

Improve access to healthcare



The 7 million people in rural and remote Australia experience

1.3 x
burden of
disease

UP
TO 2 x
rate of
preventable
hospitalisations

50%
less spent
on mental
health

UP
TO 2.5 x
preventable
death rate

40%
higher
suicide
rate

1.3 x
death rate
in remote

OVER
20%
of problem
is about
access to
healthcare

in 400
Indigenous
communities in the
NT 80% did not
have access to a 3G or
4G mobile phone
signal



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HEALTH
ALLIANCE LTD

The National Rural Health Alliance is asking
an incoming Government to commit to:

- Funding an additional 3,000 Allied Health Professionals
- Funding 20 workforce demonstration sites
- Establishing a Digital Community Grants Fund
- Expanding telehealth rebates to GPs and other Health Professionals

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