



Vision 2020 Australia
ANNUAL REPORT
2018–2019



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Our achievements



Submissions/reports/
policy papers



CEO meetings with
members or stakeholders



Sector News Alert open rate
(sector average: 21.7%)

Our online audience
grew by:



Vision Initiative



Active in 14 Local
Government Areas



Reached 75,000 people



Promotional material
delivered to 1,000
businesses/venues



New electronic newsletter
delivered to 600 health
professionals

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A message from the Chair and CEO

The year ending 30 June 2019 saw a renewal of Vision 2020 Australia’s focus on engaging with and representing our members in the eye health and vision care sector.

Members are at the heart of our organisation and their continued, collective support and engagement allows us to be a strong, effective peak body. We thank everyone who has contributed to events, submissions, committees and our Board in 2018-2019.

It’s also important to recognise the major supporters of Vision 2020 Australia – Brien Holden Vision Institute Foundation, The Fred Hollows Foundation, Novartis Pharmaceuticals, Optometry Australia, and the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Ophthalmologists – whose financial and in-kind support remains vital.

Advocacy was a key part of our agenda, with considerable effort directed towards strategic engagement with stakeholders, including the strengthening of the sector’s Canberra relationships with relevant ministers and government departments. An appearance before a Joint Standing Committee on foreign aid was another milestone.

The support of government is critical to our work, and we were pleased to secure further funding from both the Australian Government and the Victorian Government (for the Vision Initiative).

We worked closely with the Australian Blindness Forum to integrate our efforts across the blindness and low vision sector. As part of this process, we welcomed new members The Royal Society for The Blind and The Blind Welfare Association of South Australia.

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The Hon. Amanda Vanstone
Chair



Judith Abbott
Chief Executive Officer

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Our team worked closely with many of our members to produce 10 submissions and reports, with the release of *Strong eyes, strong communities: A five-year plan for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Eye Health* one of the year's highlights.

The Parliamentary Friends Group for Eye Health and Vision Care dinner in September 2018 drew strong support from Federal MPs. We thank our continuing co-chair Andrew Laming MP and welcome new co-chair Meryl Swanson MP for their support and leadership of this forum. The CEO Sector Strategy Day in early 2019 saw the welcome return of a forum for sector collaboration and direction-setting.

World Sight Day in October delivered another important opportunity to connect with stakeholders, and we received strong public support from a number of Federal MPs across the political spectrum.

Throughout the year, the Vision 2020 Australia Board remained an energetic presence, sharing the benefit of their combined experience and providing the organisation with sound corporate oversight. Thank you to Dr Anthony Bennett-Hall who resigned from the Board in February and to Mr Dale Cleaver who joined in March.

As we look to 2020, it's clear there are exciting times ahead for our sector. With the expertise, passion and camaraderie inherent across Vision 2020 Australia's members, the coming 12 months are filled with tremendous promise.

Board of directors



The Hon. Amanda Vanstone
Chair



Dr David Andrews
Chair, Audit and Finance Standing Committee
Member, Corporate and Governance Standing Committee



Ms Jaki Adams-Barton
Member, Corporate and Governance Standing Committee



Dr Anthony Bennett-Hall
Resigned
13 February 2019



Mr Dale Cleaver
Co-opted
28 March 2019



Dr Jessica Gallagher
Member, Audit and Finance Standing Committee



Mr Andrew Harris
Member, Audit and Finance Standing Committee



Ms Karen Hayes AM
Member, Corporate and Governance Standing Committee



Mr John Howie AM
Chair, Corporate and Governance Standing Committee



Ms Megan McAlpine
Member, Corporate and Governance Standing Committee



Mr Justin Mohamed



Ms Maureen O'Keefe
Deputy Chair,
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About us

Our vision is the elimination of avoidable blindness and vision loss and the full participation of people who are blind or vision impaired in the community.

Vision 2020 Australia is the national peak body working in partnership to prevent avoidable blindness and improve vision care in Australia and our region. We represent around 50 member organisations involved in local and global eye health and vision care, health promotion, low vision support, vision rehabilitation, eye research, professional assistance and community support.

Four foundations underpin our approach:



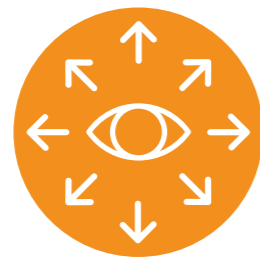
Advocacy

Influencing policy change on behalf of the eye health and vision care sector, presenting a united voice to the Australian Government and other policy makers to improve eye health and vision care outcomes.



