

Dear CEOs,

Please find enclosed your copy of "Achieving oral health equity for Aboriginal communities in NSW", prepared by the AH&MRC. A brief overview of what this document contains is shown in the introduction; this highlights how necessary it is for all Aboriginal peoples in NSW to experience levels of oral health that is equitable with the general NSW population.

This position paper has been developed by the AH&MRC and informed by consultation with NSW ACCHSs over recent years, the published literature and the experience and expertise of the AH&MRC.

The position paper aims to contribute to improvements in Aboriginal oral health in NSW by providing a strategic framework that will inform and support the coordinated efforts of Aboriginal communities and those who work with them; including service providers, peak bodies, researchers, policy makers and funders.

It has been developed to be complementary to NSW Health's Aboriginal Oral Health Plan 2014-2020.

If you have any comments or questions please do not hesitate to get in touch with Megan Campbell by email at: <u>megananncampbell@hotmail.com</u>.

Kind regards,

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