

STRATEGIC PLAN 23-28 YEAR ONE PROJECT PROFILE

Better Health for the Bush

– Small Town Engagement Model (STEM)

PROJECT AIM

The project aims to to implement the STEM model in at least two locations within the PHN rural footprint.

PROJECT BENEFICIARIES

Regional and Rural communities.



IDENTIFIED REGIONAL HEALTH NEED

Equitable access to primary healthcare services.

2023/2024 PROJECT OBJECTIVES

- **1.** Identify new locations to implement the STEM model.
- 2. Engage with identified rural communities.
- 3. Establish the STEM model.
- **4.** Evaluate the STEM model per location.



CLINICAL AND COMMUNITY GUIDANCE REQUIREMENTS

As part of this project we will be consulting with a number of advisory and reference groups.

PROJECT O→O PARTNERS へ○✓

- Local Communities
- Local Health Professionals
- Local Health District (LHD)
- University of New England (UNE)
- Local Councils

RESPONDING TO WHICH STRATEGIC CHALLENGE

Enhance the primary care workforce and incorporate digitally assisted services.

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