# **Golding Contractors Pty Ltd**



# Society

Cost of Health

Cost of litigation

Increased crime

 Cost of associated services

## Workplace

- Cost of rehabilitation
- Cost of Industrial Relations
  - Increased incidents
- Cost of Management



# Society

Violent Fathers

Disease

Safety to road users

## Workplace

Aggressive line managers

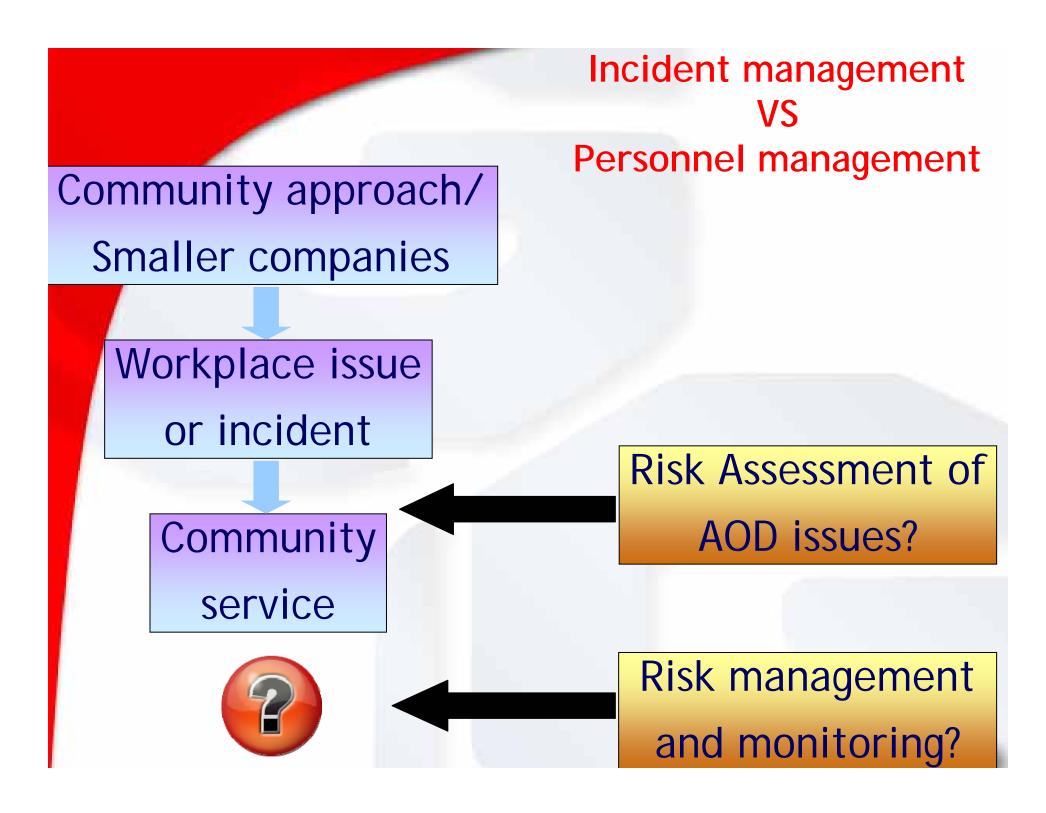
Infection

Safety of operators



# Workplace Alcohol & Other Drugs: More than managing the risk





# Incident management VS Personnel management

EAP approach/ larger companies

Workplace issue or incident

EAP provider



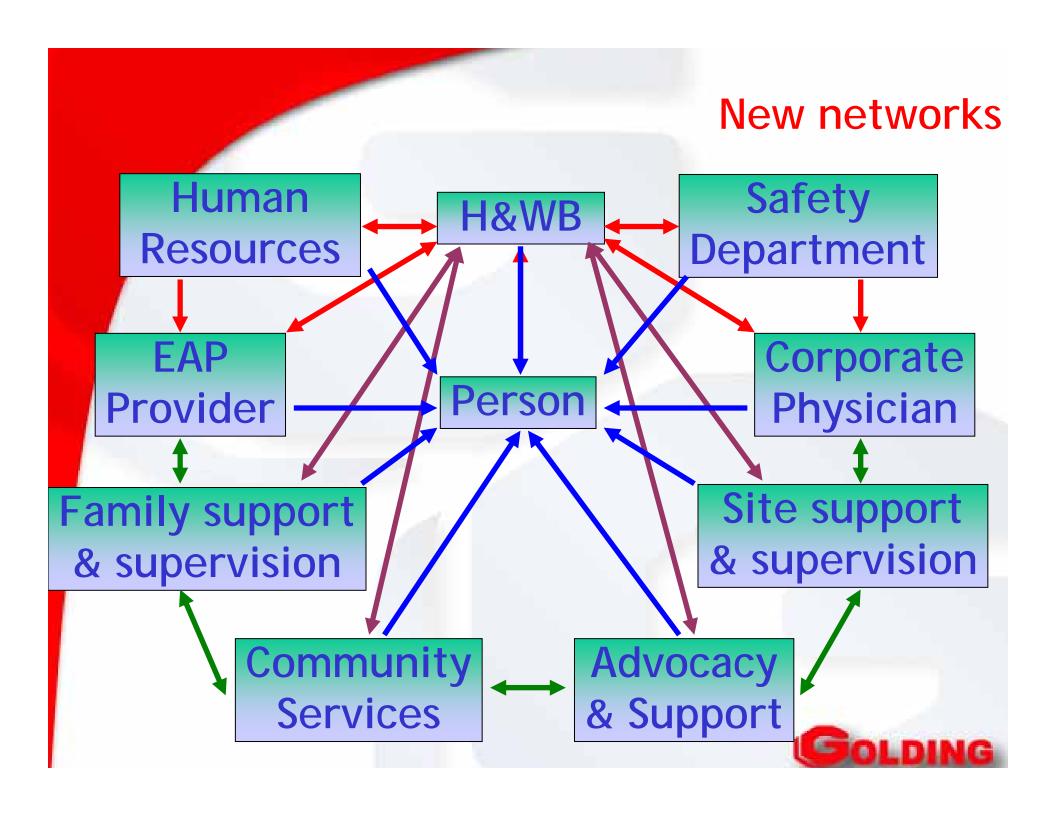
Risk Assessment of AOD issues?

