# PEOPLE MATTER 2018

**NSW Public Sector Employee Survey** 

Teacher Accountant Police Officer Librarian Doctor Policy Analyst Surveyor Scientist Barrister Solicitor Social Worker Welfare Worker Laboratory Technician Turner Plumber Electrician Zookeeper Cleaner Ambulance Officer Fitter Youth Worker Hospital Orderly Cleaner Fire Fighter Clerk PEOPLE Envisor Ship's Engineer

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Teacher Nurse Librarian Advisor

**CLUSTER REPORT** 

Health



### **HEADLINES**

RESPONSE RATE

46%

65,677 OF 143,631 RESPONDENTS

### EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT

65%

DIFFERENCE FROM 2017

DIFFERENCE FROM PUBLIC SECTOR

+1

### **ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK**

73%

DIFFERENCE FROM +1

DIFFERENCE FROM +1

### SENIOR MANAGERS

46%

DIFFERENCE FROM 2017 +1

DIFFERENCE FROM PUBLIC SECTOR -3

#### COMMUNICATION

**59%** 

DIFFERENCE FROM +2

DIFFERENCE FROM PUBLIC SECTOR -2

#### HIGH PERFORMANCE

64%

DIFFERENCE FROM +1

DIFFERENCE FROM PUBLIC SECTOR 0

### PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES

60%

DIFFERENCE FROM 2017 +1

DIFFERENCE FROM PUBLIC SECTOR -2

### DIVERSITY & INCLUSION

66%

DIFFERENCE FROM PUBLIC SECTOR -2

### FLEXIBLE WORKING SATISFACTION

58%

DIFFERENCE FROM 2017 +3
DIFFERENCE FROM PUBLIC SECTOR -1

### ACTION ON RESULTS

36%

DIFFERENCE FROM +1

DIFFERENCE FROM PUBLIC SECTOR 0

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QUESTIONS ARE GROUPED INTO TOPICS IN THIS REPORT.

This page compares the aggregate or individual scores for key topics. The individual questions in each group are listed in the All Questions section.

The Employee Engagement index is weighted. It cannot be compared to the other scores which are the average of the % agreement results (strongly agree and agree scores).

Response Rate: some entities exceed 100% where responses were greater than the employee headcount. This is thought to be primarily due to employees selecting the wrong work location in the survey

### **HIGHEST AND LOWEST QUESTIONS**

36%

39%

40%

41%

42%

44%

44%

46%

46%

47%

•	HIGHEST SCORING AGREEMENT QUESTIONS	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	•	LOWEST SCORING AGREEMENT QUESTIONS
1a.	I understand what is expected of me to do well in my role	92%	91%	14.	I believe action will be taken on the results from this survey by my organisation
1g.	I know how to address a health and safety issue I have identified	88%	-	7g.	I have confidence in the way recruitment decisions are made
2a.	My workgroup strives to achieve customer/client satisfaction	87%	86%	6h.	I feel that senior managers listen to employees
2c.	I receive help and support from other members of my workgroup	80%	79%	9a.	I have confidence in the ways my organisation resolves grievances
2b.	My workgroup works collaboratively to achieve its objectives	79%	77%	7c.	I feel that change is managed well in my organisation
1c.	My job gives me a feeling of personal accomplishment	77%	76%	6b.	I feel that senior managers effectively lead and manage change
8b.	Personal background is not a barrier to success in my organisation (e.g. cultural background, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender etc.)	75%	73%	6g.	I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on
8a.	My organisation respects individual differences (e.g. cultures, working styles, backgrounds, ideas)	74%	72%	5h.	My manager appropriately deals with employees who perform poorly
5b.	My manager listens to what I have to say	73%	71%	6a.	I believe senior managers provide clear direction for the future of the organisation
1d.	I feel motivated to contribute more than what is normally required at work	72%	72%	6c.	I feel that senior managers model the values of my organisation
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AGREEMENT 2017

35%

38%

38%

37%

41%

43%

42%

44%

45%

45%

## YOUR PEOPLE MATTER QUESTION RESULTS AT A GLANCE

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

### MOST AND LEAST IMPROVED QUESTIONS

<b>+</b>	MOST IMPROVED AGREEMENT QUESTIONS	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017
9a.	I have confidence in the ways my organisation resolves grievances	41%	37%
8d.	How satisfied are you with your ability to access and use flexible working arrangements?	58%	55%
6h.	I feel that senior managers listen to employees	40%	38%
3e.	My performance is assessed against clear criteria	60%	57%
5h.	My manager appropriately deals with employees who perform poorly	46%	44%
5e.	My manager involves my workgroup in decisions about our work	65%	63%
3f.	I have received appropriate training and development to do my job well	70%	68%
7I.	My organisation motivates me to help it achieve its objectives	54%	52%
7f.	My organisation is committed to developing its employees	51%	49%
6g.	I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	44%	42%

•	LEAST IMPROVED AGREEMENT	AGREEMENT	AGREEMENT
	QUESTIONS	2018	2017
4a.	I am paid fairly for the work I do	54%	55%



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

These are the questions that have shown the greatest percentage increase and decrease in agreement, based on respondents who have selected 'Strongly agree' and 'Agree'.

