



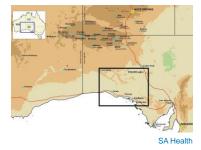
Context

- 3 Meningococcal serotype W cases diagnosed in Ceduna between December 2016 – Feb 2017
- All 3 cases were local Aboriginal Children, all fully recovered. 25% Aboriginal Population in the catchment
- Community Outbreak declared by SA Health CDCB
- > Five fold increase of Neisseria meningitidis Serotype W in Australia between 2014-2016

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- > Recent Outbreak in Kalgoorlie WA
- > Vaccination offered to over 4,000 people over 190,000 square km





Context

- > Limited local Resources and workforce
- > Vast Geographical area
- > Time Limited
- > No additional Funding
- > Continuation of existing services

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Process

- > Partnership approach CDCB, Ceduna Hospital, Ceduna Koonibba Aboriginal Health Services Aboriginal Corporation, SA Health Media & Aboriginal Health Council of SA.
- 3 week duration mass vaccination program in 6 locations
- > Multiple Agency buy in and assistance
- > Innovative multi media Campaign
- > Structured clinic format SA Health





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Analysis

- > Partnerships and collaboration key
- > Community Buy in- 3400 (85%) community vaccinated in 3 weeks- average of 230/day
- > 4 state government agencies, 6 ACCHO's, 1 NGO, Commonwealth and Local Govt.
- Post Clinics vaccination via existing vaccination services (92% total coverage)

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Outcomes

- Model for delivering mass vaccination clinics in a remote and geographically vast area.
- Innovative and successful low cost media campaign 6717 people reached @ 56c / person
- 1 subsequent case of Meningococcal W (synovial fluid)- unvaccinated.
- > Meningococcal W vaccinations in Coober Pedy – (AHCSA) & North West SA (CDCB)

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