



# Nurse Practitioner Workforce Plan

## Implementation Advisory Group

### Meeting Communique 20 May 2024

The second meeting of the Nurse Practitioner Workforce Plan (Plan) Implementation Advisory Group (IAG) was held on 20 May 2024.

Members noted recent announcements in the 2024-25 Budget included supports for nurse practitioners that relate to implementation of the Plan.

Members were pleased to hear that the legislation to remove collaborative arrangements passed in the Senate on 16 May 2024.

The meeting included discussion on data and metrics for inclusion in a Monitoring and Evaluation Framework for the Plan. Members noted the importance of a Framework to track the success of the Plan and the effectiveness of its implementation. The Department is seeking to procure a consultant to support development of the Framework.

Members discussed progression of key priorities with a focus on First Nation NPs, supporting NPs, models-of-care, and improving awareness of NPs.

The next IAG meeting will take place September 2024, when the committee will consider the draft Monitoring and Evaluation Framework.