

Queensland Health Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Cultural Capability Framework 2010-2033

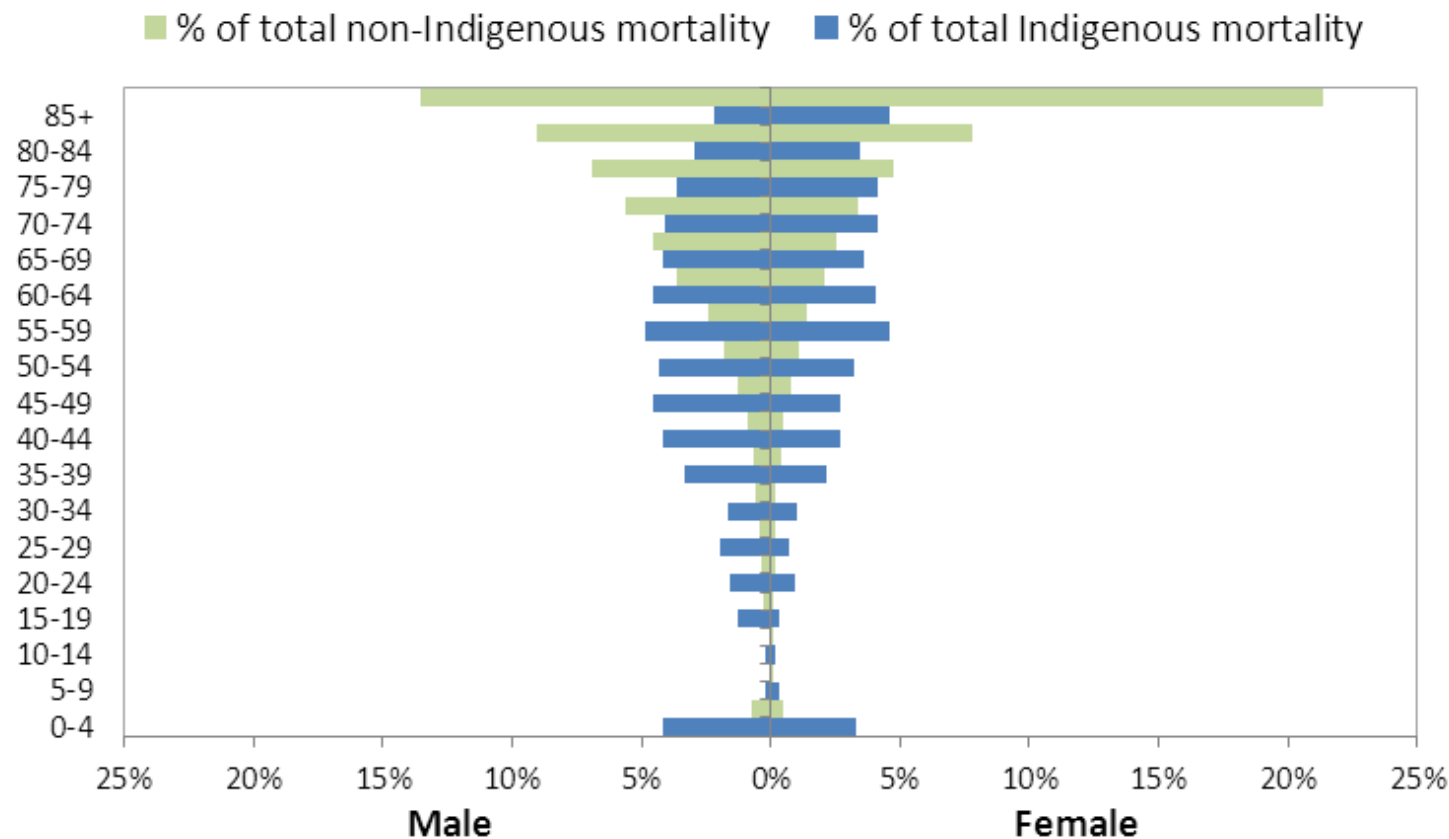
Closing the Gap

Queensland Health shares the national and state vision for improving the health outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people by:



- ❑ closing the gap in life expectancy by 2033, and
- ❑ halving the mortality rate of Indigenous children 0-5 years of age by 2018.

