

REVISED SUMMARY OF STATE PLAN

NSW State Plan

Vision: The ongoing improvement in the living standards and wellbeing of all NSW residents, including those people and communities currently experiencing disadvantage and social exclusion.

Statement of Values:

- Recognition and respect for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people as our first peoples;
- Respect for the dignity and human rights of all people in NSW;
- A commitment to the full and effective participation of all people in society; and
- Compassion and support for people in need.

Plan what we do	Report regularly and involve the community	Do what we plan	Measures of success
<p>Evidence based policies</p> <p>Integrate with existing plans, eg. Sydney Metropolitan Strategy, Disability Plan</p> <p>Clear measures of success</p> <p>Review in 2009</p>	<p>Public reporting of progress against outcomes</p> <p>Ongoing community participation</p> <p>Work effectively with the private sector and non-government organisations to deliver our goals</p> <p>External governance</p>	<p>Lead responsibility for the State Plan's implementation across government agencies rest with the Premiers Department.</p> <p>Increased accountability for Ministers and CEOs for achieving goals</p> <p>Reform Government and budgetary processes to drive progress against plan</p>	<p>Performance agreements</p> <p>Public agencies Annual Reports include progress of achievements against the Plan's goals (where applicable).</p> <p>Annual progress report tabled to Parliament by the Premier.</p> <p>Oversight by the Cabinet Social Justice Committee, with advice from the Social Justice Reference Group</p> <p>Auditor General's reports include a statement of performance against the state plan.</p>

Themes	Sub-themes	Priorities	Measures of success
Safe, vibrant and harmonious communities	Keeping people safe by tackling the causes and consequences of crime	<p>1. Reduction in violent crime and improved support for victims, including improved and integrated response to domestic violence, family violence, sexual assault and elder abuse</p> <p>2. Minimising re-offending and recidivism</p> <p>3. Reducing contact of people with disability and mental illness with criminal justice system</p> <p>4. Support the police force with appropriate powers and latest technology</p>	<p>1. Reduced rates of crime, particularly violent crime,</p> <p>2. Reduced re-offending and significantly lower recidivism rates across adult and juvenile justice</p> <p>3. Lower proportion of people in contact with the criminal justice system (including the juvenile justice system) who have an intellectual or other form of disability, including mental illness.</p>
	Tackling anti-social behaviour	5. Local crime prevention strategies including community development and intergenerational programs	4. Lower perception/fear of crime via surveys
	Building harmonious communities	<p>6. Improving social cohesion and community resilience</p> <p>7. State wide anti racism strategy including responses to systemic discrimination, racial violence and racial and religious vilification</p>	<p>5. Increased number of NSW residents report that they have a stake in the community and have a chance to participate and contribute (ABS data).</p> <p>6. Reduction in complaints of discrimination (including systemic) violence and vilification against Aboriginal people, people from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, GLBTI, people with a disability</p>
	Protecting and promoting human rights	8. Increasing access to justice for all	7. Proportion legal problems resolved increases (Legal Aid)

<p>Improving public and community services</p>	<p>Better, more accessible, affordable and appropriate services Health (including include mental health, oral health and preventative services).</p>	<p>9. Reducing health inequity through a focus on the social determinants of health</p> <p>10. Improving health outcomes of Aboriginal people</p> <p>11. Increased investment in oral health</p> <p>12. Improved access to health services for people in rural, regional and remote NSW</p> <p>13. Improved access to health services for CALD communities including refugees</p> <p>14. Enhancing the effectiveness of the interface between the health and community care system for an aging population</p> <p>15. Improved health through reduced obesity, smoking and risk drinking</p>	<p>8. Elimination of health status inequities (life expectancy at birth in low income and rural health areas equal to or better than the state average life expectancy at birth)</p> <p>9. Bringing Aboriginal health outcomes in line with health outcomes for the general community (including life expectancy)</p> <p>10. Health services meet key national benchmarks for access and quality</p> <p>11. Reduce avoidable hospital admissions</p>
	<p>Education</p>	<p>16. Ensuring universal, affordable access to pre school/prior to school experience two days per week</p> <p>17. Reducing truancy and suspension through improved curriculum relevance and support.</p> <p>18. Improving the transition between primary and high school, and high school to work</p> <p>19. Improving education outcomes of Aboriginal children and young people</p>	<p>12. Increased proportion of children with skills for life and learning at school entry</p> <p>13. A reduction in the proportion of early school leavers who are unemployed, including those from rural NSW</p> <p>14. Meeting education outcomes targets in the Aboriginal Education Plan</p>

