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### **Drug testing**

Drug and alcohol testing and screening company Frontline Diagnostics will hold a series of workshops in March 2008 to educate Australian employers about the prevalence and impact of drugs at work and how to develop policies to ensure a drug-safe workplace. The Drug-Safe workshops, designed for business owners and managers and Occupational Health & Safety managers, will be held in Sydney, Canberra, Wollongong, Newcastle, Brisbane and Melbourne. The two hour workshops will feature a number of speakers including Frontline Diagnostics managing director Michael White, a legal expert and a toxicologist (a specialist in identifying the effects of drugs in the body). The workshops will focus on a number of areas including how to develop and implement a drug and alcohol policy; training managers and teaching employees about company policy; differences between the types of drug testing available; and how to structure an effective random drug testing program for employees.