### HIGHEST NEUTRAL SCORING QUESTIONS

AGREEMENT SCORES FOR HIGHEST NEUTRAL	% POSITIVE	HIGHEST NEUTRAL SCORING QUESTIONS	% NEUTRAL	DISAGREEMENT SCORI
<b>Q6i.</b> Senior managers in my organisation support the career advancement of women		<b>Q6i.</b> Senior managers in my organisation support the career advancement of women		<b>Q6i.</b> Senior managers in my organisa the career advancement of women
	<b>54</b> %		<b>34</b> %	
<b>Q14.</b> I believe action will be taken on the results from this survey by my organisation		<b>Q14.</b> I believe action will be taken on the results from this survey by my organisation		<b>Q14.</b> I believe action will be taken on from this survey by my organisation
	<b>36</b> %		<b>34</b> %	
<b>Q6e.</b> Senior managers promote collaboration between my organisation and other organisations we work with		<b>Q6e.</b> Senior managers promote collaboration between my organisation and other organisations we work with		<b>Q6e.</b> Senior managers promote collabetween my organisation and other we work with
	48%		<b>33</b> %	
<b>Q9a.</b> I have confidence in the ways my organisation resolves grievances		<b>Q9a.</b> I have confidence in the ways my organisation resolves grievances		<b>Q9a.</b> I have confidence in the ways norganisation resolves grievances
	41%		<b>32</b> %	
<b>Q11.</b> Overall, I believe the culture at my workplace has improved in the last 12 months		<b>Q11.</b> Overall, I believe the culture at my workplace has improved in the last 12 months		<b>Q11.</b> Overall, I believe the culture at r has improved in the last 12 months
	44%		<b>32</b> %	

#### NT SCORES % **NEUTRAL NEGATIVE** in my organisation support nt of women 12% ill be taken on the results organisation **30**% promote collaboration ion and other organisations 19% in the ways my rievances 27% he culture at my workplace

#### **FIND YOUR HIGHEST NEUTRAL SCORES**

THESE ARE YOUR HIGHEST NEUTRAL SCORING QUESTIONS

- WHAT ARE EMPLOYEES MOST POSITIVE ABOUT? (STRENGTHS)

- WHAT ARE EMPLOYEES MOST NEUTRAL ABOUT? WHERE A LOT OF EMPLOYEES ARE RESPONDING 'NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE' (% NEUTRAL), THIS MAY INDICATE MIXED VIEWS OR INCONSISTENT EXPERIENCES.

- WHAT ARE EMPLOYEES MOST **NEGATIVE ABOUT?** (AREAS OF CONCERN)

**25**%

(AREAS OF POTENTIAL)

### **TAKING ACTION**



#### **WHAT'S NEXT?**

Sector employees have 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:

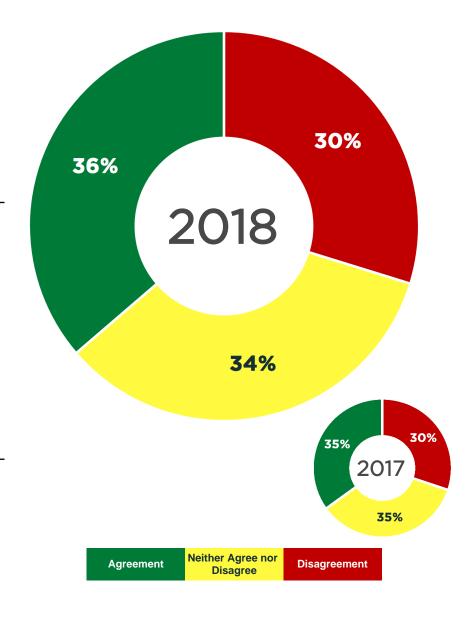
'I believe action will be taken on the results from this survey by my organisation.'

37%

**SECTOR** 

35%

2017



### **KEY DRIVERS OF ENGAGEMENT**



Employee Engagement scores at different levels are shown in earlier and following pages.

These results show the issues that are the most significant influencers of employee engagement in the workplace at this level.

The questions are ranked in order of influence. In prioritising areas for action, it is common to focus on items with a low agreement score but higher in the ranked list of drivers, as they have higher impact. Variation of drivers within the organisation and business priorities should be considered.

