Have your say!



The Office of Transport Safety Investigations (OTSI) is conducting research to understand the safety induction experiences of different domestic commercial vessel crew across NSW and identify opportunities to make crew and passengers safer.

Limited data from past safety investigations and incident reports, as well as anecdotal information, suggests that ineffective induction practices may be affecting the ability of crew members to respond safely in an emergency situation, especially if they are casual crew working on an unfamiliar vessel.

OTSI has organised an online survey to gather feedback from operators, masters and crew on their induction experiences (positive and negative). By completing the survey and encouraging others to do so, you will help ensure we collect a wide range of insights into how crews on domestic commercial vessels across NSW are inducted.

The survey will take 10-13 minutes to complete, and responses are completely anonymous.

OTSI will share a summary of the key themes from the survey responses with the DCV industry and government agencies such as Transport for NSW and AMSA to consider what – if any – initiatives are needed to improve induction practices and DCV safety.

The survey closes at 5pm on Friday 14 July.

Take the survey by scanning the QR code below

