## Rheumatic Fever Strategy FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENT - HEALTH

Parties	Commonwealth Oueensland Western Australia					
	South Australia Northern Territory					
Duration	This Schedule is expected to expire on 30 June 2025.					
Purpose	This Schedule will support the delivery of improved detection, monitoring and management of acute rheumatic fever (ARF) and rheumatic heart disease (RHD) in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians through coordinated disease register and control programs. This Agreement will support a collaborative effort between the Commonwealth and States for delivery of the Rheumatic Fever Strategy (RFS). This Agreement embodies the principles of the <i>National Agreement on Closing the Gap</i> to achieve genuine and mutually respectful partnership between governments and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians. It will incorporate a co-design element through all parties'					
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Output	Performance milestones	Report due	Payment
Project Plan		<b>2021 calendar year</b> 02/05/2022	Nil
Project P partners chosen r with juris <i>Gap</i> , and	Project Plans will include detail about how each jurisdiction will work in partnership with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities or their chosen representatives and/or organisations. This will be done in accordance with jurisdictional commitments under the <i>National Agreement on Closing the</i> <i>Gap</i> , and in relation to Priority Reform One: Formal Partnerships and Shared Decision Making.		
Performance Report against agreed Project Plan	<ul> <li>Demonstration of progress against the agreed Project Plan from 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021 including:</li> <li>a) support improved clinical care, including improved delivery of and adherence to secondary prophylaxis antibiotics;</li> <li>b) provision of education and training for health care providers, individuals, families and communities;</li> <li>c) collection and provision of agreed data annually to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) for national monitoring and reporting of ARF and RHD and measuring program effectiveness in the detection and management of ARF and RHD; and</li> <li>d) maintenance of a dedicated state-wide patient register and recall system for ARF and RHD.</li> </ul>	02/05/2022	On acceptance of Performance Report <b>2021-22</b> Qld: \$0.825m WA: \$0.825m SA: \$0.347m NT: \$0.919m

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Project Plan	Each state/territory party will submit a Project Plan for the improved detection, monitoring and management of ARF and RHD for the period 1 January to 31 December 2022, for consideration by the Commonwealth.	2022 calendar year Within two months of execution of this Agreement or as	Nil
	Project Plans will include detail about how each jurisdiction will work in partnership with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities or their chosen representatives and/or organisations. This will be done in accordance with jurisdictional commitments under the <i>National Agreement on Closing the</i> <i>Gap</i> , and in relation to Priority Reform One: Formal Partnerships and Shared Decision Making.	Agreement or as otherwise agreed	
Performance Report against agreed Project Plan	Demonstration of progress against the agreed Project Plan from 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2022 including:	03/04/2023	On acceptance of Performance Report <b>2022-23</b> Qld: \$0.840m WA: \$0.840m
	<ul> <li>a) support improved clinical care, including improved delivery of and adherence to secondary prophylaxis antibiotics;</li> </ul>		
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	c) collection and provision of agreed data annually to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) for national monitoring and reporting of ARF and RHD and measuring program effectiveness in the detection and management of ARF and RHD; and		SA: \$0.353m NT: \$0.936m
	d) maintenance of a dedicated state-wide patient register and recall system for ARF and RHD.		

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Project Plan	Each state/territory party will submit a Project Plan for the improved detection, monitoring and management of ARF and RHD for the period 1 January to 31 December 2023, for consideration by the Commonwealth. Project Plans will include detail about how each jurisdiction will work in	2023 calendar year 3/04/2023	Nil
	partnership with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities or their chosen representatives and/or organisations. This will be done in accordance with jurisdictional commitments under the <i>National Agreement on Closing the</i> <i>Gap</i> , and in relation to Priority Reform One: Formal Partnerships and Shared Decision Making.		
Performance Report against agreed Project Plan	Demonstration of progress against the agreed Project Plan from 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023 including: e) support improved clinical care, including improved delivery of and adherence to secondary prophylaxis antibiotics;	03/04/2024	On acceptance of Performance Report <b>2023-24</b> Qld: \$0.855m WA: \$0.855m
	<ul> <li>f) provision of education and training for health care providers, individuals, families and communities;</li> </ul>		
	g) collection and provision of agreed data annually to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) for national monitoring and reporting of ARF and RHD and measuring program effectiveness in the detection and management of ARF and RHD; and		SA: \$0.359m NT: \$0.953m
	h) maintenance of a dedicated state-wide patient register and recall system for ARF and RHD.		

Output	Performance milestones	Report due	Payment
The detail of outputs for 2024-25 is to be determined through co- design and shared decision- making arrangements with the Aboriginal Community Controlled Health sector under new national RFS governance structures established during 2021-22.	Demonstration of progress against outputs for 2024-25 is to be determined through co-design and shared decision-making arrangements with the Aboriginal Community Controlled Health sector under new national RFS governance structures established during 2021-22.	2024-25 To be determined	2024-25 To be determined

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