

Indigenous Leadership Program



Closing the Gap.

GOVERNANCE AND LEADERSHIP

FaHCSIA's Indigenous Leadership Program aims to develop the leadership capacity of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men, women and youth.

Since the program commenced in 2004, over 5,000 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people have participated in a program, embarking on a personal leadership journey to develop the skills to become strong leaders within their families and communities.

Participants on the program benefit from an interactive learning environment where they are supported to develop a vision for the future and encouraged to engage in planning to achieve that vision. They learn more about themselves, meet new people, share ideas, develop new skills and gain unique experiences to grow their potential as leaders.

The program aims to achieve this through:

- Inspiring individuals to reach their highest potential
- Encouraging individuals to share a positive vision for Indigenous people
- Supporting individuals to gain knowledge and skills and unique experiences
- Empowering individuals to begin their personal leadership journey's and supporting them to mentor upcoming leaders
- Providing individuals with the skills to help them reach their goals and aspirations and inspire and help those around them.

The Indigenous Leadership Program encourages participants to continue their journey in becoming inspiring and effective leaders who will make a positive difference to the lives of Indigenous Australians.

The Indigenous leadership Program contributes to the Government's priorities in building governance and leadership as one of the seven building blocks to Closing the Gap in Indigenous life outcomes.

Further information

For more information on the Indigenous Leadership Program visit:

http://fahcsia.gov.au/sa/indigenous/progserv/leadership/Pages/indigenous_leadership_development_opportunities.aspx



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