If Engagement scores are high, other scores are often high as well.

RAI	NK	% AGREEMENT 2018	% AGREEMENT 2017	% AGREEMENT PUBLIC SECTOR
1	<b>Q7f.</b> My organisation is committed to developing its employees	<b>51</b> %	49%	52%
2	Q7c. I feel that change is managed well in my organisation	42%	41%	40%
3	Q7a. My organisation focuses on improving the work we do	68%	67%	69%
4	<b>Q7b.</b> My organisation is making the necessary improvements to meet our future challenges	56%	55%	57%
5	<b>Q3g.</b> I am satisfied with the opportunities available for career development in my organisation	<b>53</b> %	51%	50%
6	Q1b. I am provided with the support I need to do my best at work	66%	64%	65%

### **CLUSTER COMPARISON**



### COMPARISON OF CLUSTERS

This page compares key question group scores for Health

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	NSW Public Sector	Health	Education	Family and Community Services	Finance and Services	Industry	Justice	Planning and Environment	Premier and Cabinet	Transport	Treasury
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	170832	65677	35880	6894	8481	5238	15510	6680	950	19869	734
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	65%	68%	62%	66%	67%	62%	69%	71%	64%	70%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	72%	73%	74%	70%	72%	73%	66%	74%	75%	70%	77%
SENIOR MANAGERS	49%	46%	56%	47%	55%	55%	40%	50%	63%	46%	61%
COMMUNICATION	61%	59%	64%	62%	67%	68%	54%	66%	73%	61%	73%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	64%	68%	63%	68%	68%	56%	66%	74%	61%	73%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	62%	60%	67%	62%	68%	68%	53%	65%	74%	60%	73%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	68%	66%	67%	71%	74%	77%	63%	75%	79%	69%	80%

KEY

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AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS LESS THAN REPORT SCORE

### **AGENCY COMPARISON**



#### COMPARISON OF LOWER LEVEL BUSINESS UNITS

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	Health	Agency for Clinical Innovation	Bureau of Health Information	Cancer Institute NSW	Central Coast Local Health District	Clinical Excellence Commission	eHealth NSW	Far West Local Health District	Health Education & Training Institute	Health Infrastructure	Health Professional Councils Authority	HealthShare NSW	Hunter New England Local Health District	NSW Ambulance
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	127	34	273	2767	93	1001	551	172	174	103	4907	8221	2468
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	64%	73%	65%	65%	65%	70%	69%	65%	75%	66%	67%	64%	61%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	69%	75%	66%	72%	68%	75%	78%	78%	83%	71%	76%	72%	69%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	58%	68%	46%	44%	59%	61%	51%	55%	66%	57%	59%	44%	31%
COMMUNICATION	59%	66%	75%	59%	58%	69%	71%	62%	69%	73%	68%	66%	57%	49%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	70%	78%	62%	63%	69%	70%	68%	70%	75%	70%	70%	63%	51%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	67%	75%	60%	58%	68%	71%	63%	69%	76%	69%	66%	58%	49%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	71%	80%	61%	65%	71%	76%	71%	77%	77%	72%	72%	66%	57%

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	Health	Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District	Justice Health & Forensic Mental Health Network	Mental Health Commission	Mid North Coast Local Health District	Ministry of Health	Murrumbidgee Local Health District	Nepean Blue Mountains Local Health District	Northern NSW Local Health District	Northern Sydney Local Health District	NSW Health Pathology	South Eastern Sydney Local Health District	South Western Sydney Local Health District	Southern NSW Local Health District
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	3468	608	37	2172	1049	2674	1807	2175	4068	1661	3249	5265	1982
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	63%	61%	64%	60%	69%	65%	58%	59%	69%	61%	66%	66%	68%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	72%	69%	62%	68%	76%	76%	65%	70%	76%	69%	74%	75%	77%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	44%	40%	32%	36%	62%	46%	35%	32%	50%	42%	50%	52%	46%
COMMUNICATION	59%	59%	57%	53%	51%	72%	59%	52%	51%	63%	55%	62%	63%	62%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	63%	59%	55%	56%	72%	64%	57%	56%	68%	59%	67%	67%	65%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	58%	53%	47%	51%	73%	59%	52%	51%	64%	55%	62%	63%	61%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	66%	62%	59%	60%	74%	68%	61%	59%	69%	63%	67%	68%	70%

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	Health	Sydney Children's Hospitals Network	Sydney Local Health District	Western NSW Local Health District	Western Sydney Local Health District
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	1995	4676	3920	3980
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	71%	66%	66%	59%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	76%	73%	76%	69%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	46%	49%	51%	37%
COMMUNICATION	59%	61%	60%	61%	53%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	67%	66%	66%	58%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	62%	61%	61%	52%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	69%	66%	68%	60%

