



7 Signals Your Contractor Safety Program May Lack Enterprise Control.

Many contractor safety programs meet regulatory requirements. Far fewer operate with consistent enterprise-level governance. When contractor oversight varies by site, enterprise exposure increases quietly, often without executive visibility. The difference is enterprise maturity.

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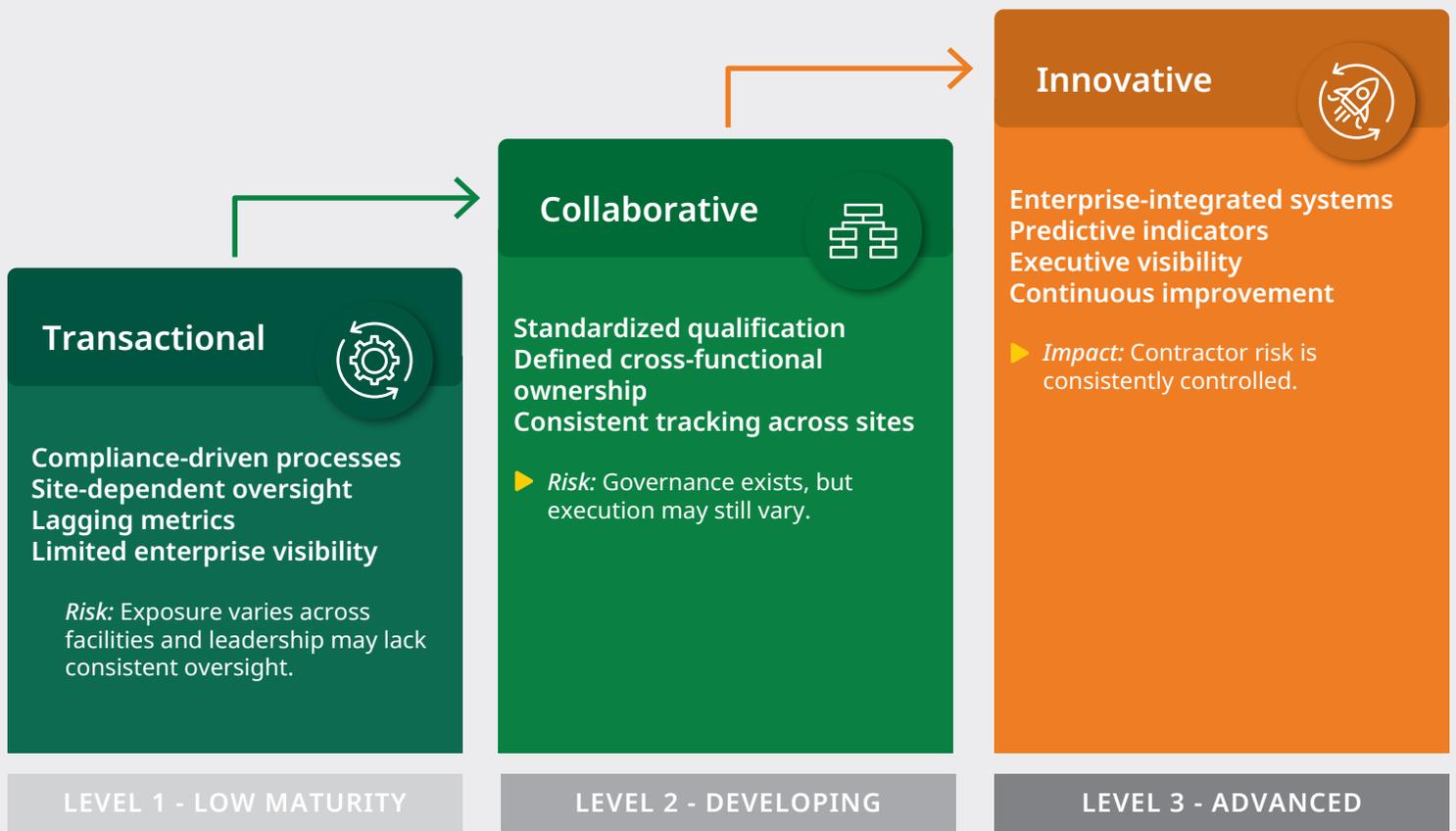


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The Contractor Safety Maturity Spectrum

Most organizations operate somewhere between Levels 1 and 2





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7 Signals of Enterprise Contractor Control

- ✓ 1. Oversight is consistent across all facilities
- ✓ 2. Leadership has enterprise-wide visibility into contractor performance
- ✓ 3. Qualification standards are standardized and enforced
- ✓ 4. Leading indicators inform risk decisions
- ✓ 5. Accountability extends beyond the EHS function
- ✓ 6. Contractor expectations are embedded into operational culture
- ✓ 7. Roles and responsibilities are clearly defined between host employers, contractors, and subcontractors

If several of these signals are inconsistent, localized, or undefined across parties, contractor risk may not be consistently controlled at the enterprise level.

When a serious contractor incident occurs, investigations examine enterprise governance, qualification standards, documentation controls, defined responsibilities, and executive visibility into contractor oversight.

Inconsistent contractor safety management creates systemic risk that may not be visible in site-level metrics.

Strengthen Enterprise Contractor Oversight

DEKRA works with multi-site organizations to identify systemic contractor safety gaps.

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