



**Australian Government**

**Department of Health**

# PROVISION OF CULTURALLY APPROPRIATE ABORIGINAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR WESTERN SYDNEY AND NEPEAN BLUE MOUNTAINS REGIONS



# ABSOLUTES/GIVENS

- Services will continue from Palmerston Road Mt Druitt
- No reduction in funds
- New operator:
  - Provide culturally appropriate health services;
  - Strong, robust organisation;
  - Strong governance; and
  - Professional management



# APPROACH TO MARKET

- The Department of Health and the NSW Ministry of Health working together on ATM.
- ATM will be open.
- Encourage Aboriginal organisations to apply.
- Want to see what the market has to offer to ensure the best possible service delivery.



# TIMING OF ATM AND SELECTION OF NEW PROVIDER

- Out to market around May 2016
- Provider selected around August-September 2016
- Provider to commence transition of service delivery at Mt Druitt around October 2016
- Provider to commence as stand alone in January 2017



# Have your say

- Take the opportunity to participate in the survey being conducted by CIRCA.
- Online [www.mcnair.com.au/ams](http://www.mcnair.com.au/ams) or by telephoning 1800 669 133 (free call) or you can leave your details today for a call back.
- Participate in the next agenda item which offers you the opportunity to provide your thoughts on a selection of questions from the survey.



# QUESTIONS

