

Ahpra Board communiqué

July 2025

On Tuesday 15 July 2025, the [Ahpra Board](#) met in Melbourne. This communiqué highlights key discussions and considerations from the meeting.

The Chair acknowledged the Traditional Owners of the lands on which the meeting was being held and paid respect to their Elders, past and present.

CEO report

Members noted the CEO report highlighting the:

- Scheme Strategy development update
- updates to the Independent Accreditation Committee's work plan and priorities
- key health workforce updates

Strategic planning session – National Scheme strategic plan 2025-30

The session invited all Board members to envision success in 2030, reflecting on what achievements would be celebrated. A range of aspirations were shared, focusing on regulatory excellence, cultural safety (elimination of racism), system responsiveness, and equity. The session also explored a wide range of external and internal factors expected to shape the regulatory landscape over the coming years and identified several areas for improvement that should be prioritised in the upcoming strategy. An annual review of the strategy was recommended to ensure ongoing relevance and adaptability.

Business items

Members:

- endorsed the revised National Scheme Partnership Committee Charter
- noted the package on Recency of practice registration standards policy options for consideration by the National Scheme Partnership Committee
- noted and provided feedback about the proposed Statutory Appointments work plan and strategic priorities
- approved the National Board and committees attributes and capability framework for progression to jurisdictions for approval

Discussion items

Members received a detailed presentation from the Chief Technology Officer outlining the progress and planning for the upcoming medical practitioner renewal campaign, with a focus on digital transformation, system readiness, and user experience improvements.

Next meeting

The Ahpra Board will next meet face-to-face on Thursday 21 August 2025.