

INDEX

A

- Aboriginal people, 7, 14
- Men's Health Implementation Plan*, 70
- Area Health Services
 - mortality in, 32
 - resource allocation, 103

C

- capacity building, 8
 - Aboriginal men's health, 71
 - mental health, 89
 - rural health, 95
- childhood. *see* early years of life
- community health services. *see* primary health care
- community participation, 8, 50
 - Aboriginal men, 71
 - disadvantaged communities, 67, 69
 - mental health, 90
 - rural areas, 96
- country of birth, health inequalities and, 13

D

- death. *see* mortality
- disadvantaged groups. *see* socioeconomic determinants of health

E

- early years of life, 8
 - Families First* initiative, 57
 - mental health support, 89
 - NSW health policy, 61
- economic policy, health inequalities and, 48, 52
- equity (fairness). *see also* inequalities
 - In All Fairness*, 1, 4, 8, 9
 - resource allocation, 104
 - through primary health care, 77

F

- fairness. *see* equity
- Families First* initiative, 57

G

- gender differences in health, 13, 53
 - men's health, 70, 80
 - women's health, 67, 89
- general practitioners. *see also* primary health care
 - disadvantaged people and, 77
 - men's use of, 80
- globalisation, 48

H

- health and equity statement, 5
- Health Impact Assessment (HIA), 98
- health inequalities. *see* inequalities in health

- health professionals
 - addressing inequalities, 49
 - general practitioners, 77, 80
 - rural areas, 96
- health promotion, mental health, 89
- heart disease, 21

I

- In All Fairness*, 1, 4, 8, 9
- income trends, 40, 52
- indigenous Australians. *see* Aboriginal people
- inequalities in health, 1. *see also* socioeconomic determinants of health
 - child health, 57
 - Director-General's message, 4
 - economic policies and, 48, 52
 - Health Impact Assessment (HIA) and, 99
 - income trends and, 40
 - measuring, 13
 - mortality, 31
 - primary health care and, 77
 - reducing, 45, 48
 - resource allocation, 103
 - women in disadvantaged communities, 67
- intersectoral action, 8
 - mental health, 89
 - rural areas, 85, 96

L

- language spoken at home, health inequalities and, 13
- life expectancy. *see* mortality
- lung cancer, 21

M

- men's health
 - Aboriginal Men's Health Implementation Plan*, 70
 - use of general practitioner services, 80
- mental health
 - capacity building, 89
 - socioeconomic gradient and, 53
- mortality, 5, 20, 31
 - life expectancy, 7

O

- organisational development. *see* capacity building

P

- participation. *see* community participation
- place of residence. *see also* rural areas
 - health inequalities, 16
 - women in disadvantaged communities, 67
- policy development, 45, 48
 - child health, 61
 - Health Impact Assessment (HIA), 98

premature deaths, 5, 20, 31
primary health care, 8, 77
 home visiting, 57, 61
 men's use of general practitioner services, 80
 mental health promotion, 89

R

regional planning, 8
 mental health, 89
 rural areas, 85
renal disease, 35
Resource Distribution Formula (RTF), 9, 100, 103
road traffic accidents, 21
rural areas, 7
 agricultural workers, 85
 capacity building, 95

S

sex. *see* gender
socioeconomic determinants of health, 4, 13, 45, 48. *see*
 also inequalities in health

children, 57
income trends, 40
 'inverse care law', 77
primary avoidable mortality (PAM), 20
renal disease, 35
 women in disadvantaged communities, 67
Start of Good Health policy, 62
surveys
 Health Impact Assessment (HIA), 98
 income trends, 40
 women in disadvantaged communities, 68

U

urban areas, 7

W

websites on health issues, 2, 100
women
 disadvantaged communities, 67
 Mother Infant Network (mental health support), 89
workforce capacity building, 89