

PARTNERSHIP COMMITMENT:

To support improvements in Aboriginal health outcomes through linkage with Environmental Health Services

As a KAHPF member, you are invited to sign this Partnership Commitment to strengthen your service's partnership with Environmental Health Service Providers (EHSPs) in the region.

In KAHPF's first Strategic Plan 2018-2028, members asserted '...a particular focus on high quality, culturally responsive primary health care that considers the impact of social determinants on health outcomes including environmental health'. The first of 21 agreed regional indicators for the first KAHPF Strategic Plan 2018-2028 monitors the proportion of presentations in primary health care (PHC) directly attributable to the environment using Kimberley Environmental Attributable Fractions (KEAFs). Over 40 diseases have a measured environmental attribution in the Region. In 2016, 20% of hospitalisations of Aboriginal people in the Kimberley were directly attributable to the environment.

This partnership commitment aims to improve public health outcomes through increased environmental health action, through support provided to families and at the community level. The Kimberley Environmental Health Referral pathway promotes uptake of referral service by strengthening local health partnership, providing consistency and increasing shared knowledge.

By signing this Partnership Commitment, you agree to:

- Orientation of staff to ensure knowledge and skills to initiate an Environmental Health referral, particularly in-coming clinical staff
- Support data-driven planning between PHC and EHSP
- Support your staff to participate in a minimum agreed number of formal, local partnership meetings at each participating site (between PHC and EHSP)
- Encourage participation of your staff, PHC & EHS in collaborative activities (with relevant community governance) including 'health days' or other health promotion
- Support case conferencing focussed on benefit for the patient and family
- Audit adherence to these commitments at least annually
- Provide feedback to KAHPF Environmental Health SubCommittee for continuing development of partnerships between health services and environmental health.

This Partnership Commitment will be reviewed again no later than mid-2028 as part of the evaluation of the 2024-2028 KAHPF Strategic Plan.

I,, agree to this Partnership Commitment as described above.

Signed:
CEO / Regional Director / (select or complete as appropriate)

Date:



Table: Find a community, their primary service provider and EHSP

Community	PHC	EHSP	Comments
One Arm Point	WACHS remote clinics	Nirrumbuk	
Lombadina / Djaridjin	WACHS remote clinics	Nirrumbuk	
Looma	WACHS remote clinics	Looma Community Inc	
Warmun	WACHS remote clinics	KPHU	
Noonkanbah	WACHS remote clinics	Nindilingarri	
Kalumburu	WACHS remote clinics	KPHU	
Mowanjum	DAHS	SDWK	
Wyndham	KNX WACHS CHC	KPHU	
Wangkatjungka	WACHS PHC outreach	HC Shire	
Bayulu	WACHS PHC outreach	Nindilingarri	
Yakanarra	RFDS	Nindilingarri	
Koorabye	RFDS	Nindilingarri	
Djugerari	RFDS	Nindilingarri	
Kadjina	RFDS	Nindilingarri	
Bidyadanga	KAMS	Nirrumbuk	
Beagle Bay	KAMS	Nirrumbuk	
Balgo	KAMS	Nirrumbuk	
Mulan	KAMS	Nirrumbuk	
Bililuna	KAMS	Nirrumbuk	
Yiyili	YY AMS	HC Shire	
	HC WACHS CHC	HC Shire	
Kununurra communities	OVAHS	Nirrumbuk / KPHU	
	KNC CHC	Nirrumbuk / KPHU	
Halls Creek communities	YY AMS	HC Shire	
	HC WACHS CHC	HC Shire	
Derby communities	DAHS	SDWK	
	Derby WACHS CHC	SDWK	
Broome and communities	BRAMS	Nirrumbuk	
	Broome WACHS CHC	Nirrumbuk	
Gibb River Rd communities	DAHS	SDWK	

Secondary service providers

Facility / function	EHSP	Comments
Broome Regional Centre ED (acute)	Nirrumbuk	
Broome Regional Centre ED (PHC substitute)	Nirrumbuk	
Broome Regional Centre inpatients	Nirrumbuk	
FX Hospital ED (acute)	Nindilingarri	
FX Hospital ED (GP clinics / non-acute)	Nindilingarri	
FX Hospital in-patients	Nindilingarri	
Derby Hospital ED (acute)	SDWK	
Derby Hospital ED (GP clinics / non-acute)	SDWK	
Derby Hospital in-patients	SDWK	
KNX Hospital ED (acute)	KPHU / Nirrumbuk	
KNX Hospital ED (PHC substitute)	KPHU / Nirrumbuk	
KNX Hospital inpatients	KPHU / Nirrumbuk	
HC Hospital ED (acute)	HC Shire	
HC Hospital ED (GP clinics / non-acute)	HC Shire	
HC Hospital in-patients	HC Shire	