

NSW Regional Health Partners Centre for Innovation in Regional Health Foundation Plan 2017-2018

Our Purpose is to bring people and organisations together to transform the health and wellbeing of our population.

Our Objective is to improve the healthcare and health outcomes in regional, rural and remote communities by providing access to the most effective health discoveries and innovation.

Our Vision is to create a Centre for Innovation in Regional Health that combines research, healthcare and education to deliver solutions to address the most pressing healthcare challenges for people living in regional, rural and remote areas of Australia.

Our Commitment is to:

- improve the health of our community by providing evidence-based health care and evidence-based health messaging
- improve the uptake of evidence-based care by providing our health care sector with the knowledge transfer skills
- assist decision making on new models of care by providing economic assessments and research impact measures
- ensure the research evidence is incorporated into the health education and training programs of our partners

Our Goals in the first triennium are to:

- establish sound governance of the CIRH and ways of working together
- develop the skills required:
 - to measure the impact of research;
 - for implementation of knowledge transfer;
 - to deliver effective preventative health messaging;
- develop and participate in national, State and local initiatives that will deliver our objectives;
- prepare for reaccreditation as a CIRH in 2022