# PEOPLE MATTER 2016

NSW Public Sector Employee Survey

Nurse Nu

Family and Community Services

Multicultural NSW





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## **HEADLINES**

RESPONSE RATE

# >100%

117 RESPONSES OUT OF 53 EMPLOYEES

**RESPONSE RATE ABOVE 100%. SEE NOTES** 

ENGAGEMENT INDEX

68%

PMES 2016 SECTOR SCORE

65%

PMES 2014 SECTOR SCORE

65%

63%

PMES 2016 CLUSTER SCORE 6

#### ENGAGEMENT

Engaged employees have a sense of personal attachment to their work and organisation; they are motivated and able to give their best to help the organisation succeed.

The complete list of questions which are used to calculate the Engagement Index are listed in the All Questions pages.

#### **RESPONSE RATE**

Due to the size of the NSW public sector, even comparatively low levels of response to People Matter can be statistically representative and an accurate reflection of perceptions. Any parts of the sector where the response rate is too low for data to be fully reliable have been flagged in reports.

Some entities exceeded 100% where responses were greater than the employee headcount.

# **QUESTION HEADLINES**

# HIGHEST AGREEMENT SCORING QUESTIONS

2016 AGREEMENT %

1a.	I understand what is expected of me to do well in my role	97%
1d.	I feel I make a contribution to achieving the organisation's objectives	94%
1h.	I look for ways to perform my job more effectively	93%
1g.	My job gives me a feeling of personal accomplishment	91%
1b.	I have the tools I need to do my job effectively	87%
1i.	I feel motivated to contribute more than what is normally required at work	83%
1c.	I get the information I need to do my job well	83%
1j.	I am satisfied with my job at the present time	81%
8c.	Age is not a barrier to success in my organisation	80%
8b.	Cultural background is not a barrier to success in my organisation	80%

# B LOWEST AGREEMENT SCORING QUESTIONS

5q.	My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another organisation	24%
3c.	I have scheduled feedback conversations with my manager throughout the year	25%
5p.	My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another role	28%
5n.	My manager appropriately deals with employees who perform poorly	31%
3b.	I have informal feedback conversations with my manager throughout the year	34%
3d.	In the last 12 months I received useful feedback on my work to enable me to deliver required results	35%
За.	I have a current performance plan that sets out my individual objectives	36%
3k.	I would like to work in another agency within the NSW Public Sector during my career	36%
5b.	My manager encourages people in my workgroup to review policies and programs to see if they are achieving their aims	37%
50.	My manager ensures fair access to developmental opportunities for people in my workgroup	38%

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2016 AGREEMENT %

#### YOUR PEOPLE MATTER QUESTION RESULTS AT A GLANCE

These are your highest and lowest scoring questions from the survey, based on respondents who have selected 'Strongly Agree' and 'Agree'.

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#### EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS

This section shows results for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.

Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

	ENGAGEMENT	68%	RESPONS	E SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
S IS	Q7o. I would recommend my organisation as a great place to work	25	40	22 9	65%	54%	60%
	Q7p. I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation	36	37	21	73%	63%	68%
	Q7q. I feel a strong personal attachment to my organisation	30	34	20 12	64%	61%	64%
on J	Q7r. My organisation motivates me to help it achieve its objectives	23	38	25 9	60%	53%	55%
	Q7s. My organisation inspires me to do the best in my job	27	27	33	55%	53%	55%



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	ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	<b>87%</b> RESPONSE SCALE		AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
:s ns	Q1g. My job gives me a feeling of personal accomplishment	49	42	91%	75%	76%
	Q1h. I look for ways to perform my job more effectively	57	36	93%	95%	95%
	Q1i. I feel motivated to contribute more than what is normally required at work	45	38 <mark>10</mark>	83%	77%	76%
ion g	Q1j. I am satisfied with my job at the present time	32	49 <mark>12</mark>	81%	61%	63%



EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	SENIOR MANAGERS	<b>44%</b> RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q6a. I believe senior managers provide clear direction for the future of the organisation	<b>14</b> 32 41 9	46%	44%	47%
grouped by key themes.	Q6b. I feel that senior leaders effectively lead and manage change	<b>15</b> 30 <b>39 10</b>	45%	40%	43%
	Q6c. I feel that senior managers model the values of my organisation	<b>17</b> 24 44 9	<b>41</b> %	46%	48%
Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering	Q6d. Senior managers encourage innovation by employees	<b>12</b> 27 <b>41 12 7</b>	39%	44%	49%
positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and	Q6e. Senior managers promote collaboration between my organisation and others we work with	<b>13</b> 29 45 7	42%	55%	52%
Disagree) or those with a neutral response.	Q6f. Senior managers communicate the importance of customers in achieving our business objectives	<b>14</b> 30 45 7	44%	60%	60%
	Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	16 31 <u>34</u> 10 <mark>8</mark>	47%	41%	44%
Some key comparisons are provided.	Q6h. I feel that senior managers listen to employees	<b>12</b> 31 <u>36</u> 11 9	43%	36%	39%
	Q7f. I feel that change is handled well in my organisation	<b>15</b> 35 36 7	50%	33%	41%



<b>i</b> EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	COMMUNICATION	47%	<b>6</b> RESPC	ONSE SC.	ALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q5e. My manager communicates effectively with me	21	32	33	10	53%	73%	69%
grouped by key themes.	Q5f. My manager encourages and values employee input	20	28	38	8	48%	74%	69%
	Q5g. My manager involves my workgroup in decisions about our work	16	23	45	11	39%	68%	64%
Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering	Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	16	31	34	10 8	47%	41%	44%
positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and	Q6h. I feel that senior managers listen to employees	12	31	36	11 9	43%	36%	39%
Disagree) or those with a neutral response.	Q8h. I am able to speak up and share a different view to my colleagues and manager	13	40	36		53%	73%	69%



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	HIGH PERFORMANCE	61% RESPONSE SCALE			AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
is ns	Q1a. I understand what is expected of me to do well in my role		71	26	97%	89%	90%
10	Q1b. I have the tools I need to do my job effectively	5	3	34	87%	70%	70%
	Q1c. I get the information I need to do my job well	40		43 9	83%	65%	67%
ion g	Q1d. I feel I make a contribution to achieving the organisation's objectives		67	27	94%	86%	86%
9	Q1e. I feel I am able to suggest ideas to improve our way of doing things	20	37	27 8 9	56%	68%	69%
	Q2b. People in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	22	34	35	56%	71%	70%
	Q2c. My team works collaboratively to achieve its objectives	22	30	42	53%	79%	75%
re	Q2d. People in my workgroup have the appropriate skills to do the job well	22	40	32	61%	75%	76%
	Q3h. I have received appropriate training and development to do my job well	27	33	23 12	60%	57%	63%



EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	HIGH PERFORMANCE	<b>61%</b> RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q5a. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to improve the quality of what they do	18 28 44	47%	74%	72%
grouped by key themes.	Q5b. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to review policies and programs to see if they are achieving their aims	<b>13</b> 24 <b>50 11</b>	37%	64%	64%
	Q5c. My manager assigns work to people in my workgroup based on their skills and expertise	<b>15</b> 31 43 8	46%	66%	65%
Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering	Q5j. I have confidence in the decisions my line manager makes	<b>19</b> 32 35 9	51%	71%	67%
positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and	Q6d. Senior managers encourage innovation by employees	<b>12</b> 27 <b>41 12 7</b>	39%	44%	49%
Disagree) or those with a neutral response.	Q6e. Senior managers promote collaboration between my organisation and others we work with	<b>13</b> 29 <b>45 7</b>	42%	55%	52%
	Q7d. My organisation focuses on improving the work we do	<b>31</b> 39 <b>23</b>	69%	76%	76%
Some key comparisons are provided.	Q7e. My organisation is making the necessary improvements to meet our future challenges	25 31 35	56%	58%	62%
	Q7g. There is good co-operation between teams across our organisation	<b>14</b> 31 <b>45</b>	45%	46%	48%



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	HIGH PERFORMANCE	<b>61%</b> RESPONSE SCALE				AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
S S	Q7n. My organisation generally selects capable people to do the job	17	45	27	<b>'</b>	62%	46%	51%
	Q8g. People in my workgroup share diverse ideas to develop innovative solutions	14	38	41		53%	70%	67%
	Q8i. Diversity and inclusion in the workplace can contribute to better business outcomes	44	4	33	23	77%	89%	85%



