

# First Nations Aged Care Knowledge Exchange Visits

Learn together and share knowledge to strengthen the Aged Care Workforce

Do you have a service delivery or workforce problem you would like to improve or solve?  
Would you like support to try a new approach or learn how others do it?

## Participate in the First Nations Aged Care Knowledge Exchange



Explore tested solutions to a real workplace problems and challenges.



Learn from other aged care organisations.



Share your new knowledge, ideas and approaches back in your own workplace.



Aligned to Commonwealth priority reforms and plans for First Nations capability building.

## How it works?

1. Tell us about your workplace challenge (something you want to change).
2. Identify an organisation you would like to learn more from.
3. Spend 1 – 2 weeks observing and learning new skills and how the solution works.
4. Embed your new knowledge and solution-based learning into your workplace and keep the connection going.

Applications  
now open



Scan to apply



## Who can apply?

You must identify as an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander to apply and be in a managerial or equivalent position in an aged care or Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation (ACCHO). You need to be working in a role that can embed the solution back into the workplace. Funding for backfill will be negotiated with your organisation to support you to participate.

## How do I apply?

Scan the QR code or click the Apply Now link on the other side of this flyer. Fill in the details, outline the issue you want to solve and submit your application by 11:59pm (ACDT) on Friday 30 January 2026.

## Where can I go for my Knowledge Exchange Visit?

You can approach any national aged care organisation that has proven expertise in the area you are looking to improve to see if they are willing to partner with you.

## What does the partner organisation need to do to participate?

Once you have identified a partner organisation, ARIIA staff will contact them to discuss their process, ensure they have an appropriate mentor and sign a standard agreement. They will receive support and funding from ARIIA as your partner.

## I want to participate, and I have an idea of an issue I'd like to address but I don't know who to approach.

Outline your issue in the application and we will reach out to our industry contacts to see if we can find you an appropriate match.

## What if I must travel interstate / a significant distance for the Knowledge Exchange Visit?

ARIIA can support the successful candidate with funding for travel and accommodation. See our [website](#) for more details.



## When will the Knowledge Exchange Visit take place?

The Knowledge Exchange Visit can start as early as February 2026 and must be completed by 30 April 2026.

## What happens after the Knowledge Exchange Visit?

You will take your new knowledge and embed change into your home organisation with support from ARIIA and share your learnings with others.