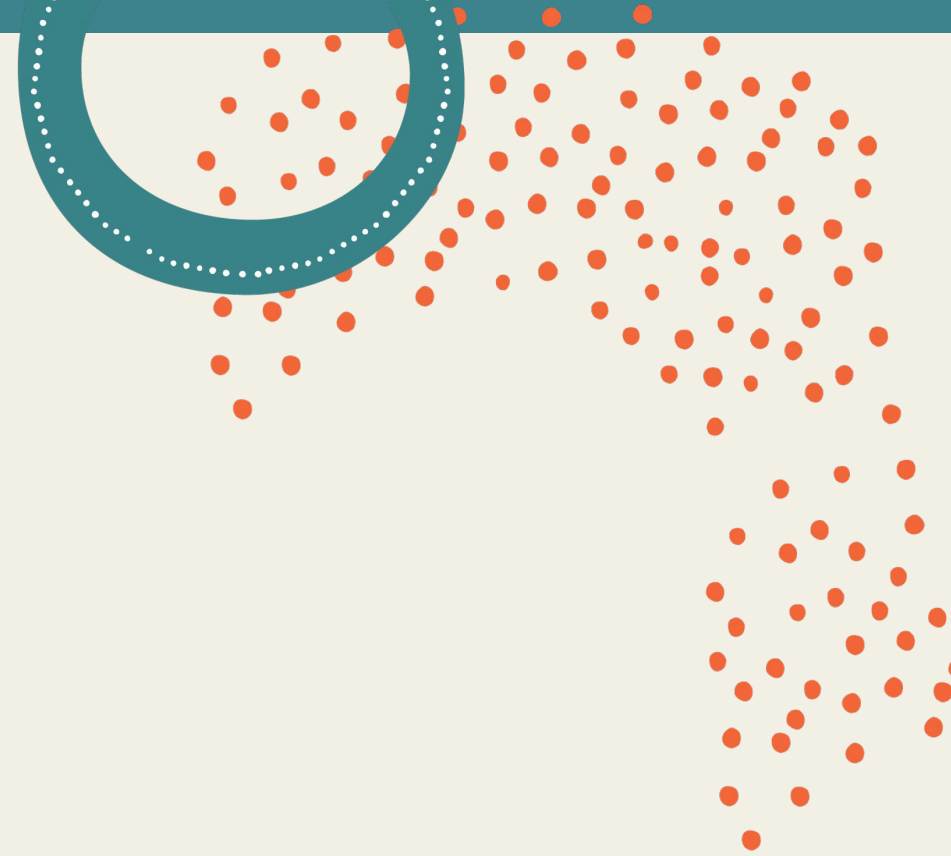




NATIONAL
**FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION
AND LEGAL SERVICES**
FORUM



Strategic Plan 2024-2029



The Forum's Vision and Purpose

These statements will drive the future strategic direction of the Forum

Vision Statement

Our vision is to create a future where all First Nations communities and individuals live free from the devastating impacts of family violence.

Purpose

Be the leading National voice in family violence affecting First Nations people, effectively advocating for reforms and working collaboratively with our members and partners to support the delivery of culturally sensitive, self-driven and holistic solutions that foster healing, resilience, and safety.





The Forum's Value Proposition

A community-controlled organisation working in partnership with its members, the Forum is uniquely placed to drive systems change



The Forum is **community controlled** and committed to amplifying the work of our sector in the delivery of culturally-appropriate responses to domestic, family and sexual violence affecting our mob.



The Forum represents FVPLSs across the country. This **evidence base** means the Forum is uniquely placed to identify and address relevant policy, legal and funding reforms.



Our members, the FVPLSs, deliver both **legal and non-legal supports** in community; therefore, we understand and advocate for holistic approaches to domestic, family and sexual violence affecting our mob.



Access to a **national service footprint** allows the Forum to identify and facilitate opportunities for capacity building, share relevant learnings, and convene key players across the sector.



The Forum is committed to the **National Agreement on Closing The Gap**, particularly Targets 12 & 13



Strategy on a Page

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How we work

*Community-controlled
& Self Determined*

Our Culture

*Evidence-informed & Impact
Focused*

Specialist Led

What we do

Advocate for policy, legal, non-legal and funding reform

Build capacity and resources to support our members to deliver services

Engage the sector and key allies around key issues

Build evidence base around effective solutions

Strategic Priorities

1

Lift our Profile

Raise the profile of the Forum and our members, ensuring we are seen as the go-to organisations for domestic and family violence impacting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

2

Influence Policy

Influence policy, funding, legal and non-legal reforms to support better outcomes in community. This will include advocacy and lobbying around particular issues impacting our members and our communities.

3

Support our Members

We work with our members to identify and facilitate the key areas of support that will help them to do their critical work in community

Strong Governance

