

# Driving business agility through effective and proven virtual advisory services.

PM-Partners help you deliver change faster, better and with less risk. With 25 years' experience, we offer advisory, agile coaching and project delivery, along with organisation-wide capability.

# **PM-Partners Project Approach**

We believe each client has a unique environment, change culture and set of objectives so we begin every engagement with an initial meeting to discuss and agree the scope, requirements, logistics and communications.

### **Tried and tested methods**

The activities within our Virtual Assurance Review remain the same with the only difference being how we deliver the service. To ensure PM-Partners continues to provide excellent value to our customers we've trained our consultants in best practice technologies.

Using leading software enables us to connect with our customers and facilitate each step in an efficient and collaborative way. Virtual delivery has allowed us to connect with more stakeholders than before adding incremental value to our efforts and outputs. Distance is no longer a barrier in connecting people and achieving great results.



Leveraging practical experience and best practices combined with over 25 years of industry knowledge to deliver one of the most powerful measures available to ensure project success.

An objective view of where the project is going wrong without any finger pointing, simply providing peace of mind for executives by adding rigour to high risk initiatives. Helping to capture and resolve issues and non-compliance in a cost effective way which can be applied to future projects and uplift your internal capability.



PREPARE	<ul> <li>Agree scope and terms of reference with sponsor</li> <li>Request program collateral</li> <li>Identify stakeholders and plan interviews</li> </ul>
REVIEW	<ul> <li>Review previous assurance reports</li> <li>Conduct 1-on-1 interviews</li> <li>Emerging themes and areas for further investigation</li> </ul>
ASSESS	<ul> <li>Facilitate group retrospectives workshops</li> <li>Assess effectiveness of program controls/processes</li> <li>Review 1-on-1 interviews</li> </ul>
VALIDATE	<ul> <li>Capture lessons learned and remediation activities</li> <li>Validation workshop with stakeholders</li> </ul>
REPORT	<ul><li>Prepare findings report</li><li>Executive presentation of recommendations</li></ul>



## **Health Checks and Assurance**

PM-Partners Assurance Methodology is focused on providing pragmatic and practical advice, customised to suit our client's unique environment. Designed to provide an ongoing and independent review of the effectiveness of key practices used to manage a project or programme. Updated regularly by our team of practicing Project and Programme Managers to align with international best practices.

## QUALITY ASSURANCE REVIEWS

Quality Assurance Reviews provide an objective and fully independent view of a given programme or project status and or outcomes. These reviews capture challenges for remediation and areas of non-compliance that can be easily actioned in a cost effective manner.

Quality Assurance Reviews can be completed at any stage in the lifecycle and are performed in a non-obtrusive way by our team of Assurance Experts.

#### SET UP FOR SUCCESS

Completed in the early stages of a project with an emphasis on ensuring all critical resourcing, planning, analysis and estimating aspects have been appropriately completed.

#### MID-POINT REVIEW

Every project runs into challenges at some point, adding to these challenges are today's complex, changing and ambiguous work environments. Our mid-point review is designed as a safe guard to check the health of a project and make adjustments (if needed) before proceeding.

#### POST IMPLEMENTATION REVIEW

SUCCESS

Typically completed at the end of the project with a focus on identifying strengths and challenges. Providing actionable recommendations to assist future projects.

Health checks and assurance services quickly and objectively identify project and programme issues with actionable feedback before a situation escalates.

## **Virtual Protocols**



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