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EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	AGGREG	GATE SCOR	M AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q7i. I would recommend my organisation as a great place to work	18	43	25 9	61%	59%	61%
Q7j. I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation	23	45	22	69%	67%	69%
Q7k. I feel a strong personal attachment to my organisation	21	40	25 8	62%	61%	63%
Q7I. My organisation motivates me to help it achieve its objectives	16	38	29 11	54%	52%	55%
Q7m. My organisation inspires me to do the best in my job	17	37	28 11	55%	53%	55%









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ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	AGGREGA <sup>-</sup>	TE SCORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q1c. My job gives me a feeling of personal accomplishment	29	48	13	77%	76%	76%
Q1d. I feel motivated to contribute more than what is normally required at work	30	42	16 9	72%	72%	72%
Q1e. I am satisfied with my job	23	47	17 9	70%	68%	69%











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SENIOR MANAGERS	46	<b>%</b> AG0	GREGAT	E SCORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q6a. I believe senior managers provide clear direction for the future of the organisation	13	34	29	15 10	46%	45%	49%
Q6b. I feel that senior managers effectively lead and manage change	12	32	29	16 11	44%	43%	46%
Q6c. I feel that senior managers model the values of my organisation	13	33	29	13 11	47%	45%	50%
Q6d. Senior managers encourage innovation by employees	12	35	31	14 8	47%	46%	50%
Q6e. Senior managers promote collaboration between my organisation and other organisations we work with	12	36	33	11 7	48%	47%	52%
Q6f. Senior managers communicate the importance of customers/clients in achieving our business objectives	15	42	2	10	57%	56%	62%
Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	11	33	27	17 12	44%	42%	47%
Q6h. I feel that senior managers listen to employees	11	29	29	17 14	40%	38%	43%
Q7c. I feel that change is managed well in my organisation	10	32	30	19 9	42%	41%	40%







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COMMUNICATION	59% AGGREGATE SCORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q5c. My manager communicates effectively with me	28 41 15 9	70%	68%	72%
Q5d. My manager encourages and values employee input	29 40 16 8	70%	68%	72%
Q5e. My manager involves my workgroup in decisions about our work	<b>26</b> 39 18 10	65%	63%	67%
Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	11   33   27   17   12	44%	42%	47%
Q6h. I feel that senior managers listen to employees	11 29 29 17 14	40%	38%	43%
Q8c. I am able to speak up and share a different view to my colleagues and manager	20 46 17 10	66%	65%	67%











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HIGH PERFORMANCE 64% AGGREGATE SCORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q1a. I understand what is expected of me to do well in my role 43 49	92%	91%	90%
Q2b. My workgroup works collaboratively to achieve its objectives 32 47 12	79%	77%	79%
Q3f. I have received appropriate training and development to do my job well 21 49 17 9	70%	68%	65%
Q5a. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to keep improving the work they do	71%	70%	74%
Q5f. I have confidence in the decisions my manager makes 27 38 19 9	65%	64%	68%
Q6d. Senior managers encourage innovation by employees 12 35 31 14 8	47%	46%	50%
Q6e. Senior managers promote collaboration between my organisation and other organisations we work with	48%	47%	52%
Q7a. My organisation focuses on improving the work we do 17 51 20 8	68%	67%	69%
Q7b. My organisation is making the necessary improvements to meet our future challenges	56%	55%	57%

