Greater Downs Local Level Alliance

CULTURAL GUIDANCE STATEMENT

First Nations Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Cultural Reference Group

Six simple and practical steps towards improving your agencies cultural competencies

- 1. Our organisation will display the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flag either in the reception area or main meeting room.
- 2. Our organisation will display the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander acknowledgement of the traditional owner's on front reception and main meeting room
- 3. Our organisation will allocate an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Cultural safety advisor.
- 4. Our organisation will support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander staff to attend Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander network meetings where possible and practical.
- 5. Our organisation will support NAIDOC week celebrations, which would include a morning or afternoon tea.
- 6. Our organisation will support Non- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander staff to attend appropriate cultural training internally or externally.

*Our organisation will continue to consult with the Greater Downs Local Level Alliance First
Nations Cultural Reference Group for ongoing cultural support and advice*