

First 2000 Days Implementation Strategy

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FIRST 2000 DAYS IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY

PURPOSE

The NSW Health First 2000 Days Framework Implementation Strategy is a strategic document which will guide NSW Health's implementation of NSW Health Policy Directive *The First 2000 Days Framework* ([PD2019_008](#)).

KEY INFORMATION

NSW Health Policy Directive *The First 2000 Days Framework* (PD2019_008) is a strategy document which outlines the importance of the first 2000 days in a child's life and what actions people within NSW Health need to take to ensure that all children have the best possible start in life.

The [NSW Health First 2000 Days Implementation Strategy](#) was developed to assist Local Health Districts and Specialty Health Networks in implementing the First 2000 Days Framework, including providing information to assist them in developing their local plans.

NSW Ministry of Health is supporting the implementation of the Framework. The Health and Social Policy Branch will monitor implementation through annual reports that will be requested from Local Health Districts and Specialty Health Networks about progress towards priorities from their local plans.