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EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	56%	RESPON	SE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q2a. My workgroup strives to achieve customer/client satisfaction	29	40	27	69%	86%	85%
grouped by key themes.	Q2b. People in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	22	34	35	56%	71%	70%
	Q2g. People in my workgroup are honest, open and transparent in their dealings	22	36	35	58%	72%	67%
Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering	Q2h. People in my workgroup treat each other with respect	26	39	28	65%	76%	72%
positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and	Q2i. People in my workgroup treat customers/clients with respect	26	43	28	69%	86%	86%
Disagree) or those with a neutral response.	Q5a. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to improve the quality of what they do	18	28	44	47%	74%	72%
	Q5b. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to review policies and programs to see if they are achieving their aims	13 24	. 5	50 11	37%	64%	64%
Some key comparisons are provided.	Q5d. My manager listens to what I have to say	22	32	<mark>31</mark> 9	54%	77%	73%
	Q5i. My manager would take appropriate action if decision-making processes were found to be biased	16 2	28	45	44%	69%	64%



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EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	<b>56%</b> RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q5k. My manager treats employees with dignity and respect	27 32 28	60%	80%	76%
grouped by key themes.	Q5I. My manager talks to me about how the values apply to my work	14     25     42     12	39%	61%	58%
	Q6a. I believe senior managers provide clear direction for the future of the organisation	<b>14</b> 32 <b>41</b> 9	46%	44%	47%
Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering	Q6c. I feel that senior managers model the values of my organisation	<b>17</b> 24 44 9	41%	46%	48%
positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and	Q6f. Senior managers communicate the importance of customers in achieving our business objectives	14 30 45 7	44%	60%	60%
Disagree) or those with a neutral response.	Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	16 31 34 10 <mark>8</mark>	47%	41%	44%
	Q6h. I feel that senior managers listen to employees	<b>12</b> 31 <u>36</u> 11 9	43%	36%	39%
Some key comparisons are provided.	Q7a. My organisation provides high quality services	<b>34</b> 44 <mark>18</mark>	78%	75%	80%
	Q7b. My organisation strives to match services to customer/client needs	35 43 16	78%	80%	80%
	Q7a. My organisation provides high quality services Q7b. My organisation strives to match services to customer/client	34 44 18	78%	75%	80%



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Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

	PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	56%	<b>56%</b> RESPONSE SCALE		AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
5 S	Q7c. My organisation strives to earn and sustain a high level of public trust	41	3	36 20	77%	78%	83%
	Q7d. My organisation focuses on improving the work we do	31	39	23	69%	76%	76%
	Q7h. People in my organisation take responsibility for their own actions	15	36	38	51%	44%	48%
on	Q7i. My organisation provides procedures and systems that ensure employees avoid conflicts of interest	20	37	38	57%	65%	63%



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This section shows results for all the survey question grouped by key themes.

Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

L	DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	55%	∕₀ res	PONSE SCA	LE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
ults ions	Q1f. I am provided with the support I need to optimise my contribution at work	21	42	20	12	62%	60%	59%
5.	Q5d. My manager listens to what I have to say	22	32	31	9	54%	77%	73%
	Q5f. My manager encourages and values employee input	20	28	38	8	48%	74%	69%
ortion ing	Q5h. My manager takes into account the differing needs and circumstances of employees when making decisions	18	21	47	9	40%	69%	65%
ee	Q5i. My manager would take appropriate action if decision-making processes were found to be biased	16	28	45		44%	69%	64%
а	Q6i. Senior managers in my organisation genuinely support the career advancement of women	13	28	47		41%	53%	54%
	Q8a. My organisation respects individual differences (e.g cultures, working styles, backgrounds, ideas)	38	8	32 2	2 8	70%	76%	75%
are	Q8g. People in my workgroup share diverse ideas to develop innovative solutions	14	38	41		53%	70%	67%
	Q8h. I am able to speak up and share a different view to my colleagues and manager	13	40	36		53%	73%	69%



i	DIVERSITY & INCLUSION 55% RI		55% RESPONSE SCALE		AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS				AGREEMENT %	FAMILY A	
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q8i. Diversity and inclusion in the workplace can contribute to better business outcomes	44	33 23	77%	89%	85%
grouped by key themes.	Q8j. How satisfied are you with your ability to access and use flexible working arrangements? Response scale Very satisfied - Very unsatisfied	33	32 26	64%	67%	58%

Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.