Collaboration

Partnering with members and developing relationships with other relevant stakeholders to identify and successfully achieve eye health and vision care priorities.



Awareness

Facilitating access to the latest information and research to build awareness of eye health and vision care among the Australian Government, policy makers, the community and other relevant stakeholders.



Evidence

Building a strong evidence base is critical to identify service delivery gaps, support effective policy development and strengthen the sustainability of the eye health and vision care sector.



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2 Stakeholder meetings



Guy Gillor from RANZCO and Danielle Williams from Vision 2020 Australia.



Karen Knight from Vision Australia and Harzita Hashim from the Royal Institute for Deaf and Blind Children.

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- National Subsidised Spectacles Scheme funding announced
- Vision Initiative Steering Committee meeting



- Attendance at the public hearing of the Joint Standing Committee inquiry into effectiveness and outcomes of Australia's aid program.



23 Member meetings/events
16 Stakeholder meetings



Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia and Meryl Swanson MP.



Parliament House, Canberra.



Maureen O'Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry, Danielle Williams from Vision 2020 Australia, Tricia Keys from Brien Holden Vision Institute and Jacob McCabe from Vision 2020 Australia.

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- Board Meeting
- Global Committee Workshop

- Parliamentary Friends Group

13 Member meetings/events
9 Stakeholder meetings



Amanda Davis from Brien Holden Vision Institute and Professor Hugh Taylor from Indigenous Eye Health at the University of Melbourne.



Dr Peter Sumich from the Australian Society of Ophthalmologists, Lyn Brodie and Andrew Hogan from Optometry Australia, and Kerry Gallagher from the Australian Society of Ophthalmologists.



Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia, Dr Suit May Ho from the Brien Holden Vision Institute and Maureen O'Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry.



Fiona Patten MP (left) and Ron Hooton from Vision Australia.



Peter Holland from IAPB, Maureen O'Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry, Bob McMullan from IAPB, and Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia.

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Dawn Casey from NACCHO, Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia, the Hon Warren Snowdon MP, the Hon Amanda Vanstone, Chair of Vision 2020 Australia, and Meryl Swanson MP



Henry Parham, Shaun Tatipata, Jennifer Gersbeck, Nick Martin and Jaki Adams-Barton from The Fred Hollows Foundation.



The Hon. Ken Wyatt MP and Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia.



Meryl Swanson MP and Andrew Laming MP.



The Hon. Ken Wyatt MP, Dr Kristopher Rallah-Baker, Meryl Swanson MP and the Hon. Amanda Vanstone, Chair of Vision 2020 Australia.



Dr Kristopher Rallah-Baker, Senator Pat Dodson, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health workers Jodie Silverton, Janet Richardson, Kerry Woods and Fiona Stokes.



Vision 2020 Australia Board members Jaki Adams-Barton from The Fred Hollows Foundation, Karen Hayes from Guide Dogs Victoria, the Hon Amanda Vanstone, Chair of Vision 2020 Australia, Dr David Andrews from RANZCO, Maureen O'Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry, Dr Jessica Gallagher, Megan McAlpine from Vision Australia and Andrew Harris.

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- World Sight Day
- KeepSight launch



The Hon Judi Moylan MP, the Hon Greg Hunt MP, Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia and Greg Johnson from Diabetes Australia.

- ACFID National Conference
- National Diabetes Forum
- Prevention and Early Intervention Committee
- Independence and Participation Committee



- Submission to the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade Soft Power Review



14 Member meetings/events
5 Stakeholder meetings



Dr Jessica Gallagher, Lyn Brodie from Optometry Australia, Marion Rivers from Orthoptics Australia, Dr David Andrews from RANZCO, Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia, Associate Professor Peter van Wijngaarden from CERA and Roley McAtee from Lions Eye Health Program.

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- Annual General Meeting

- **10** Member meetings/events
- **10** Stakeholder meetings



Mitchell Anjou from Indigenous Eye Health at the University of Melbourne, Guy Gillor from RANZCO, John Simpson from Blind Citizens Australia, Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia, Shaun Tatipata from The Fred Hollows Foundation, Maureen O’Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry, Dr David Andrews from RANZCO, Jaki Adams-Barton from The Fred Hollows Foundation, Gerhard Schlenther from RANZCO, Marion Rivers from Orthoptics Australia, Dr Anthony Bennett-Hall, Dr Michelle Sun from Sight For All and Jenny Fitzgerald from Novartis.



