



Lumos Symposium

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Lumos



Achievements

Almost
600
practices
enrolled
statewide

Over 10
data
collections
linked
biannually

Data
extracted
using
multiple
software
vendors

Data asset available/
accessible through
secure platform

Operating within strong
privacy processes

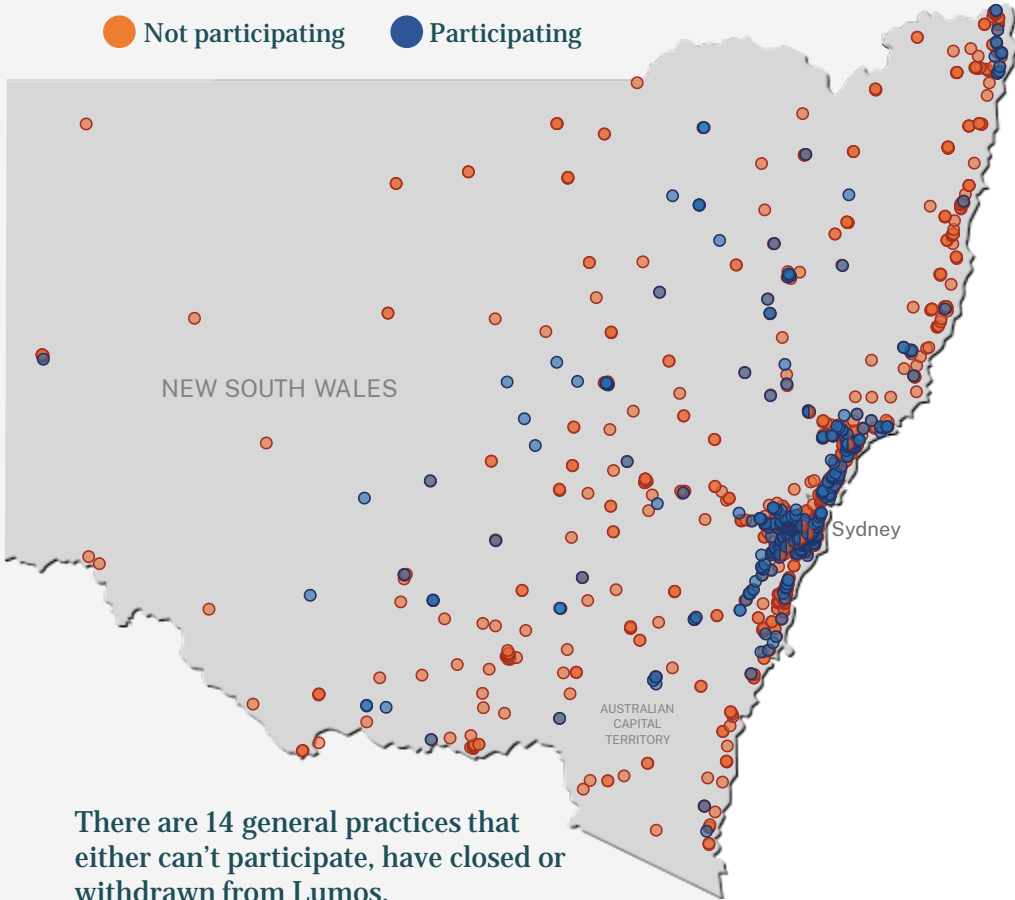
Gold standard of
'whole of system'
data linkage
practice nationally