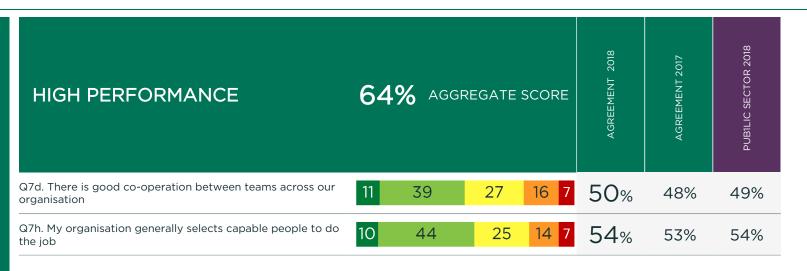




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**KEY** 



Agree



Neither Disagree Strongly disagree



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PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60% AGGREGATE SCORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q2a. My workgroup strives to achieve customer/client satisfaction	<b>38</b> 48 <b>9</b>	87%	86%	86%
Q2e. People in my workgroup treat each other with respect	29 42 16 9	71%	70%	75%
Q5a. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to keep improving the work they do	26 45 16 8	71%	70%	74%
Q5b. My manager listens to what I have to say	30 43 14 8	73%	71%	76%
Q6a. I believe senior managers provide clear direction for the future of the organisation	13   34   29   15   10	46%	45%	49%
Q6c. I feel that senior managers model the values of my organisation	13   33   29   13   11	47%	45%	50%
Q6f. Senior managers communicate the importance of customers/clients in achieving our business objectives	15 42 27 10	57%	56%	62%
Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	11 33 27 17 12	44%	42%	47%
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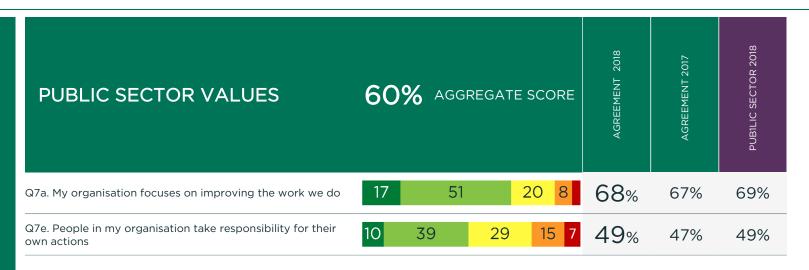




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DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	AGGREG	ATE SCORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q1b. I am provided with the support I need to do my best at work	22	44	16 13	66%	64%	65%
Q5b. My manager listens to what I have to say	30	43	14 8	73%	71%	76%
Q5d. My manager encourages and values employee input	29	40	16 8	70%	68%	72%
Q6i. Senior managers in my organisation support the career advancement of women	17	36	34	54%	52%	60%
Q8a. My organisation respects individual differences (e.g. cultures, working styles, backgrounds, ideas)	23	51	18	74%	72%	76%
Q8b. Personal background is not a barrier to success in my organisation (e.g. cultural background, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender etc.)	25	50	17	75%	73%	75%
Q8c. I am able to speak up and share a different view to my colleagues and manager	20	46	17 10	66%	65%	67%
Q8d. How satisfied are you with your ability to access and use flexible working arrangements?  Response scale Very satisfied - Very unsatisfied	20	38	23 12 8	58%	55%	59%
Q8e. My manager supports flexible working in my team	22	39	21 10 7	61%	-	63%





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FLEXIBLE WORKING	59%	AGGRE	GATE S	SCORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q8d. How satisfied are you with your ability to access and use flexible working arrangements?  Response scale Very satisfied - Very unsatisfied	20	38	23	12 8	58%	55%	59%
Q8e. My manager supports flexible working in my team	22	39	21	10 7	61%	-	63%





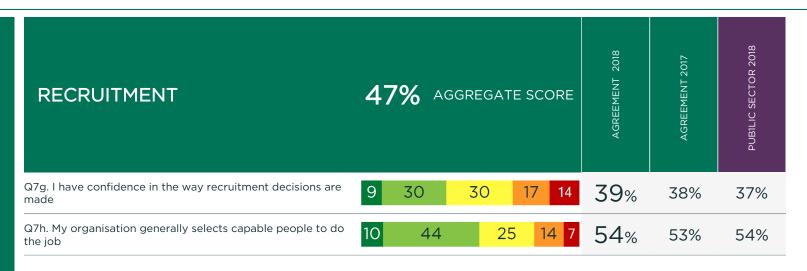




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PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK & DEVELOPMENT	57% AGGREGATE SCORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q3d. In the last 12 months I received useful feedback on my work to enable me to deliver required results	21 44 18 12	65%	63%	65%
Q3e. My performance is assessed against clear criteria	18 42 23 12	60%	57%	56%
Q3g. I am satisfied with the opportunities available for career development in my organisation	17   36   22   15   10	53%	51%	50%
Q5g. My manager provides acknowledgement or other recognition for the work I do	27 39 17 10 <b>7</b>	66%	64%	69%
Q5h. My manager appropriately deals with employees who perform poorly	17 29 29 14 11	46%	44%	46%
Q7f. My organisation is committed to developing its employees	11 39 28 13 8	51%	49%	52%











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WORKPLACE SUPPORT	69%	AGGREG <i>i</i>	ATE SO	CORE	AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017	PUBILIC SECTOR 2018
Q1b. I am provided with the support I need to do my best at work	22	44	16	13	66%	64%	65%
Q1f. I am able to keep my work stress at an acceptable level	15	47	19	13	62%	61%	60%
Q2c. I receive help and support from other members of my workgroup	32	48		12	80%	79%	81%
Q2d. There is good team spirit in my workgroup	29	39	16	10	68%	66%	70%





