A cultural security framework

Self-Assessment Tool



Developed by the Drug, Alcohol and Mental Health subcommittee of the Kimberley Aboriginal Health Planning Forum

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Self-assessment tool - Example



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Key Res	Key Result Area 1. Professional development of the workforce				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
1.1 As a mandatory requirement all new staff receive appropriate face to face, locally relevant cultural awareness training from local trainers before they interact with clients/consumers or community members		ppropriate face to face, locally relevant wareness training from local trainers ey interact with clients/consumers or	Percentage of new staff receiving face to face cultural awareness training with 6 weeks of commencement		
		ity members	Training is delivered locally	Yes	
Complia	Compliance				
Method Evidence			Rating		
Observation Interview / questionnaire Documentation		 awareness training as part of the of agency is engaged to deliver face in new staff, however training session commencement period for new staff. Worker interview describing how the awareness training run by a local arequired 6 weeks of commenceme Documentation: Training register, records, policies in Induction documentation, including 	and procedures	Achieved Not yet achieved Not assessed	

ID	Opportunities for Improvement	Actioned	Completed
1.1a	Management to discuss with contracted local agency the availability of training to ensure all new staff receive training within 6 weeks of commencement	Yes	10/04/20
1.1b	If 1.1a is unsuccessful, management to consider other potential local agencies and/or training to be delivered internally	No	

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Key Res	1. Professional development of the workforce				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
1.1	receive a cultural a before th	ndatory requirement all new staff appropriate face to face, locally relevant awareness training from local trainers ney interact with clients/consumers or nity members	Percentage of new staff receiving face to face cultural awareness training with 6 weeks of commencement Training is delivered locally	100% YES	
Complia	nce				
Method		Evidence		Rating	
Observ	ation			Achieved	
Interview / questionnaire Documentation				Not yet achieved Not assessed	

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Key Resu	Key Result Area 1. Professional development of the workforce					
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target		
1.2	Aborigin	e clinic/small town settings local al staff introduce new staff to key ders in the community	Percentage of new staff receiving local introductions facilitated by local Aboriginal staff	100%		
Complia	Compliance					
Method		Evidence		Rating		
Observa	tion			Achieved		
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved		
Documentation				Not assessed		

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Key Result Area 1. Professional development of the workforce				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
1.3	by an ide	o cultural supervision and mentoring entified cultural supervisor/mentor/ ng team is provided for new staff	Percentage of new staff have an identified cultural supervisor/mentor/mentoring team within the first week of employment	100%
Compliance				
Method Evidence		Evidence		Rating
Observa	tion			Achieved
Interviev questionnair				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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Key Res	Key Result Area 1. Professional development of the workforce			
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
1.4	Access to new staf	o cultural consultations is provided for f	Organisation has documented protocols/ guidelines for staff on process to access cultural consultations appropriately	100%
Compliance				
Method Evidence		Evidence		Rating
Observ	vation			Achieved
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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Key Resu	Key Result Area 1. Professional development of the workforce				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
1.5	about org	on of new staff includes information ganisations who have signed up to the y Secure Framework where clients/ can be referred	Percentage of new staff given an orientation package that contains relevant information within 1 week of employment	100%	
Compliance					
Method		Evidence		Rating	
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Interviev questionnair	•			Not yet achieved	
Documentation				Not assessed	

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Key Result Area 1. Professional development of the workforce					
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
1.6	1	ion of new staff includes information nere information about cultural matters ought	Percentage of new staff given an orientation package that contains relevant information within 1 week of employment	100%	
Compliance					
Method	Method Evidence		Rating		
Observation				Achieved	
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved	
Documentation				Not assessed	

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Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
1.7	training	o evaluation of cultural awareness occurs within 6 months and further is provided if necessary	As part of a formal review process, all staff complete a self-reported measure of cultural awareness at induction, 6 month and annual review	YES
Complia	ance			
Method	Method Evidence		Rating	
Observ	ation			Achieved
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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2. The workplace environment

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Key Res	sult Area	2. The work	place environment	•		
ltem	Strategy	Key Performance Indicator				Target
welcome in the building. For example: The building has an Aborig The building, its rooms or The Traditional Owners of e.g. via a plaque on the wa Furnishings and decoratio Aboriginal newspapers can Photos of Aboriginal staff a There is an Aboriginal pers		in the building. ple: ding has an Aborig ding, its rooms or v litional Owners of t a plaque on the wa ngs and decoration hal newspapers car of Aboriginal staff a an Aboriginal pers	wings are given a locally relevant Aboriginal name the country where the venue is located are acknowledged II are based on local Aboriginal culture are used/on display to be found in the waiting area are on the wall			6+ strategies are utilised at all work sites and areas for improvement are reviewed annually
Complia	ance					
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Continu	ous Quality	y Improvemer	nt process			
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Key Res	sult Area	2. The work	place environment				
Item	Strategy			Key Performance Indicator		1	Target
2.2			Ways by which avoidance relationships are catered for are identified and acknowledged Outside therapeutic spaces are available. Therapeutic spaces are large enough for family consultations Design of new/refurbished clinics, treatment rooms, therapeutic spaces and/or consulting rooms includes measures to address avoidance relationships, and takes account of Aboriginal preferences for family consultations and informal counselling/consultation areas		edged on the story of the story	res res res	
Compli	ance					·	
Method		Evidence				F	Rating
Observation							Achieved
Interview / questionnaire							Not yet achieved
Documentation							Not assessed
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Key Result Area		3. Care models				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target		
		y validated screening and assessment used. Please refer to Appendix B in ork	Culturally validated screening tools are used, with all relevant staff trained in their use	YES		
Compliance						
Method		Evidence		Rating		
Observ	ation			Achieved		
Intervio questionna				Not yet achieved		
Documentation				Not assessed		