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Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

	RECRUITMENT	<b>53%</b> RESPONSE SCALE		AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR	
s S	Q7I. My organisation's processes for recruiting employees are efficient	9	38	42 8	46%	30%	33%
	Q7m. Recruitment and promotion decisions in this organisation are generally fair	9	43	41	52%	36%	41%
	Q7n. My organisation generally selects capable people to do the job	17	45	27	62%	46%	51%



<b>i</b>	EMPLOYEE VALUE PROPOSITION	32%	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
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This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q5p. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another role	12 16	59	28%	65%	60%
grouped by key themes.	Q5q. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another organisation	12 12	65	24%	59%	53%
	Q7g. There is good co-operation between teams across our organisation	14 3	1 45	45%	46%	48%
Graphs show the proportion						

of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.



EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK & DEVELOPMENT	<b>42%</b> RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q3a. I have a current performance plan that sets out my individual objectives	<b>12</b> 25 40 16 7	36%	40%	62%
grouped by key themes.	Q3b. I have informal feedback conversations with my manager throughout the year	7 26 <u>35</u> 17 14	34%	72%	70%
	Q3c. I have scheduled feedback conversations with my manager throughout the year	19 <u>35</u> 24 15	25%	57%	58%
Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering	Q3d. In the last 12 months I received useful feedback on my work to enable me to deliver required results	7 27 <u>30</u> 20 15	35%	61%	59%
positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and	Q3e. My performance is assessed against clear criteria	13 29 <u>38</u> 10 10	42%	42%	53%
Disagree) or those with a neutral response.	Q3f. I feel I can have open, honest conversations with my manager about the quality of work required	<b>17</b> 37 <b>28 9 8</b>	54%	75%	71%
	Q3g. I am able to access the right learning and development opportunities as required	<b>18</b> 39 31 7	57%	54%	60%
Some key comparisons are provided.	Q3h. I have received appropriate training and development to do my job well	27 33 23 12	60%	57%	63%
	Q3i. I have a strong desire to advance my career	<b>33</b> 38 26	71%	72%	69%



EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK & DEVELOPMENT	<b>42%</b> RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q3j. I am satisfied with the opportunities available for career development in my organisation	<b>12</b> 27 <b>40 15</b>	39%	41%	45%
grouped by key themes.	Q3k. I would like to work in another agency within the NSW Public Sector during my career	20 16 40 16 <b>7</b>	36%	57%	41%
	Q5m. My manager provides acknowledgement or other recognition for the work I do	<b>17</b> 26 <b>37</b> 8 <b>12</b>	43%	72%	67%
Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering	Q5n. My manager appropriately deals with employees who perform poorly	<b>11</b> 20 <b>58</b>	31%	43%	44%
positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and	Q5o. My manager ensures fair access to developmental opportunities for people in my workgroup	<b>13</b> 25 <b>50</b>	38%	63%	62%
Disagree) or those with a neutral response.	Q5p. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another role	<b>12</b> 16 <b>59</b>	28%	65%	60%
	Q5q. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another organisation	12 12 65	24%	59%	53%
Some key comparisons are provided.	Q7j. My organisation is committed to developing its employees	14     37     36     7	51%	49%	53%



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Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

	MOBILITY	<b>29%</b> RES	SPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
lts ons	Q3k. I would like to work in another agency within the NSW Public Sector during my career	20 16	40 16 7	36%	57%	41%
	Q5p. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another role	12 16	59	28%	65%	60%
	Q5q. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another organisation	12 12	65	24%	59%	53%



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Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

	PAY & BENEFITS	61% RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
ts ns	Q4a. I am paid fairly for the work I do	25 45 14 10 7	69%	72%	60%
	Q4b. I am satisfied with my total benefits package (incl. superannuation, leave entitlements etc)	<b>18</b> 35 <b>23 14 11</b>	53%	69%	60%



EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	DIVERSITY GROUPS	73%	RESPONSE	SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q8b. Cultural background is not a barrier to success in my organisation	47	33	18	80%	78%	77%
grouped by key themes.	Q8c. Age is not a barrier to success in my organisation	41	39	17	80%	73%	71%
	Q8d. Disability is not a barrier to success in my organisation	27	33	36	60%	72%	67%
Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering	Q8e. Sexual orientation is not a barrier to success in my organisation	33	32	31	66%	80%	76%
positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and	Q8f. Gender is not a barrier to success in my organisation	37	40	22	77%	78%	74%

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	WORKPLACE SUPPORT	61%	6 RESPON	SE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
S S	Q1f. I am provided with the support I need to optimise my contribution at work	21	42	20 12	62%	60%	59%
	Q1k. I am able to keep my work stress at an acceptable level	26	53	<mark>11</mark> 9	79%	60%	58%
	Q1I. My workload is acceptable	26	45	19	72%	56%	55%
on	Q2e. I receive help and support from other members of my workgroup	18	37	31 9	55%	82%	80%
	Q2f. There is good team spirit in my workgroup	21	28	38 8	49%	69%	67%
	Q7k. My organisation offers practical employment arrangements and conditions to help employees achieve a work-life balance	13	30	46	43%	58%	56%



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LL S	ACTION ABOUT SURVEY RESULTS	49%	RESP	ONSE SCA	LE	AGREEMENT %	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
esults	Q15. I believe action will be taken on the results from this survey by my organisation	14	35	34	89	49%	33%	32%



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his section shows results r all the survey questions	Q7i. My organisation provides procedures and systems that ensure employees avoid conflicts of interest	20	37	38	57%	65%	63%
ouped by key themes.	Q9b. I have confidence in the ways my organisation resolves grievances	21	26	41 8	47%	38%	43%
	Q9c. I am confident that I would be protected from reprisal for reporting misconduct/wrongdoing	21	30	40	51%	45%	49%

Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

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EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	MOTIVATION TO STAY	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q13. What factors would motivate you to stay in the NSW public sector	?			
grouped by key themes.	More interesting and challenging work		62%	53%	46%
	Better skills in my workgroup		23%	29%	27%
	Improved career opportunities		42%	59%	52%
	Improved learning and development opportunities		44%	56%	50%
Some key comparisons are	Greater involvement in decision making		31%	37%	33%
provided.	Better pay and benefits		70%	52%	58%
	Greater recognition for the work I do		57%	45%	45%
	Better leadership from senior managers		29%	42%	39%

EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	MOTIVATION TO STAY	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q13. What factors would motivate you to stay in the NSW public	c sector?			
grouped by key themes.	Better leadership from my manager		27%	28%	27%
	Better accountability for performance		31%	30%	25%
	A better location		19%	24%	20%
	More flexible working conditions		40%	41%	38%
Some key comparisons are	Better work/life balance		30%	47%	46%
provided.	Improved facilities		20%	21%	30%
	Improved technology and systems		32%	36%	38%
	Better job security		43%	56%	43%

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#### EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS

This section shows results for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.

WORKPLACE CONDUCT	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
Q9a. In the last 12 months I have read or referred to my organ	nisation's code of conduct			
Yes		69%	68%	72%
No		21%	28%	24%
Don't Know		10%	4%	4%

EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q10a. In the last 12 months I have witnessed misconduct/wrongdoin	g at work			
for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.	Yes		17%	27%	25%
	No		60%	62%	64%
	Don't Know		22%	11%	11%
	Q10b. Have you reported the misconduct/wrongdoing you witnessed	in the last 12 months?			
Some key comparisons are	Yes		38%	69%	63%
provided.	No		54%	30%	35%
	Don't Know		8%	1%	2%

EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR
This section shows results for all the survey questions	Q10c. In the last 12 months I have witnessed bullying at work				
for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.	Yes		9%	37%	35%
	No		75%	57%	58%
	Don't Know		16%	7%	7%
	Q10d. In the last 12 months I have been the subjected to bullying	at work			
Some key comparisons are	Yes		9%	20%	20%
provided.	No		84%	75%	75%
	Don't Know		7%	5%	5%

EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS	UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES	SECTOR						
This section shows results for all the survey questions	<b>Q10e.</b> Please indicate the role of the person who has been the s subjected to in the last 12 months.	source of the most serious bullying you have been	f the most serious bullying you have been								
grouped by key themes.	A senior manager	The data for this question has been hidden	for anonymity re	asons.							
	Your Immediate Manager/Supervisor	The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.									
	A fellow worker at your level	The data for this question has been hidden	for anonymity re	asons.							
	Other	The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.									
Some key comparisons are provided.	Prefer not to say	The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.									

<b>EXPLORE THE FULL</b>	
SURVEY RESULTS	

This section shows results for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.

Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

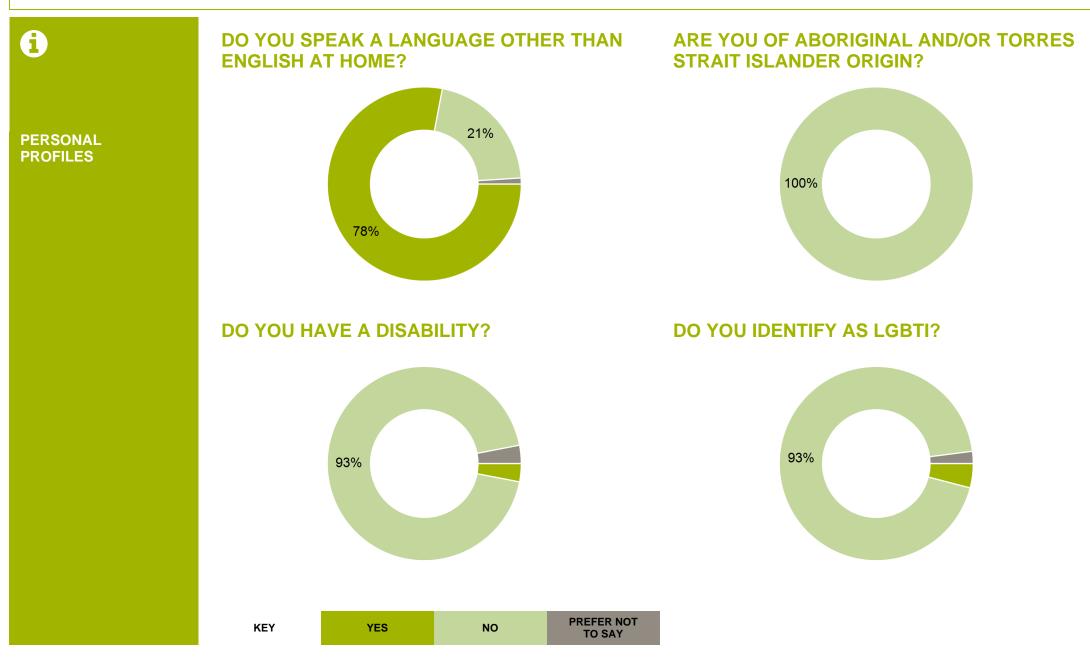
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esults stions	Q1. I apply my knowledge and skills to provide quality customer/client service	59		34	93%	98%
es.	Q2. I support customers/clients to provide feedback on the services they receive	40	30	29	70%	90%
	Q3. I listen attentively to my customers/clients to understand their needs	43	36	21	78%	97%
oportion vering	Q4. The client service that I provide empowers clients to access the services that they need	39	34	26	74%	87%
gree y id	Q5. The client service that I provide supports clients to achieve positive outcomes	39	39	22	78%	89%
th a	Q6. I am aware of the recent reforms to the way FACS delivers its services	18 20	41	13 8	38%	78%
	Q7. Senior managers have clearly communicated the intent of these reforms	11 18	45	13 13	29%	51%
ns are	Q8. I believe the recent reforms will improve the way FACS delivers its services	9 24	56		33%	39%
	Q9. I identify as an employee of FACS more than an employee of Ageing & Disability, Community Services, Housing, Land & Housing Corporation, Aboriginal Housing Office, or Other	12 15	50	14 8	27%	51%
	Q10. My work involves supporting older people or people with a disability and I have a full understanding of what transfer and transition to the NDIS means.	11 12	46	17 13	23%	35%

