

STRATEGIC PLAN 23-28 YEAR ONE PROJECT PROFILE

Nurse Practitioner Pilot for Residential Aged Care

PROJECT BENEFICIARIES

755 residents across 6 Residential Aged Care Facilities (RACF's) in the Newcastle region.

REGIONAL **HEALTH NEED**

Timely access to general practitioners.

IDENTIFIED

CLINICAL AND COMMUNITY GUIDANCE REQUIREMENTS

Consultation with Clinical Councils and Community Advisory Committees.

PROJECT PARTNERS



- **Hunter Primary Care**
- UoN University of Newcastle
- 6 RACF's;

Maroba Nursing Home, Whiddon Redhead, RFBI Hawkins Masonic Village, BaptistCare Warabrook Centre, Calvary St Joseph's Sandgate, Uniting Lindsay Gardens

PROJECT AIM

This project aims to explore alternative workforces to support RACF's and improve access to primary health care for residents of residential aged care services.

2023/2024 PROJECT OBJECTIVES



- 1. Complete pilot evaluation including financial analysis and stakeholder satisfaction.
- 2. Develop sustainable business model and commercial product and marketing strategy.
- 3. Following the evaluation look into the potential expansion of the pilot into a rural area.

RESPONDING TO WHICH STRATEGIC CHALLENGE

Demonstrate exceptional commissioning through leadership and performance.

HNECC PHN PROJECT KEY CONTACT

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