Gerhard Schlenther from RANZCO and Dr Anthony Bennett-Hall.



Shaun Tatipata from The Fred Hollows Foundation, Dr Kristopher Rallah-Baker, and Danielle Williams from Vision 2020 Australia.



Lyn Brodie from Optometry Australia, Maureen O’Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry, the Hon Stephen Wade MLC, Mitchell Anjou and Professor Hugh Taylor from Indigenous Eye Health at the University of Melbourne and Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia.

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Colette Kinsella and Anthony Lehner from Macular Disease Foundation Australia, and Annie Gibbins from Glaucoma Australia.



Craig Bennett and Jane Kneebone from Diabetes Victoria, and Greg Johnson from Diabetes Australia.



Marco Muscardo and Jenny Fitzgerald from Novartis.



Judy Hatswell from Sight For All.

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5 Member meetings/events
7 Stakeholder meetings



Sarah Zerbib, Christine Pereira, Georgia Taylor and Bhavna Yadav from the Vision Initiative team at Vision 2020 Australia.



John Howie, the Hon Dr Barry Jones AC, Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia, Maureen O'Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry and Andrew Harris.



Lyn Brodie from Optometry Australia.

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- Prevention and Early Intervention Committee
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Committee

8 Member meetings/events
3 Stakeholder meetings

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- Independence and Participation Committee



- Submission for 2019-20 Federal Government Budget
- Submission to the Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth regarding development of the National Action Plan for Children's Health 2020-2030
- Streamlined Consumer Assessment for Aged Care Submission



10 Member meetings/events
9 Stakeholder meetings



Panellists at the Beyond 2020 CEO Sector Strategy Day: Lyn Brodie from Optometry Australia, Professor John Grigg from Save Sight Institute, Jennifer Gersbeck from The Fred Hollows Foundation, Justin Mohamed, and Emma Bennison from Blind Citizens Australia.



Mark McCrindle presenting at the Beyond 2020 CEO Sector Strategy Day.

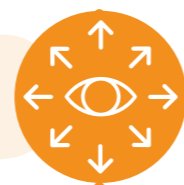


Vision Initiative Health Promotion Officer Bhavna speaking to members of the Creswick Men's Shed about eye health.

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- KeepSight public launch



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- Strong eyes, strong communities – A five year plan for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander eye health and vision, 2019-2024 released
- Health Ministers agree in principle to end avoidable blindness in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities



13 Member meetings/events
5 Stakeholder meetings



The Hon. Amanda Vanstone, Chair of Vision 2020 Australia and Dale Cleaver from Guide Dogs NSW/ACT.



The Hon. Amanda Vanstone, Chair of Vision 2020 Australia, Tony Starkey from The Royal Society for the Blind, Jaki Adams-Barton from The Fred Hollows Foundation, Karen Hayes from Guide Dogs Victoria, Dale Cleaver from Guide Dogs NSW/ACT, Maureen O’Keeffe from the Australian College of Optometry, Dr David Andrews from RANZCO, John Howie, Dr Jessica Gallagher, Justin Mohamed, Andrew Harris and Robert Dempsey from The Royal Society for the Blind.



Angela Jaeschke from Blind Citizens Australia, Jacob McCabe from Vision 2020 Australia, Emma Bennison and John Simpson from Blind Citizens Australia and Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia



Shaun Tatipata from The Fred Hollows Foundation, the Hon Warren Snowdon MP, Associate Professor Angus Turner from Lions Eye Institute, Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia and Lyndall DeMarco from IDEAS Van.



Naomi Gilson from VisAbility.



Alastair Stott from Guide Dogs Victoria, Jaci Armstrong from Guide Dogs NSW/ACT and Patrick O’Brien from Guide Dogs Queensland

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- Cataract Clinical Care Standard: Consultation draft submission
- Distributed pre-election packages to key federal MPs highlighting priorities for the eye health and vision care sector.



8 Member meetings/events
14 Stakeholder meetings



Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia with Bill Morgan and Margaret Crowley from the Lions Eye Institute.



