

# Strategic Plan 2020

## Grampians Integrated Cancer Service (GICS)



<b>VISION</b>	Improving patient experiences and outcomes by connecting cancer care and driving best practice
<b>MISSION</b>	We inspire and support change at all levels of our health system through: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Collaboration</b> - working in partnership with government, the cancer sector and people affected by cancer to understand unmet needs and to drive evidence based improvements</li><li>• <b>Innovation</b>- creating new and different ways to deliver cancer services and support change that benefits the entire cancer community</li><li>• <b>Facilitation</b> - accelerating opportunities to expand the quality and reach of cancer services to improve access to and equity of care.</li></ul>
<b>OUR TEAM VALUES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Make it better for everybody</li><li>• Inspire improvement</li><li>• Act with purpose</li><li>• Engage with compassion</li><li>• Build connections</li></ul>
<b>ACCOUNTABILITY</b>	This plan will be accompanied by a detailed workplan and reported quarterly to the Funder and member organisations
<b>VICTORIAN CANCER PLAN</b>	<b>Victorian Cancer Plan 2020-2024 - Action Areas</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Treatment</li><li>• Screening and early detection</li><li>• Wellbeing and support</li></ul>

# Action Area Objectives

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### TREATMENT

Grampians residents with cancer have timely access to optimal treatment

- Improve timeliness to care by redesigning referral processes for people with a suspicion of cancer
- Investigate the use of PROMS in symptom tracking and management of patients
- Investigate and support care navigation opportunities across the region
- Embed the MDM quality framework across the region
- Bring together stakeholders across the public and private sectors to work together on locally identified issues
- Build capacity of the cancer care workforce through workforce development opportunities
- Be a resource for health services in strategic planning and service improvement activities.
- Support capacity building in cancer care services to embed optimal care pathways, including supportive care.

### SCREENING & EARLY DETECTION

Grampians residents know their risk of cancer and have cancers detected earlier

- Investigate models of care which support equitable access for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander, older people and people living in rural communities.

### WELLBEING & SUPPORT

Grampians residents with cancer and their families live well

- Explore models of supportive care outside of hospital walls
- Investigate models of supportive care appropriate for use in surgical oncology settings
- Expand opportunities for the role of exercise: pre-, during and post treatment and to help people live well
- Co-design resources to improve access to supportive care
- Implement the *WeCan* supportive care resources across the region
- Undertake data analysis to identify inappropriate variations in care, and work with health care professionals and health services to identify service improvements.