Program funding
extended until
June 2023 due to
potential to
support reform

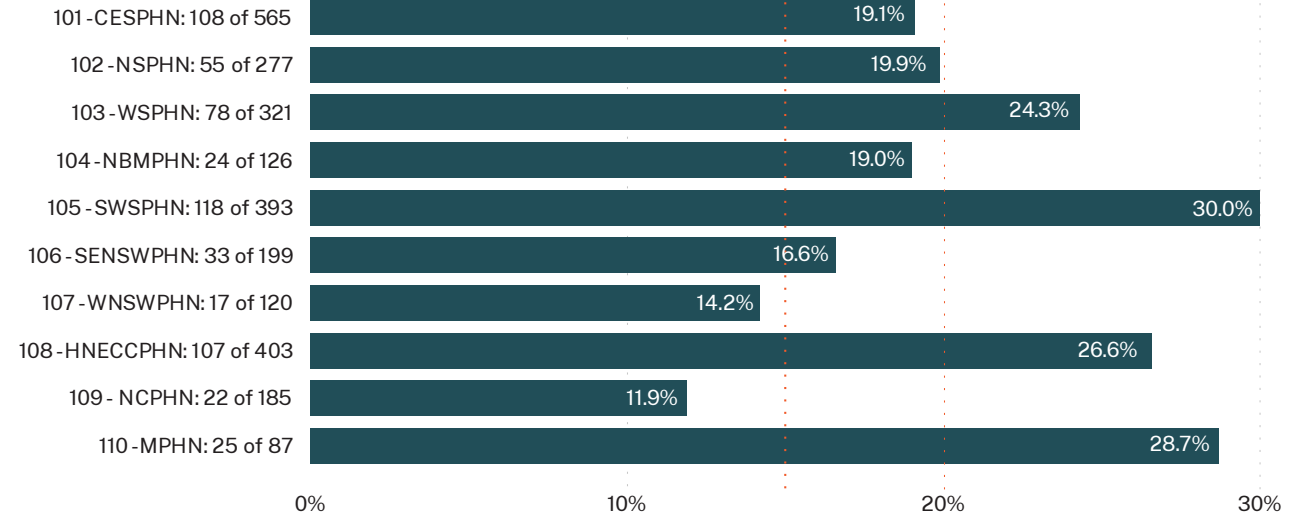
Social license of program
independently appraised

Practice Participation

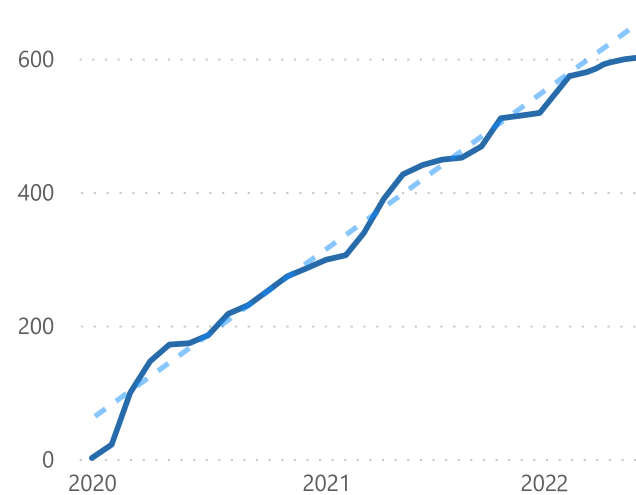
● Not participating ● Participating



There are 14 general practices that either can't participate, have closed or withdrawn from Lumos.



Cumulative Consent Total



There are:
587 general practices participating in Lumos as of 5 July 2022.
 This represents **21.8% of 2,689 practices in NSW.**