Vision Initiative Engagement and Support Officer Georgia Taylor

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- Input to National Disability Services new national disability strategy for beyond 2020



- Provided input to the National Disability Service's submission to the Department of Social Services Thin Market Review



15 Member meetings/events
10 Stakeholder meetings



Artist Liz Walker, Vision Initiative Health Promotion Officer Nicolette Torcello, and artist Avis Gardner at the opening of the Marking the Nature of Things exhibition.



Emma Bennison and John Simpson from Blind Citizens Australia, Karen Knight from Vision Australia and Dale Cleaver from Guide Dogs NSW/ACT.

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- Submission on the draft Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Data Development Plan

11 Member meetings/events
5 Stakeholder meetings



Anna Morse from Brien Holden Vision Institute, Dawn Casey from NACCHO, Maureen O’Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry, Colina Waddell from Brien Holden Vision Institute, Ché Stockley from Vision 2020 Australia and Marion Rivers from Orthoptics Australia.



Finola Carey from the Optical Distributors and Manufacturers Association of Australia.



Jacob McCabe from Vision 2020 Australia, Tricia Keays from Brien Holden Vision Institute, Gerhard Schlenther from RANZCO, Jen Harnett from OneSight and Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia.

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- Developed draft proposal for enhancing employment of blind and vision impaired Australians for the Australian Public Service Commission
- Submission to the Consultation on Shaping the Future of Disability Policy for 2020 and Beyond



Back: Danielle Williams from Vision 2020 Australia, Professor Hugh Taylor from Indigenous Eye Health at the University of Melbourne, Kerry Kornhauser, Lesley Martin, Dawn Casey from NACCHO, Murray Verso and Emma Stanford from Indigenous Eye Health at the University of Melbourne. Front: Lien Trinh, Major General the Hon Michael Jeffery and Robert McGuirk.



Judith Abbott from Vision 2020 Australia, Yvette Waddell from Brien Holden Vision Institute and Maureen O'Keefe from the Australian College of Optometry.



Stephanie Mulholland from RANZCO, John Simpson from Blind Citizens Australia, Margaret Lum from RANZCO and Jacob McCabe from Vision 2020 Australia.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Committee

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Committee worked together to develop, launch and commence implementation of *Strong eyes, strong communities: A five year plan for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander eye health and vision*.

Activities included:

- Engagement with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health leaders through facilitated consultation to support development of the plan.
- Consultation and gathering of critical on-the-ground experience with Aboriginal Health Workers specialising in eye health and vision care.
- Consultation and review by state and territory based rural/remote workforce agencies.
- Endorsement by 18 member organisations, including NACCHO, VACCHO and AHCSA.
- Plan tabled at COAG Health Council in March 2019, with in principle commitment from all health ministers to work collaboratively to end avoidable blindness.



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Global Committee

The Global Committee continued to work on advocacy and related activities highlighting the significant benefits of investment in international eye health programs.

Highlights:

- Made submission to the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade Soft Power Review.
- Developed bipartisan brief to support pre-election activities.
- Appeared before public hearing of Joint Standing Committee of Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade Inquiry into the strategic effectiveness and outcomes of Australia's aid Program in the Indo-Pacific and its role in supporting our regional interests.