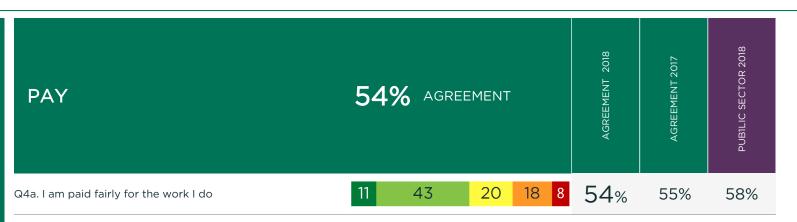




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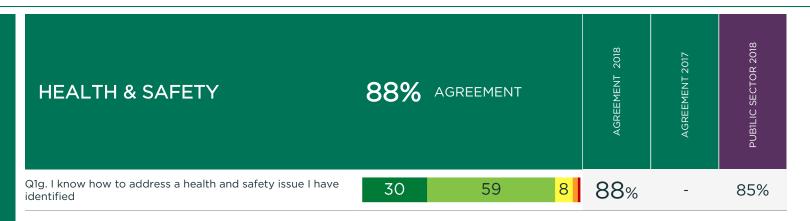




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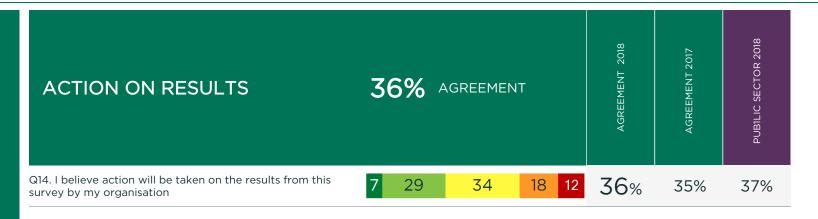




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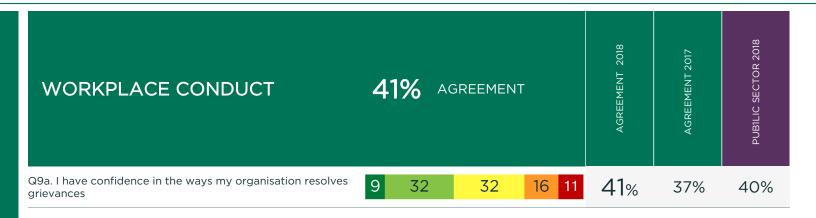




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### **EXPLORE THE FULL RESULTS**

PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK & DEVELOPMENT	2018	2017	PUBLIC SECTOR 2018
Q3a. I have a current performance and development plan that sets out my individual objective	es		
Yes	69%	67%	71%
No	31%	33%	29%
Q3b. I have informal feedback conversations with my manager			
Yes	74%	73%	76%
No	26%	27%	24%
Q3c. I have scheduled feedback conversations with my manager			
Yes	57%	56%	58%
No	43%	44%	42%



### **EXPLORE THE FULL RESULTS**

MOBILITY	2018	2017	PUBLIC SECTOR 2018
<b>Q3h.</b> Are you currently looking, or thinking about looking, for a new role within the NSW Public Sector but outside of your current workplace in order to broaden your experience?			
Yes	40%	40%	41%
No	60%	60%	59%



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MOBILITY	2018	2017	PUBLIC SECTOR 2018
Q3i. Are there barriers preventing you from moving to another role?			
There are no major barriers to my career progression	34%	32%	32%
Lack of visible opportunities	29%	30%	30%
Personal/family considerations	29%	32%	30%
Lack of promotion opportunities	27%	27%	29%
Geographic location considerations	23%	24%	26%
The application/recruitment process is too cumbersome or time consuming	18%	16%	23%
Insufficient training and development	15%	14%	16%
Lack of support from my manager/supervisor	15%	15%	14%
Lack of support for temporary assignments/secondments	14%	14%	15%
Lack of required capabilities or experience	10%	10%	11%
Other	9%	8%	9%

% are calculated with the number of unique respondents (N = 62,579 to this question)



### **EXPLORE THE FULL RESULTS**

UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	2018	2017	PUBLIC SECTOR 2018
Q10a. In the last 12 months I have witnessed misconduct/wrongdoing at work			
Yes	28%	30%	24%
No	54%	57%	58%
Don't know	17%	13%	18%
Q10b. If yes to 10a, have you reported the misconduct/wrongdoing you witnessed in the last 12 months?			
Yes	69%	66%	66%
No	29%	33%	32%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%



### **EXPLORE THE FULL RESULTS**

UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	2018	2017	PUBLIC SECTOR 2018
Q11a. In the last 12 months I have witnessed bullying at work			
Yes	39%	40%	33%
No	52%	51%	57%
Don't know	9%	9%	10%
Q11b. In the last 12 months I have been subjected to bullying at work			
Yes	21%	22%	18%
No	73%	72%	76%
Don't know	6%	6%	6%



