

STRATEGIC PLAN

2020 - 2024

Acknowledgment

NUAA would like to acknowledge the Gadigal people of the Eora Nation as the traditional owners of the land on which we operate; sovereignty was never ceded. We pay our respects to their elders past, present, and emerging. NUAA would also like to extend this respect to all First Nations Peoples upon whose land NUAA may work.

NUAA would like to acknowledge the legacy of our peers who went before us, and reaffirm our commitment to fighting the effects of stigma and criminalisation in all their manifestations.





Harm Reduction in the Festival Space

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#HarmReduction
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FIRE (SAFETY) DOOR
DO NOT OBSTRUCT
DO NOT KEEP OPEN

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Who we are

The NSW Users and AIDS Association (NUAA) is a peer-based drug user organisation representing the voices and needs of drug-using communities in NSW. NUAA was founded by people who inject drugs and this community remains central to our work and our mission.

NUAA strives to improve our advocacy for, and services supporting, the diversity of people impacted by stigma and discrimination and the criminalisation of drug use across NSW through working with a broad range of stakeholders and partners to support system change.



Our Vision

NUAA will constantly strive to increase our reach through quality and innovation.

We will produce resources, programs and advocacy for people who use drugs in NSW, and that are shared with communities worldwide.



Our Mission: To advance the health, human rights and dignity of people who use or have used illicit drugs



Our Values

NUAA is committed to **empowering** our community by ensuring the agency of people who use drugs is central to all of our work.

Transparent processes that uphold the **integrity** of NUAA while facilitating the development of **innovative** programs that are inherently **respectful** and **inclusive** of our community remain at the core of our activities.

Compassion and **love** of community are at the very heart of our work.

We must have the **courage** of our convictions and stand up to stigma and discrimination where it impacts our community.

Strategic Priority 1

INNOVATIVE SERVICE DELIVERY



Key focus areas:

- Develop state-wide peers and consumers network
- Increase our reach to diverse communities
- Reduce stigma and discrimination through peer and workforce development

Strategic Priority 2

COMMUNITY SUPPORT AND DEVELOPMENT



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Key focus areas:

- Trial new Harm Reduction & Treatment access projects
- Initiate and evaluate peer-led research, & promote an evidence based approach to service delivery

Strategic Priority 3

SYSTEM CHANGE

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Key focus areas:

- Develop strategic partnerships
- Influence public policy and research agenda
- Support the development of harm reduction and AoD peer workforces

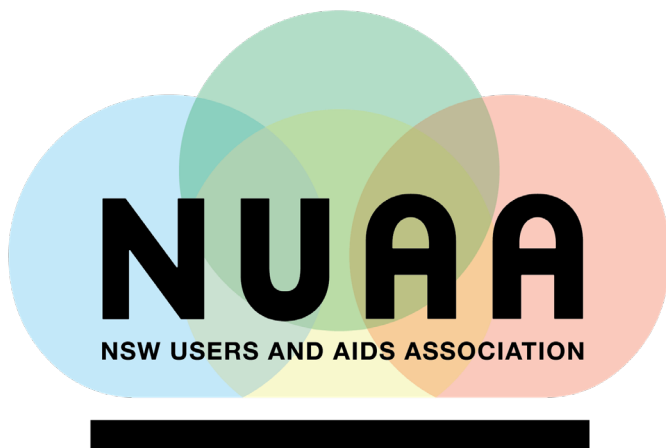
Strategic Priority 4

ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Key focus areas:

- Increase diversity in staff profile
- Continue to support and increase professional development
- Continue to increase funding and diversify revenue streams
- Support the development of research capacity within the organisation



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