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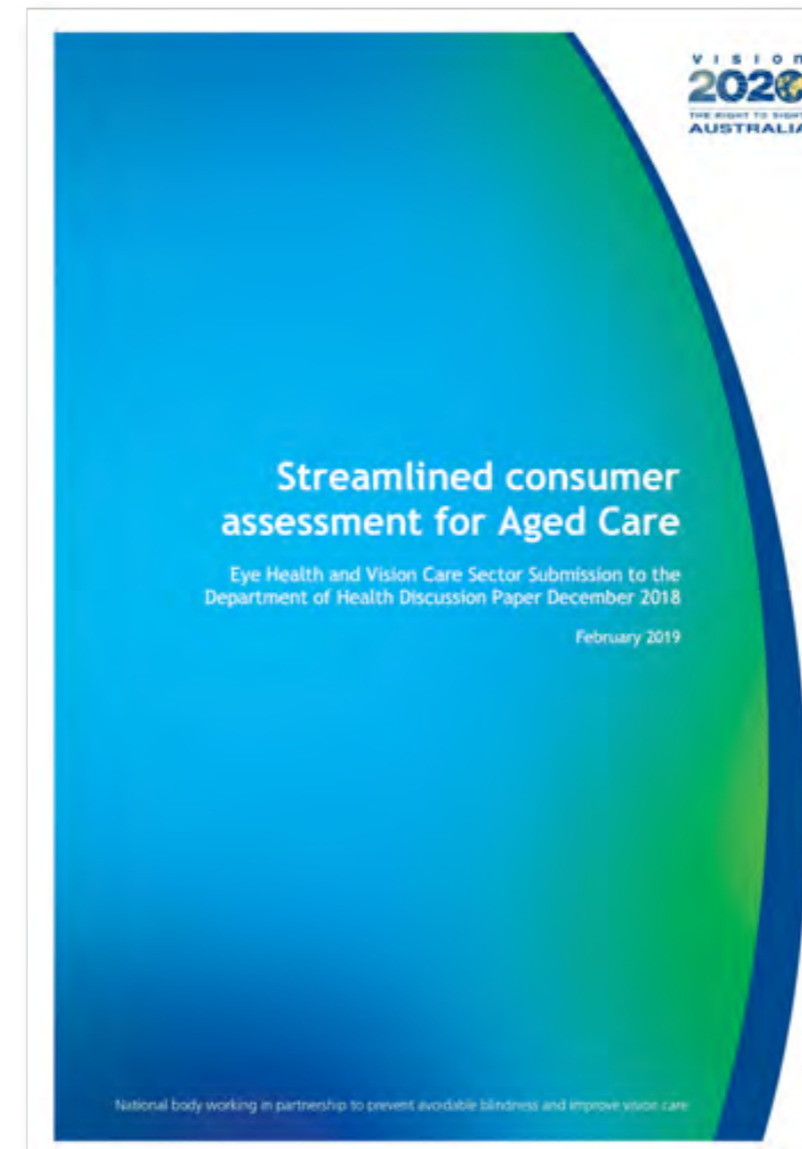
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Independence and Participation Committee

The Independence and Participation Committee worked to improve the ability of Australians who are blind or vision impaired to participate in the community. Key advocacy priorities focused on the NDIS, aged care and meaningful employment for people with disability.

Highlights:

- Completion of the Referral Pathway for Blindness and Low Vision Services.
- Made a submission to the Department of Health consultation on Streamlined Consumer Assessment for Aged Care.
- Provided input to the National Disability Service's submission to the Department of Social Services Thin Market Review.
- Developed a proposal for the Australian Public Service Commission to enhance APS employment of blind and vision impaired Australians.
- Enhanced engagement with the National Disability Insurance Agency.



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Prevention and Early Intervention Committee

The Prevention and Early Intervention Committee maintained a focus on advocating for increased awareness of detecting and preventing eye disease and building the evidence base.

Highlights:

- Provided input to the Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth in the development of the National Action Plan for Children's Eye Health 2020-2030.
- Made a submission to the Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care on the Cataract Clinical Care Standards Consultation Draft.
- Supported development of KeepSight, a new diabetes blindness prevention initiative.
- Explored prevention and early detection opportunities through eye health awareness campaigns.
- Progressed discussion regarding strategies for national eye testing of preschoolers.



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Vision Initiative

The Vision Initiative is an integrated eye health promotion program that aims to prevent avoidable blindness and vision loss in the Victorian community, funded by the Victorian Government and managed by Vision 2020 Australia.

During 2018/19, the Vision Initiative undertook targeted local activity in the Local Government Areas (LGAs) of Bass Coast, Central Goldfields, Glenelg, Hepburn, Moira and Whittlesea in addition to maintaining continued activity in a further eight LGAs across Victoria.



A partnership promoting eye health and vision care

2018-19 highlights:

- Community-based LGA activity, consisting of eye health presentations as well as attendance at larger events, directly reached up to 75,000 local residents.
- Advertising in 15 print, radio and TV outlets across project LGAs and Victoria reached a potential audience of 2.7 million people.
- Online training was completed by 1,057 health professionals, including 352 GPs and 109 nurses.
- Four pharmacy campaigns were delivered to 35 pharmacies across the target LGAs.
- Vision Initiative distributed around 8,000 promotional resources (posters, flyers etc) to more than 1,000 venues and businesses.
- Transition to electronic newsletter in March 2019, with each edition delivered to a subscriber list of more than 600 health professionals state-wide.
- The Minister for Health, The Hon. Jenny Mikakos, committed to continue funding for the Vision Initiative to June 2020.