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<b>i</b>		RESPONSE SCALE	PERCENTAGE%
PERSONAL PROFILES	Gender		
	Male		44%
	Female		56%
	Age		
	<35		2%
	35 - 54		33%
	> 54		64%

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#### WORK PROFILES

TENURE IN ORGANISATION RESPONSE SCAL	E BERCENTAGE%
Less than 1 year	8%
2 - 5 years	9%
5 - 10 years	28%
10 - 20 years	25%
More than 20 years	30%

#### WORK PROFILES

TYPE OF WORK RESPONSE SCALE	PERCENTAGE%
Service delivery involving direct contact with the general public	<b>41</b> %
Other service delivery work	10%
Administrative support	3%
Corporate services	6%
Policy	3%
Program and project management support	1%
Legal (including developing and/or reviewing legislation)	1%
Other	34%

<b>i</b> WORK PROFILES	SALARY	Less than \$35,000	\$35,000 - \$44,999	\$45,000 - \$54,999	\$55,000 - \$64,999	\$65,000 - \$74,999	\$75,000 - \$84,999	\$85,000 - \$94,999	\$95,000 - \$109,999	\$110,000 - \$139,999	\$170,000 - \$229,999	\$230,000 or more	Prefer not to say
	PERCENTAGES	46%	1%	6%	7%	7%	6%	3%	7%	2%	2%	2%	11%

# **RESULTS BY TYPE OF WORK**

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ingagement score ghted. It cannot mpared with other s which are the	NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	117	37	9	3	5	3	0			31
	ENGAGEMENT	68%	70%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	71%
ge of % agreement s for all questions h group.	SENIOR MANAGERS	44%	43%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	39%
ar group.	COMMUNICATION	47%	44%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	38%
ances have been	HIGH PERFORMANCE	61%	61%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	55%
ences have been ghted where they or more % points e or below the s in the first in.	PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	56%	56%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	52%
	DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	55%	54%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	49%

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# **RESULTS BY SALARY**

EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES		Multicultural NSW	Less than \$35,000	\$35,000 - \$44,999	\$45,000 - \$54,999	\$55,000 - \$64,999	\$65,000 - \$74,999	\$75,000 - \$84,999	\$85,000 - \$94,999	\$95,000 - \$109,999	\$110,000 - \$139,999	\$140,000 - \$169,999	\$170,000 - \$229,999	\$230,000 or more	Prefer not to say
The Engagement score	NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	117	41	1	5	6	6	5	3	6	2	0	2	2	10
is weighted. It cannot be compared with other scores which are the	ENGAGEMENT	68%	66%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)						
average of % agreement results for all questions in each group.	SENIOR MANAGERS	44%	36%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)						
in cach group.	COMMUNICATION	47%	37%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)						
Differences have been	HIGH PERFORMANCE	61%	55%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)						
highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.	PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	56%	50%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)						
	<b>DIVERSITY &amp; INCLUSION</b>	55%	47%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)						

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# **RESULTS BY TENURE IN ORGANISATION**

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**OFF LIMIT OF 30 RESPONDENTS** 

<b>i</b>		NSW	1 year	years	years	ars	20 years	0 years	
EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES		Multicultural NSW	Less than 1 year	1 - 2 ye	2 - 5 ye	5 - 10 years	10 - 20 y	More than 20 years	
The Engagement score is weighted. It cannot be compared with other scores which are the	NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	117	7	0	8	25	22	26	
	ENGAGEMENT	68%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	
average of % agreement results for all questions in each group.	SENIOR MANAGERS	44%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	
oden group	COMMUNICATION	47%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	
Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.	HIGH PERFORMANCE	61%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	
	PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	56%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	
	<b>DIVERSITY &amp; INCLUSION</b>	55%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	

AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS

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## **RESULTS BY AGE**

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#### EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

The Engagement score is weighted. It cannot be compared with other scores which are the average of % agreement results for all questions in each group.

Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.