		20. Improving life long learning across the community	<p>15. More students meet or exceed key national benchmarks for attainment</p> <p>16. More students completing year 12 or equivalent across NSW (including young people with disability)</p> <p>17. Increasing proportion of people with disability and older people accessing and completing TAFE, vocational training and other further education</p>
	Transport	<p>21. Optimising connectivity between homes, jobs, community participation and transport</p> <p>22. Promoting affordable and accessible public transport options</p> <p>23. Safer roads</p>	<p>18. Increase in public transport's share of all work-related commuting</p> <p>19. Public transport meets reliability and safety targets</p> <p>20. That working people pay no more than 20% of their net income on transport (10% for people on fixed incomes or low paid employment)</p> <p>21. Road toll reduced relative to total journeys</p>
	Early Intervention	24. Increased proportion of budget dedicated to prevention and early intervention	22. Budget estimates (spend and outcomes)

	Customer friendly services	25. Provision of adequate interpreter and translation services for people with disabilities and persons from Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) backgrounds	23. Increased usage by PWD and CALD backgrounds 24. Increased customer satisfaction with all Government services
A Fairer Society that reduces disadvantage and respects diversity	Promoting full and effective participation in the community'	26. Promoting strong and sustainable communities through community development and long term investment 27. In partnership with Aboriginal communities, a significant improvement in the living standards of Aboriginal people in NSW 28. Overcoming locational disadvantage 29. Improving the concessions system to help the working poor	25. Increased labour force and social participation of people with a disability, people with a mental illness and other population groups (measured through ABS data) 26. Improvements in community well being and reductions in social deprivation in locations of entrenched disadvantage (measured by Vinson index and ABS data)
	Providing support where its needed	30. Effective transitioning from acute services across human services (so people don't fall through the cracks) 31. A comprehensive homelessness strategy for NSW 32. Improved recognition and support for Carers 33. Protecting children and young people from abuse and neglect	27. Reduction in readmission into custodial, acute or homelessness services amongst ex-prisoners, juvenile justice clients, children and young people coming out of care and other points of transition from acute services including mental health (measured by SAAP data including turn away rates). 28. Reduction in unmet need for HACC services (HACC, HomeCare, supported accommodation waiting list data)

			<p>29. Reduction in homelessness across NSW, including hidden homelessness (measured by AIHW data and ABS)</p> <p>30. Reduced rate of child abuse and neglect across NSW (measured by Child Protection Notifications, pick up of unallocated cases should also be included as a quality measure)</p> <p>31. Improvements in the out of home care system for those children who do experience abuse and neglect (measured by Out of Home Care placement stability and breakdown rates).</p>
Growing prosperity for all across NSW	NSW Open for Business	34. Sound financial management and increased business investment	32. AAA rating maintained
	More rewarding, higher skilled jobs	<p>35. More people with accredited skills</p> <p>36. Promoting business development initiatives in depressed regional economies where employment and vocational training assistance can be directly targeted to disadvantaged population groups.</p> <p>37. Enhancing the TAFE sector</p>	<p>33. Increasing the total productivity of the NSW economy</p> <p>34. Greater shares of full time jobs in local government areas where employment participation rates are currently below state average</p> <p>35. Reduction in proportion of workforce on minimum wages</p>

		38. The development and implementation of a sector development strategy for the non government human services sector, including a comprehensive workforce development strategy.	36. Improved workforce retention rates in human services
	Strengthening rural and regional economies	39. Growing the skills base and increased business investment in rural, regional and remote NSW	37. More business investment in rural NSW 38. Increasing number of working age people in RRR NSW possessing a AQF Certificate III or above
A sustainable environment for living	Practical environmental solutions	40. Engaging Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples in the protection of our environment. 41. Reducing green house emissions. 42. Electricity and water suppliers meet reliability performance standards	40. Community reports actively engaged in planning and environment processes 41. Cleaner air that meets national air quality standards and greenhouse targets 42. Improved natural environment that meets Natural Resources Commission targets for water, native vegetation, land and biodiversity
	Improved urban environment and improved mobility	43. Supporting the development of public transport to reduce car use across the state. 44. Improving the level and locations of affordable housing to rent or buy (including social and community housing). 45. Increasing the supply of universal housing	43. Reduction in share of trips by car 44. Increased proportion of freight on rail 45. Reduction in proportion of NSW residents experiencing housing stress (paying more than 30% income in housing costs (data sources include AHURI and ABS)

	Opportunities for recreation	46. Promoting participation in community, recreational and cultural activities	46. More people using parks, reserves, cultural, sporting and recreational facilities
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