

HEALTH AND SAFETY POLICY



Eldorado Gold Corporation (“Eldorado”) is committed to incorporating sustainability from the ground up, as articulated in our Sustainability Framework. We work to provide a safe and healthy workplace and to provide leadership and resources to manage health and safety risks. Incorporating health and safety awareness into everything we do empowers our workforce, fosters integrity, prevents harm to people and communities and drives our success. In our pursuit of safe and healthy operations, we are committed to the prevention of employee and contractor injury and illness through hazard identification and risk reduction at every stage of our business – from exploration to closure and post-closure.

Purpose

The purpose of this Health and Safety (H&S) Policy is to articulate Eldorado’s health and safety commitments; the Company’s expectations of our employees and contractors; and our commitment to engaging with stakeholders affected by our operations, in support of our Sustainability Framework.

Scope

Our H&S Policy and management approach has been informed by the following international frameworks:

- The International Cyanide Management Code
- The ILO International Labor Standards on Occupational Safety and Health
- The Mining Association of Canada’s Towards Sustainable Mining Health and Safety Protocol and
- World Gold Council Responsible Gold Mining Principles

Our H&S Policy and management approach are also informed by ISO 45001: Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems.

Our Golden Rules and Critical Controls define minimum expectations and mandatory actions related to high-risk activities and material risks. Both Golden Rules and Critical Controls exist to save lives; therefore, they apply to all Eldorado businesses and operational activities, to every contractor and to all site visitors.

Our Sustainability Integrated Management System (“SIMS”) establishes company-wide sustainability requirements aligned with these international frameworks to ensure consistent application and adherence across all operations and to drive H&S excellence. All employees, contractors, and visitors are expected to adhere to this H&S Policy and associated requirements in SIMS. Eldorado is committed to:

1. Promoting and working to demonstrate a culture of care and maintaining zero fatalities, serious injuries and occupational diseases as core concepts of our safety culture across all levels of the organization.
2. Empowering, educating and supporting our managers at all levels to advocate for safety in all we do, leading by example every day and proactively interacting, collaborating and engaging with our workforce, employee representatives as applicable, and our stakeholders on health and safety.
3. Promoting a positive learning and continuous improvement culture, both individually and organizationally, where our employees and contractors take personal responsibility for safety and seek to grow their safety competency.
4. Complying with all applicable legal and regulatory requirements in the countries that we operate, and other internal requirements, including SIMS.
5. Establishing and monitoring Occupational Health & Safety (OHS) performance objectives and targets to support continual improvement, risk reduction, and the protection of employee health and safety.
6. Establishing processes to effectively train workers to competently identify and manage hazards through risk-based thinking, tools, and applying the control hierarchy of elimination, substitution, engineering, administration and use of personal protective equipment (PPE).
7. Empowering workers, contractors, and worker’s representatives to prevent harm through a “stop work authority” and providing input to effective health and safety systems and control strategies.
8. Understanding, assigning and communicating roles, responsibilities and accountabilities, respecting health and safety performance at all levels of our organization, and providing appropriate resources to support achievement of our H&S Policy commitments and SIMS requirements.
9. Establishing processes and programs to promote and prioritize employee well-being through the provision of psychologically safe and respectful work environments.
10. Identifying and managing occupational health and hygiene exposures for the protection of long-term health through formal programs and/or strategies.
11. Implementing Emergency Response and Crisis Management Plans and ensuring employees are trained to respond to emergencies and crises to protect people and the environment.
12. Enabling prompt reporting, classification, and actions management into near misses and incidents to drive risk communication, recognizing safe behaviors, managing high potential health and safety events and applying learnings to help improve safety controls and nurture a learning culture.
13. Performing ongoing review and assurance of our health and safety management systems, standards, procedures and performance to drive continuous improvement through focused action, employee engagement and cultivation of a strong safety culture.
14. Celebrating successes, collaboration, and innovation that contributes towards a safe and healthy workplace and fosters a learning culture centered on the safety and well-being of our people.