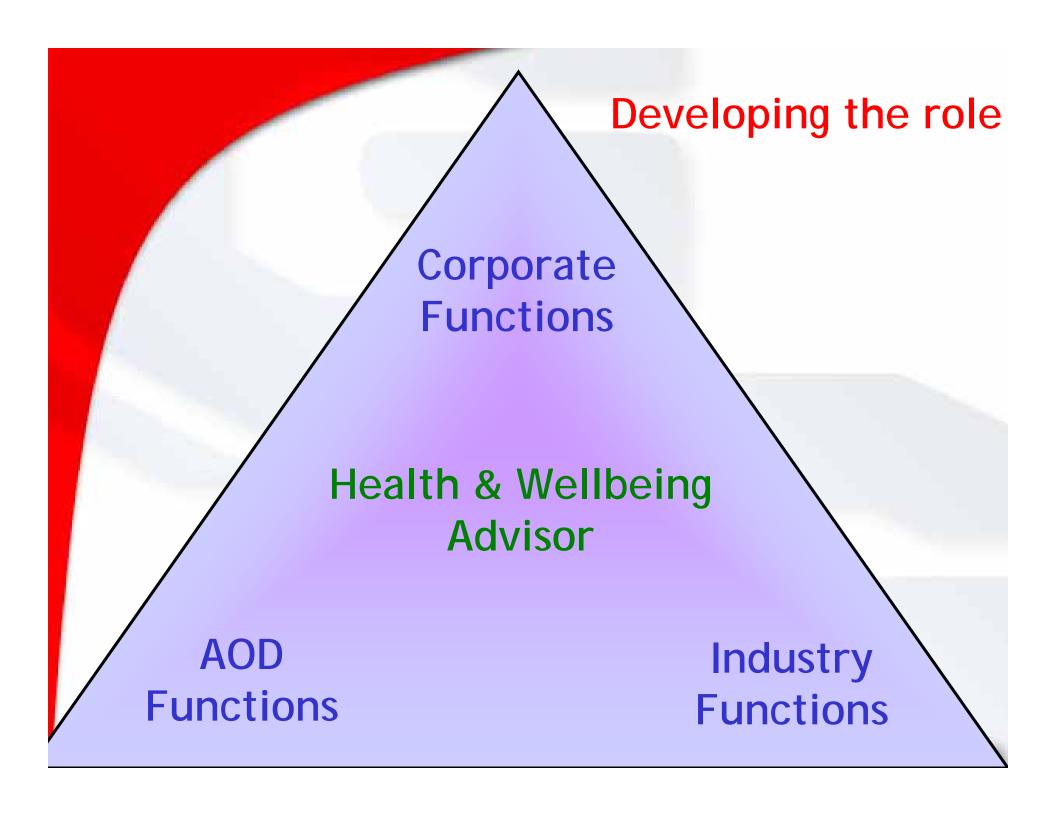
Risk management and monitoring?

#### Potential deficiencies

- Key points:
  - Who is conducting a qualified AOD assessment?
  - Who is conducting risk identification for your workplace?
  - Who is managing or monitoring this risk?
  - What established line of communication are you using?







### Corporate functions

- Include:
  - Company History
  - Incident Reporting
  - External Marketing
  - System Development
  - Tendering Involvement
  - Internal management Advice
  - Policy & procedure Maintenance
  - Risk Identification & Management



#### **AOD Functions**

- Include:
  - Service Matching
  - Case Management
  - Medication Information
  - Pre-Employment & Induction
  - Workplace Brief Interventions
  - Supervisor Comorbidity Training
  - Trainee & Apprentice Integration
  - Youth & Community Education



### **Industry Functions**

- Include:
  - Best Practice
  - Youth Workforce
  - Industry Standards
  - Mentor Development
  - Research & Data Gathering
  - Contributions to Social Welfare
  - Corporate Social Responsibilities
  - Conferences & Industry Promotion



## Utilising the network

- Includes:
  - TAFE
    - Recruiting & Short Course Training
  - QUT
    - Legitimate and empirical data gathering
  - Alcohol & other Drug Council of Australia (ADCA)
    - Utilising data for the AOD sector



#### **Network**

- Continued:
  - Queensland Resources Council
    - Cadet training
  - Construction Training Queensland
    - Apprentice support programs
    - Mentor development courses
  - Drug and Alcohol Testing Association



#### **Benefits**

- Include:
  - Improved risk identification
  - Comprehensive risk management
  - Reduced time and cost through line management
  - Central point of contact on AOD/Community issues
  - Developing a company history and unified approach



#### **Benefits**

- Continued:
  - Proactive rather than reactive
  - Reduced costs in recruiting and retraining
  - Improving company reputation with community and families
  - Increasing industry reputation & potential workforce



