

PRIORITIES	ACTIONS	BENEFITS	Individuals and families	Communities schools & workplaces	Health services	Industry	Cwth, States & Local Government
Close the gap for disadvantaged communities	Commission research on effective strategies to address social determinants of alcohol consumption in Indigenous and low-income communities	State and territory governments develop tailored approaches and services to reach Indigenous and low-income groups		■			■
		Communities reinforce messages through funded innovative local activities	■	■			■
Strengthen, skill and support primary health care to help people in making healthy choices	Develop and disseminate information and training packages (with a focus on screening, effective brief interventions and appropriate referral pathways for health and welfare workers	All health professionals provide brief interventions to patients in primary health care settings about alcohol intake	■		■		■
Improve maternal and child health		Pregnant women receive screening, advice and targeted programs from trained health professionals in ante natal clinics	■		■		
		Individuals at risk from harmful drinking are identified and supported in changing their drinking behaviour	■				
Build the evidence base	Model safer patterns of alcohol consumption in different communities from changes to alcohol taxation arrangements and understanding of the impact of different types of alcohol outlets and their density on hospitalisation, violence and crime rates	Governments, health services, communities and local business have a relevant evidence base on which to develop programs and effective practices		■	■	■	■
	Collect and analyse nationally consistent data about alcohol outlet density and alcohol-related health and safety outcomes with a view to regulate alcohol outlet density	Alcohol Industry provides sales data to government to enable monitoring and evaluation of policies and programs				■	■

For more detail on preventative health reform and alcohol see **Technical Paper 3: Preventing alcohol-related harm: a window of opportunity:** www.preventativehealth.org.au