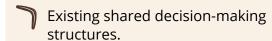
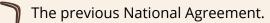


## National Agreement on Closing the Gap

## **Approach and Method**

The National Agreement on Closing the Gap was agreed upon in 2020 and builds on:





## The Agreement is unlike other national agreements.

It is the first that includes a non-government signatory (the Coalition of Peaks).

It is ambitious in the scale of change required.

Torres Strait Islander people.

# There are four Priority Reforms in the Agreement

#### **Priority Reform 1**

Formal partnerships and shared decision-making

#### **Priority Reform 2**

Strengthening the community-controlled sector

#### **Priority Reform 3**

Transforming government organisations

#### **Priority Reform 4**

Shared access to data and information at a regional level

The Priority Reforms aim to drive achievement of the Agreement's 17 socio-economic outcomes and 19 targets. This first review focuses on assessing progress against the Priority Reforms.

#### Engagement

We engaged with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander organisations and communities from across the country and a wide range of sectors.

**121 meetings** were with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander organisations from the 186 meetings we had.

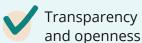
**15 submissions** were from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander organisations from the 32 submissions we received.

4 virtual roundtables were held with organisations in priority policy areas.

### Our Engagement Principles









### We have assessed progress by:

- Measuring the progress of the specific commitments in the Agreement.
- Reviewing the actions governments have set out in their implementation plans.
- Noting where we can see progress has been made and where more work is needed.



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