## Co-designing a place-based evaluation



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# Overview

Definition

Significance

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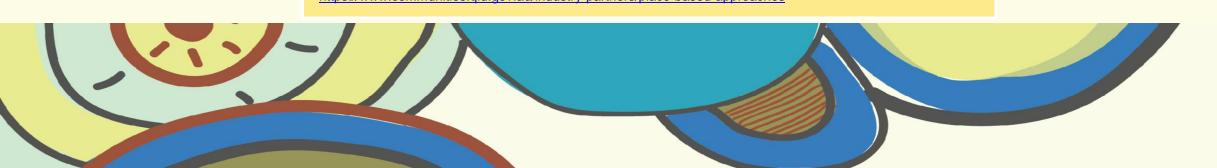
Case example

Summary

#### Place-based approaches are....

- "...collaborative, long-term approaches to build thriving communities delivered in a defined geographic location
- "...characterised by partnering and shared design, shared stewardship, and shared accountability for outcomes and impacts"
- "...used to respond to complex, interrelated or challenging issues e.g. complex social issues 'wicked problems'

Framework for Place-Based Approaches, Department of Communities, Disability Services and Seniors <a href="https://www.communities.gld.gov.au/industry-partners/place-based-approaches">https://www.communities.gld.gov.au/industry-partners/place-based-approaches</a>



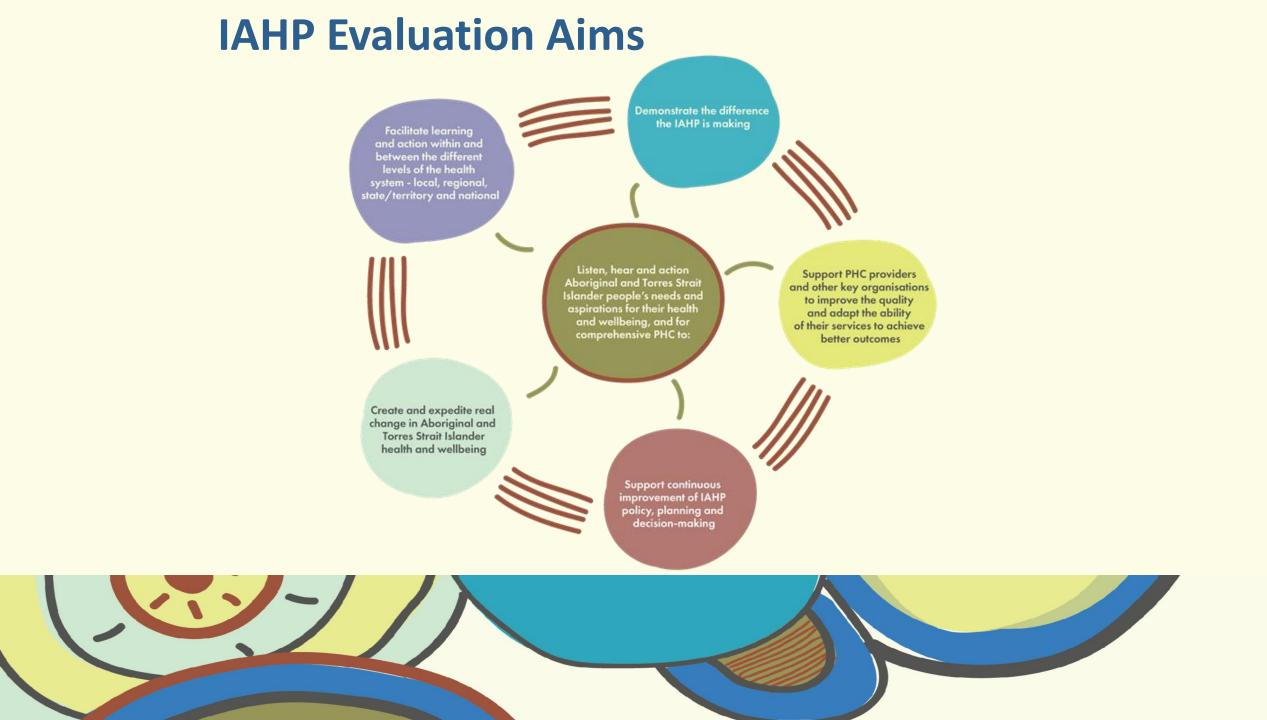
# Significance of placed-based approaches

- Social change
- Complex community needs
- Community decision-making and responses
- Community priorities
- Community control

# Aims of a placed-based approach

- Community engagement and participation
- Community capacity and social infrastructure
- Devolution to the local level
- Strategic, targeted solutions
- Cross-sector collaboration

#### Australian Nurse Family Partnership Program Case example Indigenous Rheumatic Fever Strategy Tackling Indigenous Smoking Program Bowel Cancer Screening Mental and social health, drug and alcohol use in PHC Eye Health **Oral Health** Ear Health Remote Area Health Corps Integrated Team Care Medical Outreach Indigenous Chronic Disease Program IMPROVING ACCESS Indigenous Australians' TO PHC SERVICES PRIMARY HEALTH Indigenous PHC services, Health Programme (IAHP) CARE (PHC) SERVICES including comprehensive PHC **PBS Co-payment** Evaluation of the Government's Monitoring and evaluation investment in Indigenous PHC Indigenous Remote Service **Delivery Traineeship** through the IAHP Peak body funding to NACCHO and affiliates Regionalisation (transition to community control in NT only) This diagram aims to provide a general overview of the IAHP by identifying broad programs and activities funded. This is not an exhaustive list and is subject to change. For further information, see the IAHP Guidelines at http://www1.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/indigenous-programme-lp



