



## Triple Bottom Line (TBL) Assessment Summary

The Triple Bottom Line Assessment is required to be published in accordance with Part 4, section 23 (1)(b) of the Freedom of Information Act 2016

### 19/728 - Project Agreement for the Community Health and Hospitals Program Australian Capital Territory Initiatives

#### Summary of impacts:

- The implementation of the *Project Agreement for the Community Health and Hospitals Program Australian Capital Territory Initiatives* will provide information and support to young people at risk of suicide; the expansion of the capacity of residential alcohol and other drug rehabilitation services in the ACT; and the provision of holistic support and specialist care for eating disorder treatments in a community based residential setting.

#### Level of impact

Background fill colours: **Positive** = standard light green / **Negative** = standard red / **Neutral** = standard light blue.

Social		
Level of impact	Impact	Summary
Positive	Gender Equality	The projects under the Agreement will positively affect all members of the community, regardless of gender.
Positive	Health (Community and mental health)	Projects under the Agreement in this Submission will improve the access to health services, including those considering suicide; those who experience eating disorders; and provide a safer environment for drug and alcohol services.
Positive	Access to services	The implementation of the Agreement will improve health service delivery in the ACT.
Positive	Access to social inclusion/participation and community activities	The implementation of this Agreement may improve the health status of the recipients of the services, enabling greater social inclusion and community participation.
Positive	Human rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The implementation of the Agreement will support the human rights of ACT residents and eligible care recipients.</li> <li>Benefits include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- supporting youth to maintain good mental health;</li> <li>- a safe, structured and therapeutic environment to encourage lifestyle changes for those receiving care in community-based residential alcohol and other drugs rehabilitation services;</li> <li>- providing 24/7 intensive care for severe eating disorders.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Positive	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	The implementation of the Agreement will support the health needs of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Positive	Multicultural	The implementation of the Agreement will support those who require the services under the Agreement regardless their ethnic background.
Positive	Impacts on different age groups	The implementation of the Agreement will support the needs of people from all age groups, with the exception of the Youth Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Program which will cater only to young people at risk of experiencing mental health issues.
Positive	Disability	The projects featured in the Agreement will be available to individuals with disability.
Positive	Justice and Crime	The implementation of the Youth Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Program project under the Agreement may improve the status of mental health of young people at risk, potentially reducing anti-social behaviour.

<b>Economic</b>		
<b>Level of impact</b>	<b>Impact</b>	<b>Summary</b>
Positive	ACT Government Budget	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding will be provided through the Commonwealth's Intergovernmental Agreement on Federal Financial Relations. The Commonwealth funding will accrue to the ACT Government Revenue account.</li> <li>ACT Health Directorate may access the funding under Section 19B of the Financial Management Act – Authorisation of appropriation for certain Commonwealth Grants.</li> </ul>
Positive	Employment and labour force	The implementation of the Agreement may result to new employment in the relevant areas.
Positive	Investment and Economic Growth	The implementation of the Agreement will increase economic growth assuming additional employment for construction activity.
Positive	Procurement	The implementation of the Agreement will involve procurement of new services and facilities.

## **Environmental**

Nil impact