





# Strategic Plan 2017 - 2020



A NSW where all young people are engaged, valued and supported.

	Goal	Measures	Activities
<b>Valued Young People</b> 	Decision making processes in NSW value the diverse range of young people as experts in their own lives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Number of organisations using youth participation models</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Disseminate models / practices of good youth participation</li> <li>Facilitate the increase of youth participation in decision making processes within private, government and community organisations</li> <li>Implement a model to ensure diverse youth participation in our governance structure</li> <li>Resource young people to participate in decision-making processes</li> </ul>
<b>Professional Youth Sector</b> 	The NSW Youth Sector is recognised as professional in youth development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Number of youth services and workers that are adhering to youth development principles and practice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implement youth development principles and practice in the work of the youth sector</li> <li>Create a body to endorse professional youth work</li> <li>Promote and showcase the value of the youth sector</li> <li>Advocate for systemic change within human services to create better outcomes for young people</li> </ul>
<b>Youth Issues on the Agenda</b> 	Key systemic issues for young people are put on the NSW agenda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Number of advances in systemic issues on which Youth Action has advocated</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Initiate actions on systemic issues that negatively impact young people, as outlined in our policy priorities</li> <li>Respond to strategic opportunities to highlight youth issues in policy debates</li> <li>Involve young people and youth workers in actions and responses taken by Youth Action</li> </ul>
<b>Sustainable and Strong Youth Action</b> 	Youth Action is a respected and sustainable peak body for young people and the youth sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Percentage of stakeholders who would promote Youth Action's work</li> <li>Percentage of revenue from non-core funding</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increase the diversity of Youth Action's stakeholders in the private, government and community sectors</li> <li>Promote Youth Action's work and role as the peak body for young people and the youth sector</li> <li>Increase and diversify Youth Action's revenue streams</li> </ul>