

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples

Position Statement

Introduction

yourtown is committed to providing safe, innovative and quality programs and services that support young people and their families, especially those who are marginalised and without voice.

yourtown respects diversity in culture, practices and beliefs, and is committed to promoting social inclusion for all peoples across society.

Acknowledgement of Country

yourtown acknowledges Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the Traditional Owners of this country throughout Australia, and their connection to land and the community. We pay our respects to Elders past, present, and emerging.

yourtown's Position

yourtown provides a welcoming and supportive environment for the delivery of services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, built on the principles of mutual respect, growth in opportunity, and sustainability. As such, yourtown supports the philosophy and guiding principles of Reconciliation and Closing the Gap in Indigenous disadvantage.

In collaboration with Elders and community members, yourtown develops programs and services that assist Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

To further demonstrate our commitment to Reconciliation and Closing the Gap, yourtown aims to develop and implement a Reconciliation Action Plan.