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DUBBO

Population 41,000
Estimated Catchment Population 120,000
Aboriginal Population 12.5%
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- Improve access to Allied Health for Aboriginal children in Dubbp
- Improve child development and outcomes for children
- Improve family knowledge and information regarding Allied Health
- Improve structures for engaging families and the community
- Increase Allied Health knowledge and skill base of Indigenous workforce
ABORIGINAL CHILDRENS THERAPY TEAM
Criteria
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- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
- Aged between birth and 8 years of age
- Living in Dubbo
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SERVICES
ABORIGINAL HEALTH WORKER

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Occupational Therapy

Psychology
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Workplace Structure

Client procedure
Workplace Structures

Recruitment

Probation Periods

Understanding Position Descriptions

Professional development for evidence based practice
Screening for Speech Pathology, Occupational Therapy and Paediatricwar

Follow up care (GP, health, psychiatric)

Partnership between health and education

Intake appointment

Joint Sessions

Case Planning Meetings

Transport

Cultural Framework

Flexible Service Delivery

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Emma
5 years 11 months
Accessing Psychology, Discharged from
Speech Pathology and Occupational Therapy

Film
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