### **EXPLORE THE FULL RESULTS**

UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	2018	2017	PUBLIC SECTOR 2018
Q11c. Please indicate the role of the person who has been the source of the most serious bullying you have been subjected to in the last 12 months			
A fellow worker at your level	32%	31%	27%
Your Immediate Manager/Supervisor	23%	24%	23%
A senior manager	18%	19%	21%
Prefer not to say	13%	12%	14%
A subordinate	6%	6%	7%
Other	6%	5%	4%
A client or customer	2%	2%	2%
A member of the public other than a client or customer	1%	1%	1%



### **EXPLORE THE FULL RESULTS**

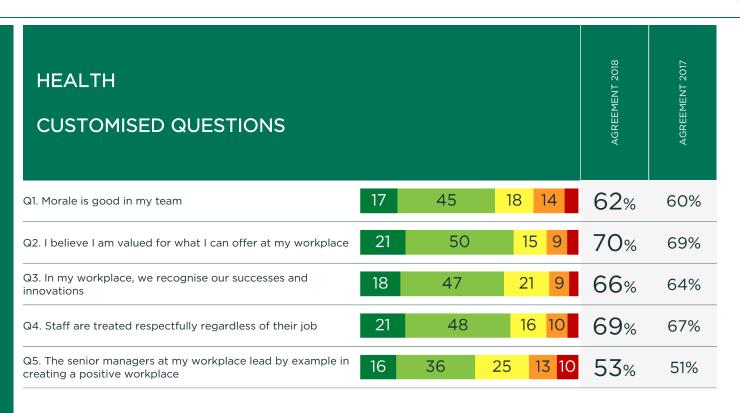
UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	2018	2017	PUBLIC SECTOR 2018
Q12a. In the last 12 months I have been subjected to physical harm and/or sexual harassment or abuse at work			
Yes	5%	-	3%
No	93%	-	94%
Don't know	2%	-	2%
<b>Q12b.</b> If yes to 12a, please indicate the role of the person who has been the source of the most serious physical harm and/or sexual harassment or abuse you have been subjected to in the last 12 months			
A person at work	28%	-	39%
A member of the public	52%	-	37%
Other	15%	-	19%
Prefer not to say	5%	-	6%



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## **ALL QUESTIONS**



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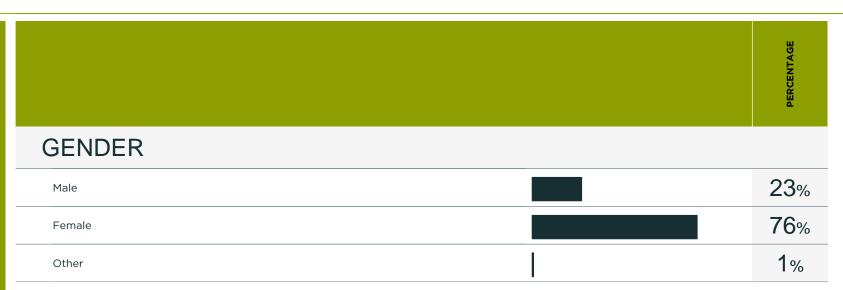
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HEALTH CUSTOMISED QUESTIONS					AGREEMENT 2018	AGREEMENT 2017
Q6. Overall, I have confidence in the decisions made by my senior managers	15	37	26	12 10	52%	51%
Q7. I have a say in decisions which affect my work	13	43	23	15	55%	54%
Q8. Where I work, we share the lessons learnt when mistakes are made	16	52		18 9	68%	67%
Q9. My team's objectives/work plans are clearly outlined	15	51		21 9	66%	64%
Q10. Our objectives/work plans help us to deliver a quality service	16	51		22 7	68%	66%
Q11. Overall, I believe the culture at my workplace has improved in the last 12 months	13	30	32	14 11	44%	41%