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Key Resu	Key Result Area 3. Care models			
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
		-	Percentage of assessments which involve an Aboriginal member of staff	100%
	I	patients are offered access to formal ers or informal translators	Percentage of clients/patients offered access to formal interpreters or informal translators	100%
Complian	ıce			
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observation				Achieved
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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Key Resu	It Area	3. Care Models		
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
		nning, treatment or support is based on ts/patients priorities and realities e.g. to	Percentage of clients/patients consulted about their wishes and priorities	100%
	therapeutic alliance, in that it aligns to Aboriginal		Client/patient feedback survey/evaluation includes a question related to the clients/ patients feeling heard and their priorities met	100% client satisfaction
	A commitment to service model flexibility that supports specific needs (flexible time limits for service engagement; engagement approaches; offers family inclusivity)		Does the organisation offer a flexible service model that supports specific needs?	YES
Complia	nce			
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observa	tion			Achieved
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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Key Result Area		3. Care models			
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
3.4	at consu	ent/patient prefers, family are present Itations and involved in decisions re es/treatment	Are clients informed that family members are invited/encouraged to attend consultations and be involved in decisions?	YES	
Complia	nce				
Method		Evidence		Rating	
Observ	ation			Achieved	
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved	
Documentation				Not assessed	

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Key Resu	Key Result Area 3. Care models			
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
3.5	healers is	of traditional medicine and traditional svalued, encouraged and, where ate, facilitated	Are the role of/visits to traditional healers discussed in the assessment and treatment plan?	YES
	Mainstre	am agencies have access to information	Percentage of visits to traditional healers facilitated on request	100% clients who request
			Procedures are in place to inform staff of their option to contact key local AMS for advice	YES
Complian	ıce			
Method		Evidence		Rating
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Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved
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Key Result Area 3. Care models				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
3.6	avoidan delivery	res are in place which acknowledge that ce relationships may impact on service e.g. on Aboriginal staff availability ultations, on patient transport ments	Procedures are in place	100%
Complia	nce			
Method		Evidence		Rating
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Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
3.7	clients w are provi	rong Door' principle operates where tho cannot be assisted by your service ided warm referral options to access ate support or treatment	Guidelines are in place demonstrating organisation operates within this principle e.g. warm referral pathway flowchart	YES
Compli	ance			
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observ	ation/			Achieved
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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Key Resu	lt Area	4. Systems and processes		
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
4.1	1	ner Charter which outlines client/ ights and responsibilities is developed layed	A customer charter is developed and displayed	YES
Complia	nce			
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observa	tion			Achieved
Interviev questionnair				Not yet achieved
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Key Result Area 4. Systems and processes					
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
4.2	and prote Intellectu control, p knowled	are in place providing recognition ection of Indigenous Cultural and ual Property and the right to maintain, protect and develop traditional ge and cultural expressions. Refer to ations Declaration of the Rights of	Guidelines are in place demonstrating organisation operates within this principle with all necessary consents in place Does the organisation acknowledge cultural considerations for maintaining professional	YES	
	Indigeno	us Peoples	boundaries and confidentiality?		
Complia	ince				
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4. Systems and processes

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4.3	Systems of tradition	are in place to support the involvement onal healers in therapeutic responses	Policies and procedures are in place		YES
Complia	ance	E - 1			0.4
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Key Result Area 4.		4. Systems and processes			
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
4.4	consider policies a	o legal limitations and ethical ations (e.g. mandatory reporting) and procedures relating to privacy and tiality are in place	Organisation has policies and procedures in place relating to privacy and confidentiality, considering privacy for priority populations, for example young people, and including information on breach of privacy or security	YES	
Complia	nce				
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Key Result Area 4. Systems and processes				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
4.5	recruitm	nisation has an Aboriginal staff ent target for the Kimberley in line with original population prevalence	Does the organisation's target reflect the % of Aboriginal people in your catchment area? Does the organisation have effective positive recruitment strategies are in place?	YES YES
Complia	nce			
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observa	ition			Achieved
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Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
4.6	achieve t	recruitment strategies are in place to the Aboriginal employment targets e.g.: original person is on all interview panels positions are identified eeships are used ginal people who meet the selection ia are interviewed	Percentage of interviews which have an Aboriginal person on the interview panel Aboriginal traineeship positions established and are actively pursued and outcomes reported on in annual reports Is the need for 50D positions reviewed annually?	100% 1+ per year YES
Compliance				
Method Evidence		Evidence		Rating
Observ	ation			Achieved
Interview / questionnaire Documentation				Not yet achieved Not assessed

