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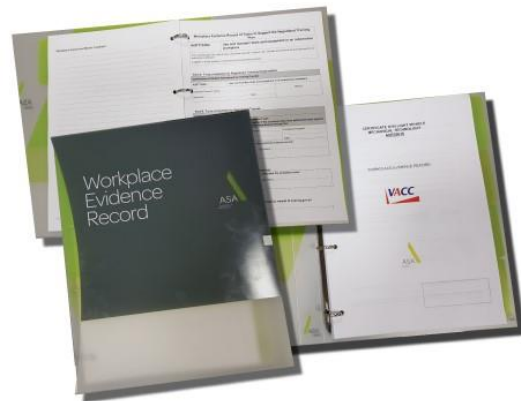
## Have Your Say on Apprenticeship Training Standards

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Your elected Divisional Executive Committees often raise concerns about the lack of TAFE reporting to employers regarding their apprentices. VACC have been working with the relevant training institutions on improving both the standard of training and transparency of apprenticeship reporting back to employers. In 2014, VACC introduced the *Workplace Evidence Record* in consultation with Auto Skills Australia and pushed for it to become a mandatory tool of employer reporting by TAFE's. Some institutions have implemented this tool as a communication method while others have implemented their own procedures.



The Victorian State Government recently announced that it is working with students, industry and employers to reform the training system to ensure the students gain the skills they need to obtain employment. The Government is seeking feedback on the current system and has sent out a survey to all students enrolled in an apprenticeship scheme and their respective employers. The 2018 student and employer survey is now open and will close on 11 May 2018. You will receive an email from the Wallis group with a link to the survey and access code. The survey should only take a few minutes to complete.

You can also [access the survey here](#)

VACC encourages members to take the time to submit their feedback via the employer survey as the results will form a key evidence component to be used to manage the Government subsidised education market and identify training providers not meeting the quality threshold. It will also deliver to the State Government an insight into the quality and outcomes from training at the individual provider level.

Regards

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