



Real IN QLD

PRACTICAL LOCAL REFORM

Agenda

3-4 JUNE 2025

Pullman Brisbane King George
Corner Ann & Roma St, Brisbane

Day 1 | Tuesday 3 June — *Practical* local reform

Time	Topic	Speaker
8:00 am	Day 1 registration	
8:30 am	Welcome to Country and QAIHC welcome	Traditional Owner Dan Bouchier , MC Matthew Cooke , Chairman, QAIHC
9:30 am	Keynote address: Close the Gap — How do we achieve the Close the Gap outcomes and targets by 2031?	Selwyn Button , Indigenous Policy Evaluation Commissioner, Productivity Commission
10:00 am	Keynote panel session: How do we achieve the Close the Gap outcomes and targets by 2031?	Facilitated discussion
10:30 am	Morning Tea	
11:00 am	Ministerial address	Hon Tim Nicholls MP , Minister for Health and Ambulance Services
11:30 am	Panel session: How does the sector partner effectively with the government to deliver practical local reform?	Facilitated discussion
1:00 pm	Lunch	
2:00 pm	Plenary presentation: Navigating a changing political landscape	Janice Kuka and Rāwiri Crawford , Ngā Mataapuna Oranga
2:30 pm	Panel session: Navigating a changing political landscape	Facilitated discussion
3:00 pm	Presentation: Community controlled healthcare commissioning — empowering local communities for health transformation	Flora Warrior , Director and Abbe Anderson , CEO, Cape and Torres Health Commissioning Ltd
3:30 pm	Panel session: Community controlled healthcare commissioning	Facilitated discussion
4:00 pm	Day 1 wrap up	Dan Bouchier , MC
4:15 pm	Afternoon Tea and Networking	

Meet our Master of Ceremonies



Dan Bouchier, TV and Radio Host, Speaker and MC

Dan Bouchier is a multi-award winning journalist and broadcaster with the ABC. He grew up in the remote Northern Territory town of Tennant Creek, where he was mentored by Elders from around the region, while coming to understand his own Indigenous heritage from his mum's family in Victoria.

Dan has worked as a newspaper reporter, video journalist, foreign correspondent, political reporter, and social commentator. He has been a keen advocate for democratic equality and equity. Dan is driven by giving voice to the voiceless, holding to account those in positions of power, and telling really great stories.

Day 2 | Wednesday 4 June — *Practical* local reform

Time	Topic	Speaker
8:00 am	Shared Breakfast at Goldfinch Restaurant and Café	
8:45 am	Day 2 registration	
9:00 am	Acknowledgment of Country and Day 1 recap	Dan Bouchier, MC
9:15 am	Presentation: Data as a story, not just a statistic — Empowering local voices to drive meaningful policy	Graham Bidois Cameron, Director of Māori Public Health, National Public Health Service, Health New Zealand
9:30 am	Presentation: Harnessing the power of First Nations health data	A/Prof. Lisa Whop, Senior Research Fellow, ANU and Dr Louise Mitchell, Research Fellow, ANU
9:55 am	Panel session: <i>How can we use data better to showcase the value and impact of the sector?</i>	Facilitated discussion
10:30 am	Morning Tea	
11:00 am	Presentation: Outcomes from the Regional Engagement Roadshow	David Harmer, A/Deputy Chief Executive Officer, QAIHC
11:15 am	Presentation: Harnessing the power of QAIHC's data expertise	Scott Brown, Senior Manager, Health Data Analytics, QAIHC
11:30 am	Panel session: <i>QAIHC's data and investment priorities</i>	Facilitated discussion
12:00 pm	Lunch	
1:00 pm	Keynote address: Driving Change – Departmental Commitments to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples	Natalie Wilde, Director-General, Department of WATSIPM
1:15 pm	Panel session: <i>Driving Change – Departmental Commitments to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples</i>	Facilitated discussion
1:35 pm	Presentation: Strength, resilience and self-determination — The power of the ACCHO model of care	Lizzie Adams, CEO, and Trent Adams, D/CEO, Goolburri Aboriginal Health Advancement
1:55 pm	Presentation: Blak Excellence — Cultural brilliance and Stewardship	Joy Savage, CEO Wuchopperen Health Service Ltd
2:15 pm	Panel session: <i>Celebrating Indigenous culture</i>	Facilitated discussion
3:00 pm	Closing address	Led by Dan Bouchier, MC
3:30 pm	Members Conference Close	

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QAIHC Awards for Excellence

Wednesday 4 June 2025, 6:30pm–10:30pm
Pullman Brisbane King George Square



