



Government of **Western Australia**
Department of **Health**

Sexual Health and Blood-borne Virus Program (SHBBVP)

WA Sexually Transmissible Infections and Blood-borne Virus Strategies 2019-2023 – Implementations Plans



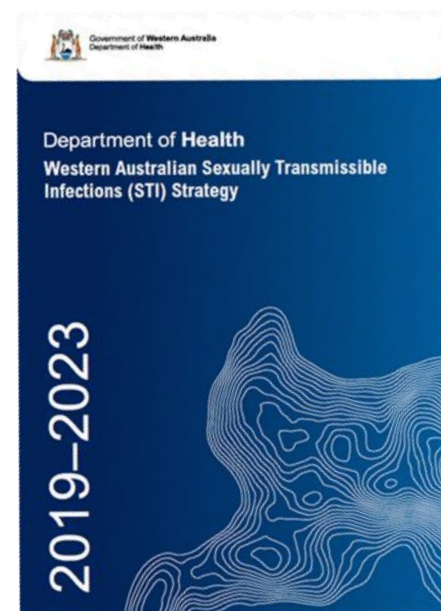


**Launched by the Minister for Health
Hon Roger Cook
Broome, July 2019**

The five WA Sexually Transmissible Infections and Blood-borne Virus Strategies 2019-2023 are broken down into six primary areas that demonstrate alignment with the 2018-2022 National Blood Borne Viruses and Sexually Transmissible Infections Strategies.

Action Areas:

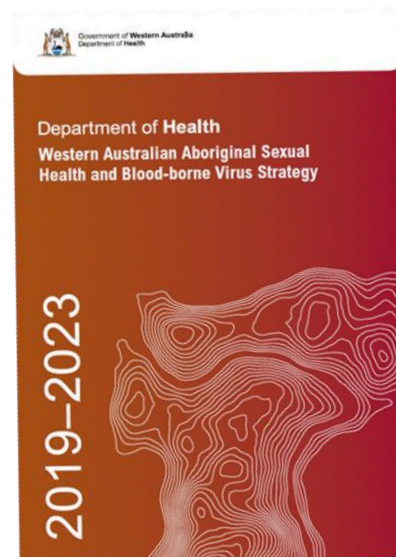
- 1. Prevention and education**
- 2. Testing and diagnosis**
- 3. Disease management and clinical care**
- 4. Workforce development**
- 5. Enabling environment**
- 6. Data collection, research and evaluation**



The WA strategies are underpinned by 10 guiding principles that are in place to support and drive evidence-based and high quality services, education and programs.

Flexible responses to changes in epidemiology, emerging priority populations, service needs and changing prevention and treatment landscapes are all supported by these principles, and provide a foundation for the implementations plans moving forward.

- 1. Meaningful involvement of priority populations**
- 2. Human Rights**
- 3. Access and equity**
- 4. Health promotion**
- 5. Prevention**
- 6. Quality health services**
- 7. Harm reduction**
- 8. Shared responsibility**
- 9. Commitment to evidence-based policy and programs**
- 10. Partnership**

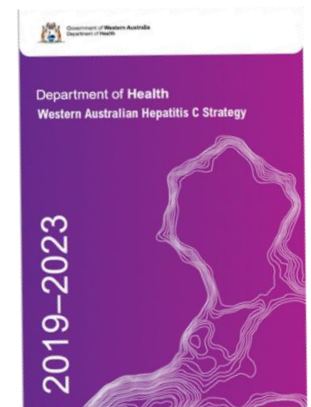


The Purpose and Scope of the Implementation Plans

- **The plans will provide capacity for annual reporting, monitoring and updating over the life of the strategies.**
- **Via these plans, SHBBVP will be responsible for regular reporting to the WA Sexual Health and Blood-borne Virus Advisory Committee (WA SHaBBVAC).**
- **The plans will facilitate;**
 - **review of STI/BBV activities as aligned with each strategy**
 - **identification of gaps in action and activity areas**
 - **review of alignment strength between key actions areas and activities**
 - **The development of an annual reporting framework to report against the key action areas and the defined targets of each strategy**

What now and next....