### Features of place-based approaches



Agreed place



Community engagement



Shared vision and commitment to outcomes



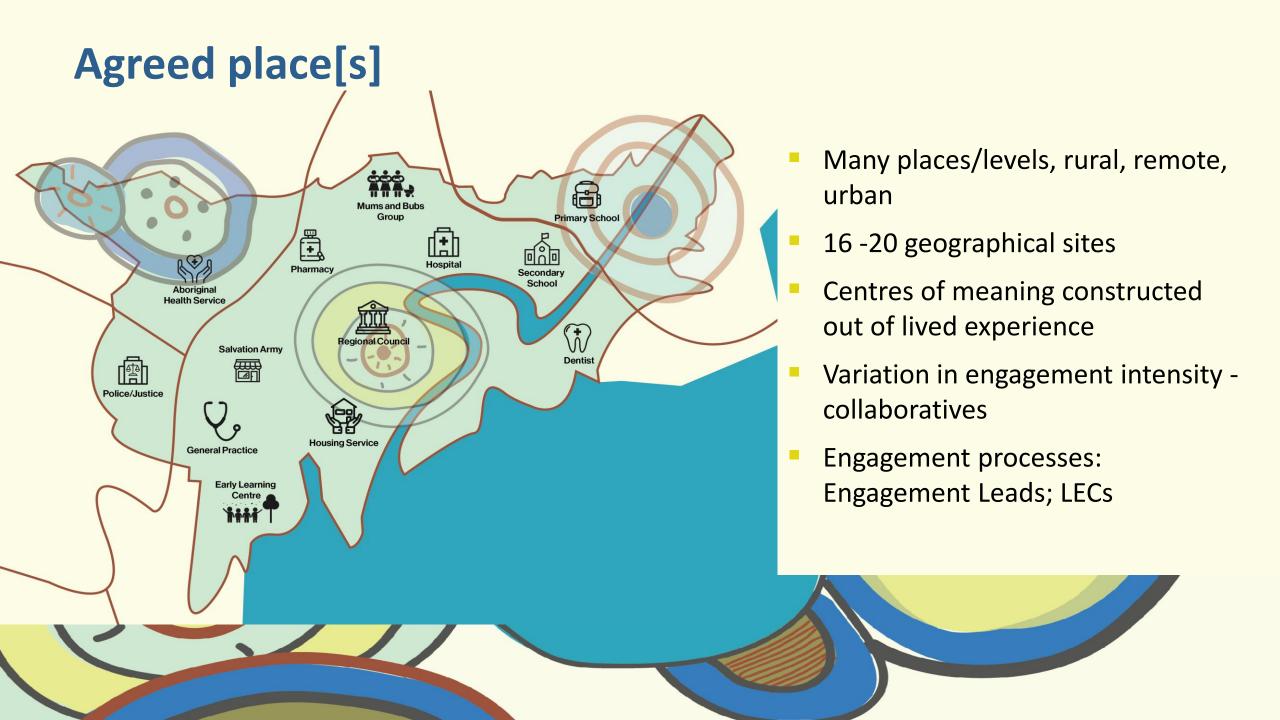
Local collaborative governance



Working together



A cycle of integrated learning



# Shared vision & commitment to outcomes

- Co-design at multiple levels
- Engagement
- Collective impact
- CQI approach
- Shared measurement systems

#### Working Together

- Co-design at multiple levels
- Collaborative approach
- Systems approach
- Thinking innovation

\*\*How well systems are working - NOT an evaluation of the performance of particular IAHP programs or of organisations that provide PHC services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

## **Community engagement**

#### **Genuine engagement**

- Aboriginal engagement leads
- Engaging appropriately
- Local people, groups and communitybased organisations

## Local collaborative governance



#### Collaborative, locally-led governance



Working differently:

- Systems approach
- Grounded emergent approach
- Action learning model



Working together:

- PDSA cycles
- Meaningful local involvement

# A cycle of integrated learnings



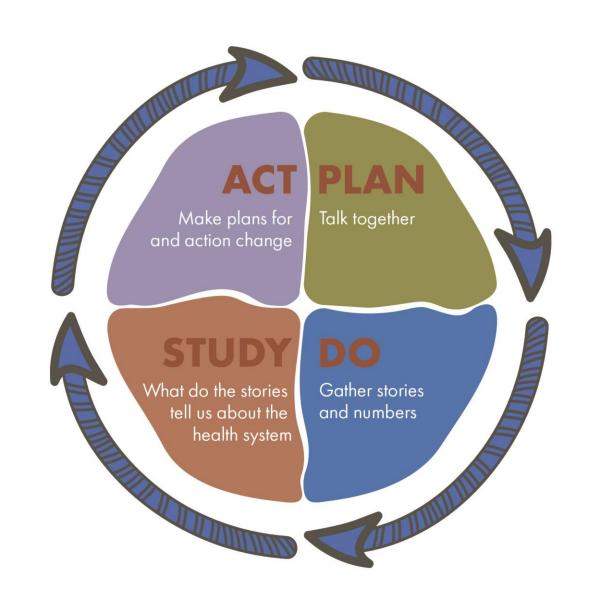
**Commitment** to being informed by data, research and story



**Cycle** of continuous learning, improvement and points of reflection embedded throughout the practice.



**Strong focus** on evidence-based practice, and a commitment to constantly reviewing the approach to ensure it is effective, flexible and adapted to the needs of place



#### Summary of place-based approaches

- Focusses on the local level
- Creates a shared, long-term vision and commitment to outcomes
- iii Involves working differently together across the community
- Creates governance at a local level
- Embeds broad engagement with the community
- Gives opportunity to experiment, prototype, and learn through doing