Proportion of deaths by age group

Mortality by Age Group: 2008, 2009, 2010



Life expectancy gap

2010-2012	Qld Other	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Queenslanders	Qld Gap	National Gap
	79.4 years	68.7 years	10.8 years	12.4 years
	83 years	74.4 years	8.6 years	10.9 years

Leading contributors to the burden of disease in Queensland

- ☐ Mental Illness
- ☐ Cardiovascular disease
- ☐ Diabetes
- ☐ Chronic respiratory diseases
- ☐ Cancer

(2014 Burden of Disease)

Improvements in health of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people

☐ Between 2001 and 2010:

- 32% decline in avoidable mortality
- 30% decline in deaths due to circulatory disease
- 41% decline in infant mortality rates.

☐ Increase in the proportion of pregnant women attending antenatal care.

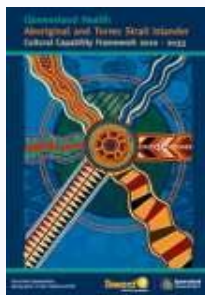
Source – AIHW, Health Performance Framework 2012 report, Queensland, 2012.

Making Tracks



- Making Tracks toward closing the gap in health outcomes for Indigenous Queenslanders by 2033

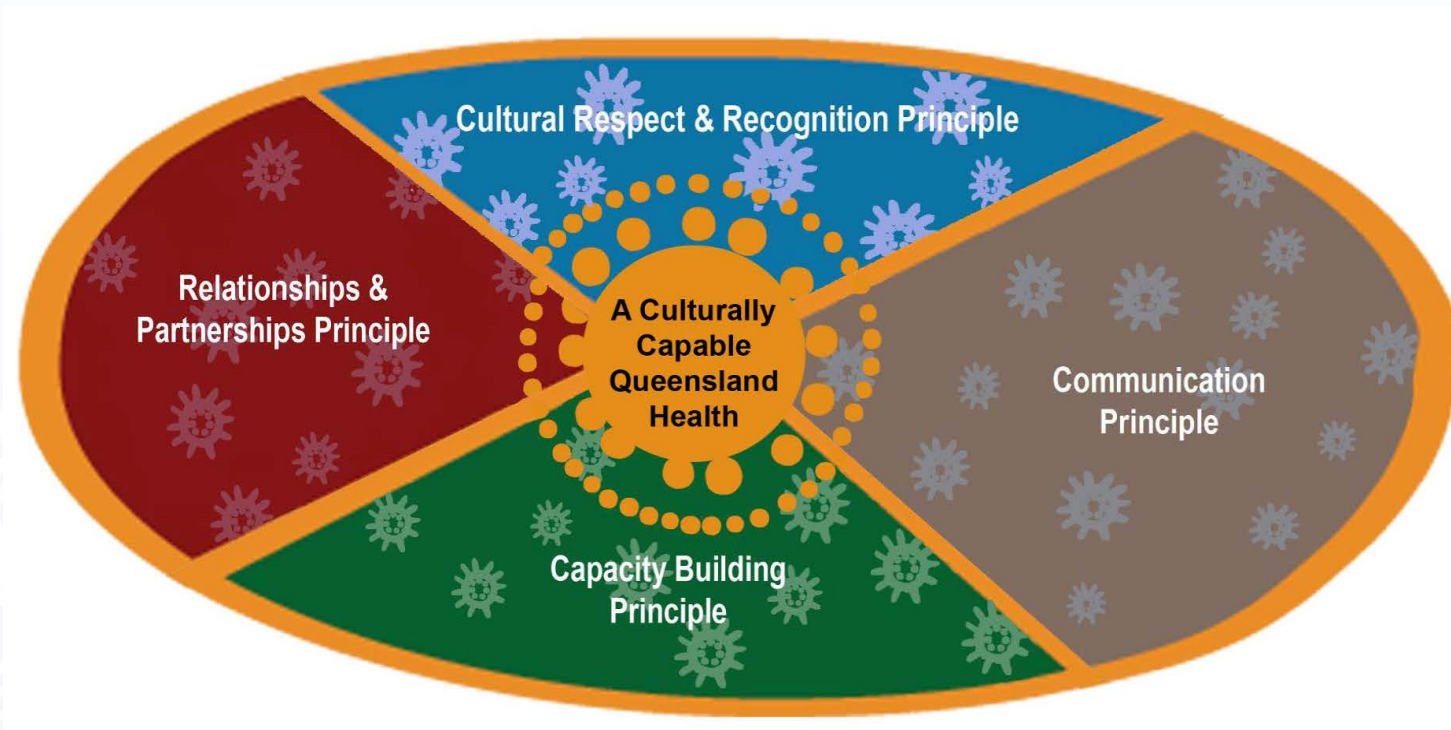
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Guiding Principles



Cultural Capability Team State-wide

- Cultural Advisors and Educators
- Cultural Practice Program + Online Program
- Network of state-wide coordinators
- Resource development

For more information

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