

**An estimated 395 people die each and every year in Northern Ireland, as a result of the job they do or have done in the past.**

**An estimated annual cost to Northern Ireland of workplace injuries and work-related ill health.**

**£351,000,000**

**Cost of work place injuries in Northern Ireland.**

**£113,000,000 (32%)**

**Cost of work-related ill health**

**£238,000,000 (68%)**

**Estimated numbers of people affected per annum in Northern Ireland.**

**Work-related illness – 20,000**

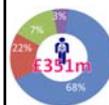
**Musculoskeletal disorders – 13,000**

**Work-related stress – 15,000**

**THE ESTIMATED COST TO NORTHERN IRELAND OF WORKPLACE INJURIES AND WORK-RELATED ILL HEALTH**



**ESTIMATED NUMBERS OF NI EMPLOYEES AFFECTED PER ANNUM**



Work-related illness	<b>20,000</b>
Musculoskeletal disorders	<b>13,000</b>
Work-related stress	<b>15,000</b>



**5 YEAR STRATEGY  
AIMS AND OBJECTIVES**

The aim of this strategy is “To encourage the improved management of workplace health thereby reducing the incidence of poor health in the Northern Ireland workforce”.

- Awareness raising/Education/Communication
- Engagement, empowerment and support
- Capacity building (including training, skills and experience)
- Shaping solutions
- Partnership working

**STRATEGIC OUTCOMES FOR THE 5 YEAR PLAN –  
WHAT WILL SUCCESS LOOK LIKE?**

**THE PLEDGE**

**Our Commitment**

We are committed to working towards reducing occupational ill health and disease in our organisation and our sector.