		Multicultural NSW	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 -29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 - 44	45 - 49	50 - 54	55 - 59	60 - 64	65+
	NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	117	0	0	0	2	5	4	12	9	14	17	27
	ENGAGEMENT	68%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
t	SENIOR MANAGERS	44%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
	COMMUNICATION	47%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
	HIGH PERFORMANCE	61%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
	PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	56%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
	DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	55%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)

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## **RESULTS BY GENDER**

EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

The Engagement score is weighted. It cannot be compared with other scores which are the average of % agreement results for all questions in each group.

Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.

	Multicultural NSW	Male	Female	Other
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	117	40	50	0
ENGAGEMENT	68%	72%	67%	(r)
SENIOR MANAGERS	44%	45%	43%	(r)
COMMUNICATION	47%	45%	47%	(r)
HIGH PERFORMANCE	61%	63%	58%	(r)
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	56%	57%	54%	(r)
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	55%	56%	52%	(r)

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# **TAKING ACTION**

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#### WHAT'S NEXT?

Sector employees have now given their feedback and these results show where actions and improvements are required.

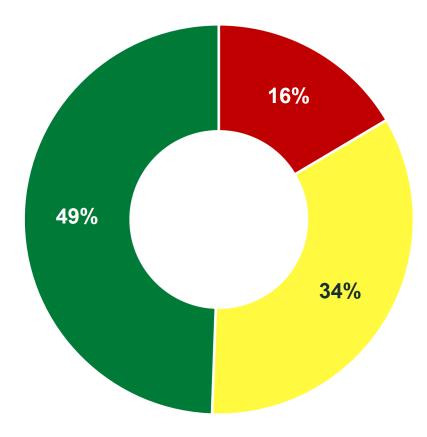
Research has shown that a key reason why employees can become disengaged is if they are asked their opinion and then no action takes place as a result.



of employees replied favourably to:

'I believe action will be taken on the results from this survey by my organisation.'





Agreement Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagreement
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## **GUIDE TO THIS REPORT**

#### **i** ANONYMITY RULES

Responses from individual employees are confidential and strict rules are in place to safeguard privacy at every stage of the survey process.

There is no way of tracing individuals in reports or through the de-identified survey data. There are limits on the size of workgroups that can be reported (10 or more employees) and responses from demographic groups (30 or more employees). Where people work in small teams, the results are merged with larger business units and results are not available. Where this happens an 'r' is shown in reports.

#### HOW TO READ THIS REPORT

The majority of questions have a 5-point answer scale. In reports, the Strongly Agree and Agree scores are combined to create an agreement (or positive) score which is shown as a rounded percentage.

Previous surveys had a 4-point answer scale, which means that comparisons are limited for this year only. Some scales, such as those used for the Engagement Index, are unchanged.

Strongly Agree	Agree	Nei Agre Disa	e nor	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
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#### HOW THE DRIVERS AND INFLUENCERS ARE DERIVED

ORC International employs SPSS software to fully interrogate the results and perform appropriate calculations. Our statisticians need a minimum of **30 responses** from a team to perform the analysis to determine the top influences of engagement, leadership and other key question groups.

Statistical techniques applied for this analysis include **Factor Analysis** which identifies patterns in data and allows the statistician to assess whether the attitude questions are measuring the same underlying theme or characteristic.

**Regression Analysis** then involves building a statistical model based on research that employee engagement is affected by various elements of the workplace such as line manager, learning & development, reward and recognition, job role, etc. This analysis assigns importance weights to the attributes that have been measured. It relies on certain assumptions, one of which is that the variables used in the model should, by definition, not be strongly related to each other. The outcome of these techniques is a list of questions which we can say have the highest association with the engagement index, or more simply, are the most significant influencers of employee engagement

#### ROUNDING

Results are presented as whole numbers for ease of reading, with rounding performed at the last stage of the calculation for maximum accuracy.

Values from .00 to .49 are rounded down, whereas values from .50 to .99 are rounded up. Therefore, in some instances the data will not add up to 100%. Example below:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Total
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	151	166	176	96	24	613
PERCENTAGE	24.63%	27.08%	28.71%	15.66%	3.92%	100%
ROUNDED PERCENTAGE	25%	27%	29%	16%	4%	101%