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Item	Strategy	4. Systems and processes	Key Performance Indicator	Target
4.7	The orga • Abori profe	nisation invests in Aboriginal staff via: ginal staff are supported via ssional development opportunities to ve leadership roles	Percentage of Aboriginal staff with a professional development plan which is supported through supervision Organisation has:	100%
	Abori their of the Abori mana	ginal staff are supported to represent organisation/section at meetings ginal staff are supported to gement positions	 Succession plan that articulates career progression pathways for Aboriginal staff? Aboriginal staff in attendance at KAHPF DAMH meetings? Aboriginal staff in management levels 	YES
	1 -	al staff are supported to participate on nd other decision-making structures	 Aboriginal staff in management levels across the organisation? Aboriginal staff present on boards/decision-making structures? 	YES YES
Complia	ance			
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observ	ation			Achieved
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Key Result Area 4. Systems and processes				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
4.8	mentorir	of cultural mentor, and the time the ng role may take, are acknowledged in ginal employee's job description	Cultural mentor roles are incorporated into all relevant job descriptions Staff are remunerated for the mentoring role	YES YES
Compliance				
Method		Evidence		Rating
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Key Result Area 4. Systems and processes				
Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
Aborigin through	al workers for their cultural expertise experience, local knowledge and	Staff are remunerated for their cultural expertise	YES	
Compliance				
	Evidence		Rating	
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entation			Not assessed	
	Strategy The orga Aborigin through commun	Strategy The organisation appropriately remunerates Aboriginal workers for their cultural expertise through experience, local knowledge and community relationships they bring to their role Evidence Evidence ation ew / ire	Strategy The organisation appropriately remunerates Aboriginal workers for their cultural expertise through experience, local knowledge and community relationships they bring to their role Evidence Evidence Evidence Evidence	

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Key Resi	ult Area	4. Systems and processes		
Item	Strategy	4. Systems and processes	Key Performance Indicator	Target
4.10		work arrangements are in place for staff vide out-of-hours support to their local nity	Employment awards and contracts articulate how cultural obligations are supported	YES
Complia	nce			
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observation				Achieved
Interview / questionnaire				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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Key Resu	Key Result Area 4. Systems and processes			
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
4.11		rangements acknowledge the cultural ns of staff	Working hours consider community needs and level of flexibility in operating hours where funding allows this	YES
Compliance				
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observa	tion			Achieved
Interviev questionnair				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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4.12 Complian Method	allow sta Aborigina celebrati	ff to attend significant events in the all calendar eg Sorry Day, NAIDOC	Key Performance Indicator Ways which encourage staff to attend significant events are clear		Target YES
Complian Method	allow sta Aborigina celebrati	ff to attend significant events in the all calendar eg Sorry Day, NAIDOC		١,	VEC
Method	ice	The organisation supports arrangements which allow staff to attend significant events in the Aboriginal calendar eg Sorry Day, NAIDOC celebrations Ways which encourage staff to attend significant events are clear			TES
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Observati	ion				Achieved
Interview questionnaire					Not yet achieved
Documentation					Not assessed
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Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
regarding the service response/treatment are responsive to local capacities i.e. not only based on filling in forms		g the service response/treatment are ve to local capacities i.e. not only based	Appropriate ways are used to capture feedback Ways to make a complaint are communicated and accessible	YES	
Compliar	Compliance				
Method		Evidence		Rating	
Observation Interview / questionnaire Documentation				Achieved Not yet achieved Not assessed	

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Key Resu	lt Area	4. Systems and processes		
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
Aboriginal o		s are in place to ensure the local al community are engaged in co- nd delivery of programs and services to ge a sense of ownership	At minimum, consultations about service design and delivery includes a range of Aboriginal community stakeholders including representation of service users occurs annually Membership of committees and advisory	YES
			groups reflects the % of Aboriginal people in the catchment area	123
Compliar	ice			
Method		Evidence		Rating
Observat	ion			Achieved
Interview questionnair				Not yet achieved
Documentation				Not assessed

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Key Result Area 4. Systems and processes			
Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target
services	are allocated to local Aboriginal	Selection processes for tenders and contracts preferentially support local Aboriginal businesses	YES
nce			
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entation			Not assessed
	Strategy Whereve services a business nce	Strategy Wherever possible, contracts to provide support services are allocated to local Aboriginal businesses or organisations nce Evidence tion w/ re	Strategy Key Performance Indicator Wherever possible, contracts to provide support services are allocated to local Aboriginal businesses or organisations Selection processes for tenders and contracts preferentially support local Aboriginal businesses Aboriginal businesses Evidence Evidence

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Key Res	Key Result Area 4. Systems and processes				
Item	Strategy		Key Performance Indicator	Target	
4.16	occurs pe	of policies and workplace practices eriodically to ensure best practice r secure approaches are in place and plemented	Audits occur and improvement measures are implemented	YES	
Complia	nce				
Method		Evidence		Rating	
Observa	ation			Achieved	
Intervie questionna				Not yet achieved	
Documentation				Not assessed	

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