

Notification of Obsolete Policy Directive PD2007_093

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Summary This policy directive provides a framework for hepatitis C prevention, treatment, care and support, research and workforce development in NSW. This policy directive has been superseded by the NSW Hepatitis C Strategy 2014-2020. The new Strategy includes targets for increasing the number of people in NSW accessing hepatitis C treatment by 100 per cent (this target will be reviewed as new treatments become available) and reducing sharing of injecting equipment by people who inject drugs by 25 per cent.

Replaces Doc. No. Hepatitis C Strategy 2007-2009 [PD2007_093]

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Applies to Local Health Districts, Board Governed Statutory Health Corporations, Chief Executive Governed Statutory Health Corporations, Specialty Network Governed Statutory Health Corporations, Affiliated Health Organisations, Public Health System Support Division, Community Health Centres, Dental Schools and Clinics, Government Medical Officers, Ministry of Health, Private Hospitals and Day Procedure Centres, Public Health Units, Public Hospitals, NSW Health Pathology

Audience HIV/AIDS Program Managers and Hepatitis C Specialist Clinics

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PURPOSE

To advise the Health System that the policy directive PD2007_093 *NSW Hepatitis C Strategy 2007-2009* has been rescinded.

KEY INFORMATION

Policy directive PD2007_093 *NSW Hepatitis C Strategy 2007-2009* provided a framework for hepatitis C prevention, treatment, care, research and workforce development in NSW. This policy directive has been superseded by the *NSW Hepatitis C Strategy 2014-2020* which includes targets for increasing the number of people in NSW accessing hepatitis C treatment by 100 per cent (this target will be reviewed as new treatments become available) and reducing sharing of injecting equipment by people who inject drugs by 25 per cent.

PD2007_093 has been rescinded.

The new NSW Hepatitis C Strategy 2014-2020, as well as the first NSW Hepatitis B Strategy 2014-2020 are available at:

<http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/hepatitis/pages/default.aspx>