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KeepSight

KeepSight is a new national eye screening initiative for Australians with diabetes which aims to ensure that all people with diabetes access the clinically recommended diabetes eye checks. The program provides an opportunity to dramatically reduce rates of diabetes-related vision loss and blindness in Australia by facilitating early detection and early treatment of diabetes related eye problems with improved outcomes over time across the population.

KeepSight is funded through a public/private partnership, led by Diabetes Australia. Vision 2020 Australia is a key partner leading work with the eye care sector to mobilise support and engagement of all eye care service providers including ophthalmologists, optometrists and orthoptists.



Some key highlights from the program's first year of operation include:

- Enhancement of the Oculo platform and the development of a public KeepSight digital portal for health practitioners and people with diabetes. As at June 2019, there have been more than 30,000 visitors to the site.
- Comprehensive eye sector engagement plan has been rolled out over the 12-month period to encourage health sector professionals to register with the program. As at June 2019, more than 2,700 optometrists are KeepSight registered providers (of a total 5,532 optometrists) and nearly 600 ophthalmologists (of a total 970 ophthalmologists).
- As at June 2019, more than 3,752 people with diabetes have enrolled with the KeepSight program.
- A mass marketing campaign was launched in March 2019 to build brand awareness and drive consumer engagement with the program. The campaign included a range of marketing channels – targeted advertising (TV, print, outdoor), media relations, digital marketing, publications, events.

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National Subsidised Spectacles Scheme Project

In August 2018, Vision 2020 Australia welcomed the Australian Government's investment of \$2 million to increase access to subsidised spectacles for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Vision 2020 Australia was provided with these one-off funds to work with the Australian Government to encourage State and Territory Governments to enhance the existing arrangements for subsidising the cost of spectacles.

The National Subsidised Spectacles Scheme (NSSS) project has brought together a range of sector stakeholders, with Optometry Australia and the National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation key project partners.

2018-19 highlights:

- Nationwide mapping of existing arrangements for subsidised spectacles and other optical aids in each jurisdiction.
- Extensive consultation with stakeholders including State and Territory Government departments, to identify opportunities and barriers to improving their subsidised spectacles schemes.
- Provision of evidence-based advice to government on options for enhanced access.
- This project will continue to June 2020 and will result in many more Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people across the nation being able to get the glasses they need over the coming one to two years.

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Living our values

In 2019, we progressed a staff-led refresh of our organisational values to ensure these reflected our current environment and culture and our future aspirations. The following organisational values were endorsed by the Board:

Integrity

We are trusted and reliable and those that rely upon us have confidence in our motives and abilities.

Open and collaborative

We are transparent and seek opportunities to work together.

Diversity and respect

We embrace the diversity of everyone we work with and respect their contributions.

Creativity

We seek new opportunities and approaches to our work, and are open to new ideas and ways of working.

Continuous learning and improvement

We continually seek to learn and improve, and share that learning.

Accountability

We work in the best interests of our members and stakeholders and follow through on our commitments.



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Over 2018-19, the Board also reconfirmed its commitment to ensuring genuine ongoing involvement and engagement of both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, and people with lived experience of blindness and low vision. As part of this, it committed to some concrete actions to:

- Increase participation on committees and projects
- Increase membership of representative organisations
- Ensure participation of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and/or people who are blind or have low vision in any meetings with MPs or other decision makers where items relevant to them are to be discussed.

We progressed some changes to how our organisation works over the reporting period to help us foster this genuine involvement.

With the strong support of some members, this included:

- Convening an Indigenous only meeting of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health leaders as well as some Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander eye health workers from across the nation to shape the content and priorities for *Strong eyes, strong communities*
- Inviting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health workers from across Australia to be a key part of our September Parliamentary Friends Group so that they had the opportunity to tell their stories and share their perspectives with MPs and sector leaders
- Building a stronger, collaborative partnership with Blind Citizens Australia and moving to joint working models, such as joint meetings with the National Disability Insurance Agency
- Supporting the integration of the Australian Blindness Forum with Vision 2020 Australia.