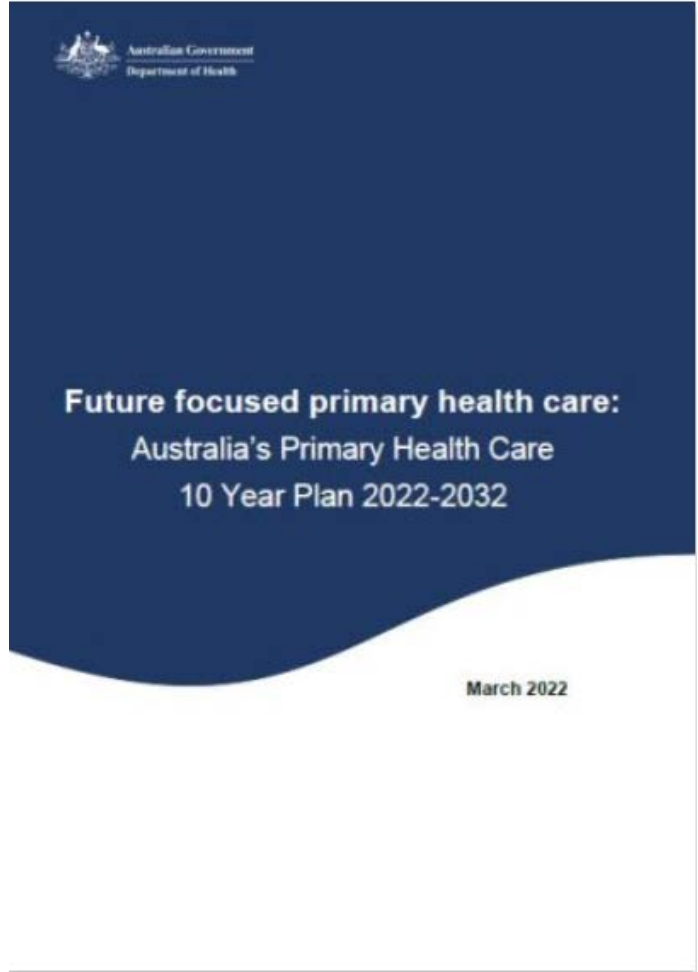
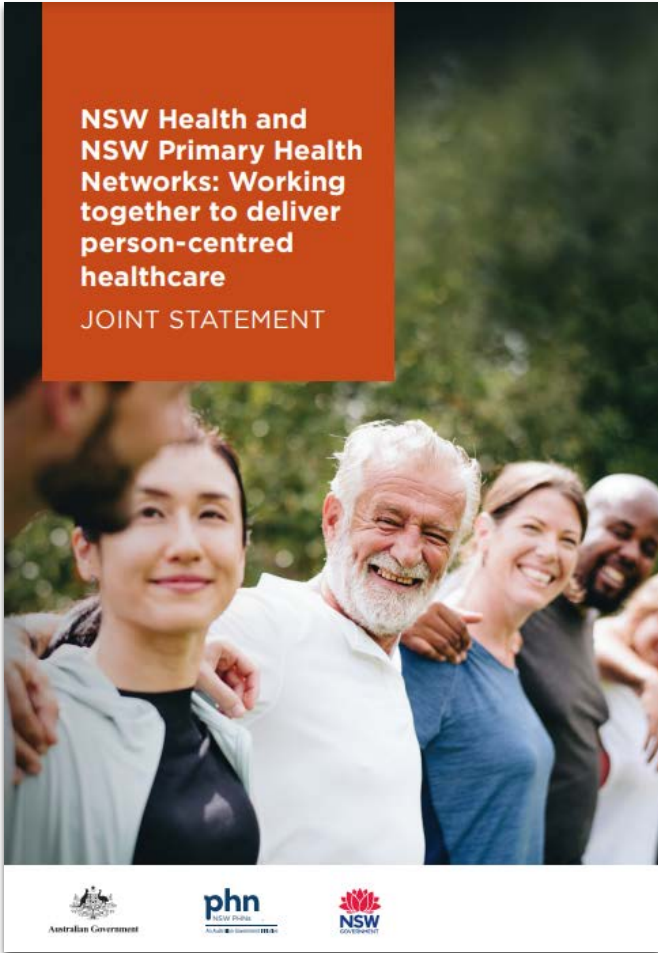
“Lumos provides us with significant insights into how our patients interact with the health system outside of our own practice...this has allowed us to focus our quality improvement processes where they’re most needed.”

Dr Nuwan Dharmaratne -
Hills Family GP

“This is the standard of effective use of data which the Government would like all regions around Australia to reach.”

Australian Government Productivity
Commission





1 How do we support greater utilisation of the data asset?



2 What data is important to our stakeholders?



3 Is data being used in the best way to support decision making?

