

Inclusive Service Standard 1: Commitment to inclusive services

Inclusive Service Standards Performance Measures and their links to the Aged Care Quality Standards

1.1 Organisational documents show commitment to diversity and inclusion

Key organisational documents such as commitment statements, strategic plans and policies demonstrate a commitment to inclusive service provision.



1.2 Inclusive service provision is promoted to key stakeholders

The organisation's commitment to inclusive service provision is promoted to all key stakeholders.



1.3 Continuous improvement processes monitor inclusive service strategies

Quality and continuous improvement processes include the monitoring of inclusive service strategies.



1.4 Roles which drive inclusive service provision are identified

The organisation identifies key roles and responsibilities which drive and promote inclusive service provision.



1.5 Service provision reflects inclusive service approaches

Service provision procedures reflect an inclusive service approach



1.6 Printed and online collateral demonstrate inclusive approaches

The organisation's printed and online collateral is reflective of a commitment to delivering services in an inclusive way.



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Inclusive Service Standard 2: Developing systems that support inclusive services

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2.1 An assessment of readiness to implement inclusive approaches is applied

The organisation undertakes an analysis of strengths, gaps, capabilities and readiness to implement and maintain an inclusive approach to service delivery.



2.2 Stakeholder consultation processes are inclusive to special needs groups

Stakeholder consultation processes include and facilitate consultation with special needs groups.



2.3 Barriers facing special needs groups are identified and worked on

The organisation has mechanisms for identifying and removing barriers that consumers from special needs groups may experience in accessing services (e.g. language barriers, lack of information, physical barriers and affordability).



2.4 Inclusive feedback approaches for consumers from special needs groups are adopted

A system is in place for receiving feedback from consumers from special needs groups and for using this feedback to improve services



2.5 Communication strategies include actions to target special needs groups

The organisation's communication strategies include specific actions to target special needs groups



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Inclusive Service Standard 3: Capacity building for inclusive services

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3.1 Key skills required for management and staff

The organisation identifies key skills required for management and staff to be able to fulfil their responsibilities in implementing inclusive service provision.



3.2 Training and resources are available to help staff effectively respond to diversity

Management and staff have access to up-to-date training, information, tools and resources to effectively respond to the diverse needs of consumers from special needs groups.



3.3 Key performance indicators include meeting inclusive service approaches

Management and staff key performance indicators include meeting inclusive service standards.



3.4 Induction and professional development reflects inclusive approaches

Induction and ongoing professional development reflects the organisational commitment to inclusive services.



3.5 The budget supports the delivery of inclusive service provision

The organisation allocates budget items that support the development and implementation of inclusive service provision (e.g. interpreter services, translations, inclusive service training and targeted media campaigns).



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