

NSW HEALTH ABORIGINAL HEALTH IMPACT STATEMENT: REFERENCES AND RESOURCES ABOUT ABORIGINAL PEOPLE AND ABORIGINAL HEALTH

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The NSW Health Aboriginal Health Impact Statement has been developed to ensure that the health needs and interests of Aboriginal people are integrated into the policy, program, and strategy development processes. The statement can be obtained from www.health.nsw.gov.au/pubs/a/pdf/ab_impact_state_book.pdf. A useful list of references and resources about Aboriginal people and Aboriginal health is included with the statement and is reproduced here. The list includes intranet and internet sites, books, and other publications, but is not exhaustive. Listing of specific references and resources does not imply endorsement, support, or commercial gain by NSW Health.

ABORIGINAL PEOPLE, HISTORY, CULTURE

Internet sites

- www.atsic.gov.au/News_Room/As_a_Matter_of_Fact/Default.asp;
- www.atsia.gov.au/atsia/facts/index.htm;
- www.natsiew.nexus.edu.au;
- www.dreamtime.net.au;
- www.nationalparks.nsw.gov.au/npws.nsf/Content/Aboriginal+people+and+cultural+life
- www.ciolek.com/WWWVLPages/AborigPages/General.html.

Books and other publications

There are numerous books and videos available at public libraries, including:

- Goodall H. *Invasion to Embassy: Land in Aboriginal politics in New South Wales, 1770–1972*. St Leonards, NSW: Allen and Unwin (in association with Black Books), 1996.
- Parbury N. *Survival: A history of Aboriginal life in New South Wales*. Sydney: NSW Department of Aboriginal Affairs, 1986.

NSW ABORIGINAL HEALTH PARTNERSHIP AND FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT

- Policy and Planning Unit, Aboriginal Health Branch, NSW Department of Health, telephone (02) 9391 9000;
- Aboriginal Health and Medical Research Council of NSW, email ahmrc@ahmrc.org.au or telephone (02) 9698 1099.

ABORIGINAL HEALTH POLICIES, PROGRAMS, AND STRATEGIES IN NSW

- Ensuring Progress in Aboriginal Health in NSW: A Reader Friendly Information Kit

Published in 2002, this kit provides a concise summary of Aboriginal health issues, policies, programs, structures, and contact details. Available electronically from:

http://internal.health.nsw.gov.au/pubs/aboriginal_health/ensureprogress_kit.pdf;

or from:

www.health.nsw.gov.au/pubs/aboriginal_health/ensureprogress_kit.pdf;

or in printed form from:

Better Health Centre, NSW Department of Health, telephone (02) 9816 0452, fax (02) 9816 0492 or email DE1@doh.health.nsw.gov.au.

Other publications

- Aboriginal Health Branch. *The Last Report: Report of the NSW Task Force on Aboriginal Health*. Sydney: NSW Department of Health, 1990.
- Swan P. *200 Years of Unfinished Business*. Redfern: Aboriginal Medical Service, 1988 (reprinted in 1997).

ABORIGINAL HEALTH POLICY (NATIONAL)

For Aboriginal health policy matters with national implications:

- Office for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health, Commonwealth Department of Health and Ageing at www.health.gov.au:80/oatsih/what/index.htm;
- National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation at www.naccho.org.au;
- Guidelines for the development, implementation, and evaluation of National Public Health Strategies in relation to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples at www.nphp.gov.au/natstrat/atsi/guidelines/index.htm.

ABORIGINAL HEALTH STATISTICS AND EPIDEMIOLOGY

- Australian Indigenous HealthInfoNet at www.healthinfonet.ecu.edu.au;
- Publications from the National Centre for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Statistics at www.abs.gov.au;

- Publications from the Australian Bureau of Statistics at www.abs.gov.au;
- Publications from the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare at www.aihw.gov.au;
- Aboriginal Health Information Strategy Unit, NSW Department of Health, at www.health.nsw.gov.au/im/ahisu;
- Publications from the Centre for Epidemiology and Research, NSW Department of Health (including *The Report of the Chief Health Officer* and *NSW Mothers and Babies*) at www.health.nsw.gov.au;
- National performance indicators for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health at www.health.gov.au/oatsih/pubs/pdf/mpi.pdf;
- National service activity reporting for Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Services at www.health.gov.au:80/oatsih/pubs/pdf/sar.pdf.

ABORIGINAL HEALTH FUNDING

- Australian Institute of Health and Welfare. *Expenditures on Health Services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People 1998–99*. Canberra: AIHW and Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care, 2001;

- Deeble J, Mathers C, Smith L et al. *Expenditures on Health Services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People*. Canberra: AIHW, 1998;
- Program Support and Evaluation Unit, Aboriginal Health Branch, NSW Department of Health, telephone (02) 9391 9000.

ABORIGINAL COMMUNITY CONTROLLED HEALTH SERVICES IN NSW

- Aboriginal Health and Medical Research Council of NSW, email ahmrc@ahmrc.org.au or telephone (02) 9698 1099;
- National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation (current list of NSW members at www.naccho.org.au/Members.html). ☒