

8 compelling reasons to automate policy management

Raising policy uptake over time cuts costs, reduces risk and improves performance

Historically, the administrative burden to deliver an effective policy management process has been prohibitive. Now, NETconsent automated policy management software offers an efficient and cost-effective compliance and policy management system able to systematically evidence compliance, instil best practice and improve and sustain business controls.



Targeted Distribution

Ensure the right people get the right policies at the right time without incurring excessive administration costs. **People's time is not wasted by receiving documents not relevant to their role.**

Formal Acceptance

Guarantee employees electronically sign up to current policies. **People formally state they have read the policy, understand it and will carry out their role in line with its principles.**

Minimum Read Time

Monitor how long employees spend reading policies against average read times to pinpoint potential areas of risk. **People have to pay more than lip service to the review process and managers know where action has to be taken.**

Testing

Test employees' knowledge of policies at scheduled intervals to ensure that policy guidelines are understood & retained. **The psychology of "I may be required to take a test" when staff are reviewing policy documents means that will take the overall process more seriously.**

Good Line Management

NETconsent provides managers with effective management information to help control the policy distribution process. **Managers are able to understand how well policies are understood and where action needs to be taken to improve it further.**

Training

Exception reporting enables line managers to quickly identify employees that seem not to fully understand policies and target training resources only where they are needed. **People who need training and pose most risk can take priority.**

Policy Reviews

Regular review and update of policies to keep them up to date becomes feasible with automated policy management. **Workplace policies become live and effective documents.**

Plain English Policies

Electronic distribution enables policies to be written in bite size chunks to communicate critical policies first and other policies over time. **Policies that instil best practice to a 21st Century workforce.**