Financial overview

Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the Year Ended 30 June 2019

	2019 (\$)	2018 (\$)
Revenue	2,092,849	1,649,628
Employee benefits expense	(1,126,135)	(919,640)
Consultants expense	(186,355)	(114,186)
Depreciation expense	(15,323)	(22,352)
Stationery and printing expense	(31,315)	(33,120)
Travel expense	(110,162)	(48,948)
Occupancy expense	(144,844)	(141,846)
Promotional events and material expense	(111,414)	(90,298)
Repairs and maintenance expense	(13,935)	(5,436)
Computer support and internet expense	(42,705)	(23,788)
Monitoring, evaluation and planning expense	(109,710)	(81,446)
Events and catering expense	(34,364)	(39,701)
Other expenses	(79,977)	(53,225)
Surplus for the year	86,610	75,642
Other comprehensive income	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year	86,610	75,642

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Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2019

ASSETS	2019 (\$)	2018 (\$)
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	2,708,484	3,052,217
Trade and other receivables	373,755	268,690
Financial assets	394,946	381,368
Prepayments	9,900	9,000
Total current assets	3,487,085	3,711,275
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	17,955	31,264
Total non-current assets	17,955	31,264
TOTAL ASSETS	3,505,040	3,742,539

LIABILITIES	2019 (\$)	2018 (\$)
Current liabilities		
Trade and other payables	122,783	291,305
Unearned income	2,410,976	2,594,807
Short-term provisions	58,415	30,532
Total current liabilities	2,592,174	2,916,644
Non-current liabilities		
Long-term provisions	2,861	2,500
Total non-current liabilities	2,861	2,500
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,595,035	2,919,144
NET ASSETS	910,005	823,395

EQUITY	2019 (\$)	2018 (\$)
Accumulated surpluses	910,005	823,395
Total EQUITY	910,005	823,395

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Government funding

- Commonwealth Department of Health
- Victorian Department of Health and Human Services

Other financial and in-kind contributions

- Centre for Eye Research Australia
- Diabetes Australia
- MinterEllison
- The Fred Hollows Foundation

Provision of meeting venues and facilities

- Aboriginal Health Council of South Australia
- Australian College of Optometry
- Brien Holden Vision Institute
- Guide Dogs Victoria
- Hood Sweeney
- National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation
- Optometry Australia
- The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Ophthalmologists
- University of New South Wales

Contributions to the Vision Initiative

- Australian College of Optometry
- Australian Primary Health Care Nurses Association
- Bass Coast Shire Council
- Central Goldfields Shire Council
- Central Highlands Primary Care Partnership
- Central Victorian Primary Care Partnership
- Centre for Eye Research Australia
- City of Whittlesea
- Diabetes Victoria
- Eastern Melbourne Primary Health Networks
- Gippsland Primary Health Network
- Glenelg Shire Council
- Goulburn Valley Primary Care Partnership
- The G.R.A.I.N. Store
- Guide Dogs Victoria
- Hepburn Shire Council
- Hume Whittlesea Primary Care Partnership
- Moira Shire Council

- Murray Primary Health Networks
- Optometry Victoria South Australia
- Pharmaceutical Society of Australia, Victorian Branch
- The Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital
- The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Ophthalmologists
- South Coast Primary Care Partnership
- Southern Grampians and Glenelg Primary Care Partnership
- Victorian Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation
- Vision Australia
- Western Victoria Primary Health Networks

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Corporate



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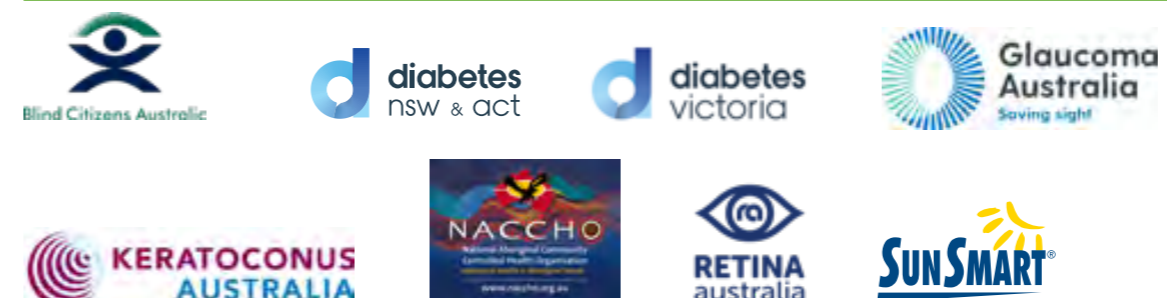
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