage risks to people, assets and service delivery to perform my day to day job well	43.8	31.7	24.5
12. Risk management adds value to my organisation	78.8	17.5	3.7