- **Currently an ‘activity and priority populations’ mapping exercise is being facilitated by SHBBVP with:**
 - **Non-government organisations**
 - **Aboriginal Community Controlled health Services**
 - **WA Country Health Services**
 - **Metro Area Health Services**
 - **Aboriginal Health Services**
- **The analysis of these mapping exercises will assist SHBBVP to identify gaps and potential funding requirements across the duration of the strategies.**
- **Draft monitoring framework to capture targets and indicators.**

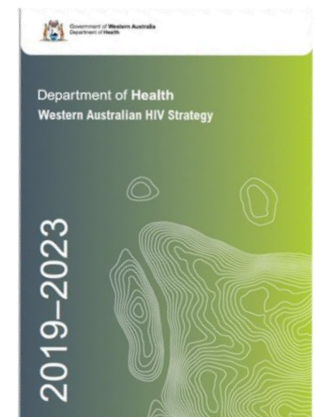


WA STI Strategy Mapping – SHBBVP Org Contracts

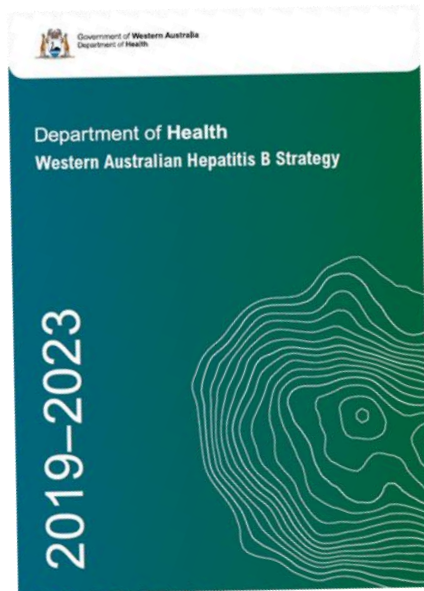
Action areas and key activities	AHCWA	ASHM	Curtin RSE Project	Curtin - SIREN	Hedland Well Women's Centre	HepWA	Magenta	Next Step	Palmerston	PBRWA	SECCA	SHQ	WAAC	Wirrpanda Foundation	YACWA	Priority Populations
Prevention and Education																
1. Increase the capacity of schools, including Education Support Centres, to deliver comprehensive RSE in a safe, non-judgemental and supportive environment by using a whole school approach. Comprehensive RSE includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • development of skills, clarification of values and acquisition of knowledge to empower students to make informed, safe and healthy decisions • a positive, sexually and gender diverse inclusive view of relationships and sexuality • delivery by the classroom teacher or appropriate RSE provider supported by health professionals • delivery across all years of schooling • use of evidence-informed resources such as GDHR¹ and the International Technical Guidance on Sexuality Education. 																Women
																Young people
																Aboriginal people
																Sexually and gender diverse people
																Sex workers
																People in or recently exited custodial settings
																Travellers and mobile workers
																People living with a disability
																People with mental health issues
																Gay and bisexual men, and men who have sex with men
2. Support further increases in the number of adolescents including Aboriginal adolescents completing the HPV vaccination series as per the National Immunisation Strategy and the Western Australian Immunisation Strategy 2016–2020.																Women
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3. Increase use of and access to peer-based and outreach STI prevention and education services for priority																Women
																Young people

SHBBVP with the support and advice of the WA SHaBBVAC endeavour to table the final implementation plans at the WA SHaBBVAC meeting on 17th March 2020.

This timeline will be contingent on working closely with WA SHaBBVAC and partners on the draft development, consultation, feedback, and final approval by the Department of Health.



Thank You



IMPLEMENTATION PLANS