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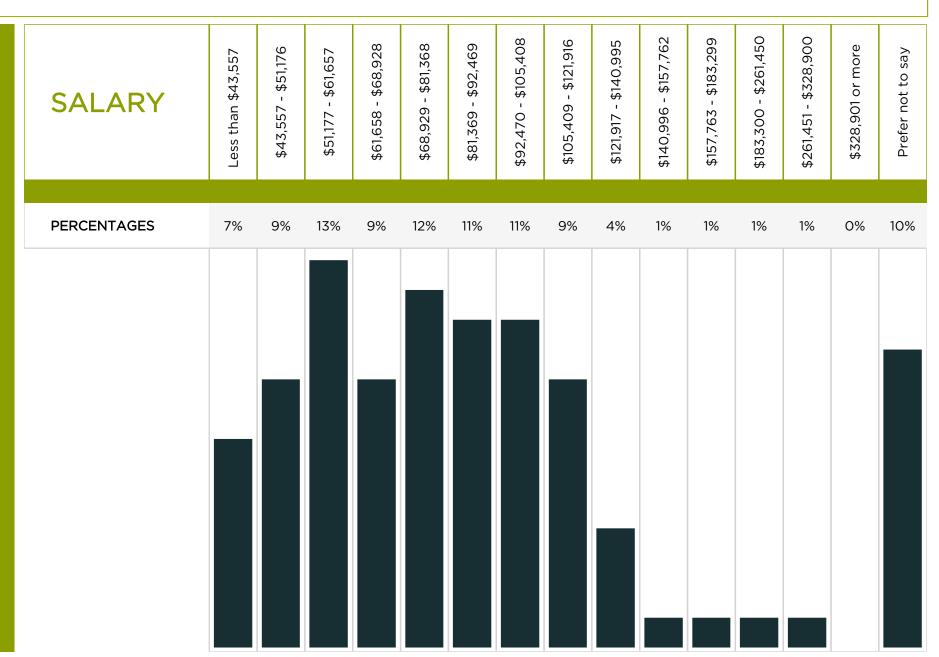


	PERCENTAGE
AGE	
15 - 19	0%
20 - 24	4%
25 -29	9%
30 - 34	12%
35 - 39	12%
40 - 44	13%
45 - 49	14%
50 - 54	13%
55 - 59	13%
60 - 64	8%
65+	3%



	PERCENTAGE
TYPE OF WORK	
Service delivery involving direct contact with the general public (e.g. teaching, nursing, policing, shopfront/counter service)	59%
Other service delivery work (work that does not involve contact with the public, but it is critical to the delivery of a service, e.g. maintenance, technical support, catering, cleaning/laundry)	9%
Administrative support (e.g. executive/personal assistant, receptionist)	11%
Corporate services (e.g. HR, finance, IT, ministerial or parliamentary processes)	6%
Policy	1%
Research	1%
Program and project management support	3%
Legal (including developing and/or reviewing legislation)	0%
Other	9%



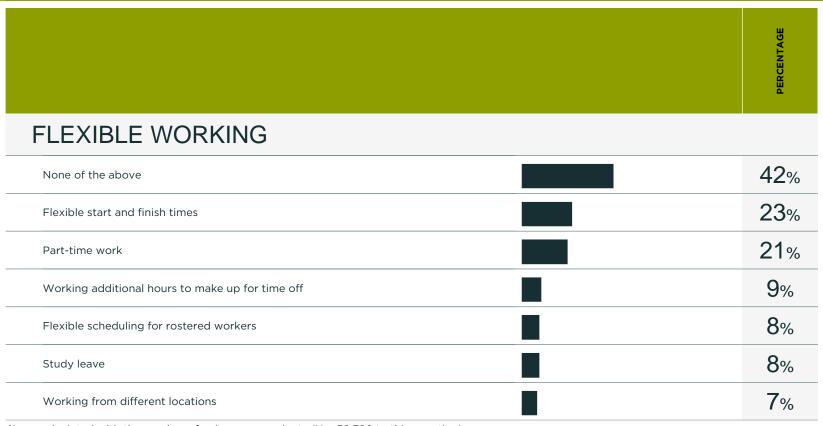




	PERCENTAGE
TENURE IN ORGANISATION	
Less than 1 year	11%
1 - 2 years	11%
2 - 5 years	19%
5 - 10 years	21%
10 - 20 years	24%
More than 20 years	14%



## PERSONAL AND WORK PROFILES



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# PERSONAL AND WORK PROFILES

		PERCENTAGE
FLEXIBLE WORKING		
Working more hours over fewer days		6%
Leave without pay		5%
Working from home		4%
Job sharing		3%
Other	l	2%
Purchasing annual leave	I	1%

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## **RESULT BY TYPE OF WORK**



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	Health	Service delivery involving direct contact with the general public (e.g. teaching, nursing, policing,	Other service delivery work (work that does not involve contact with the public, but it is critical to the	Administrative support (e.g. executive/personal assistant, receptionist)	Corporate services (e.g. HR, finance, IT, ministerial or parliamentary processes)	Policy	Research	Program and project management support	Legal (including developing and/or reviewing legislation)	Other
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	36025	5593	6455	3847	447	595	2088	82	5714
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	64%	64%	68%	68%	70%	72%	69%	70%	64%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	73%	72%	74%	75%	77%	81%	78%	80%	72%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	43%	52%	51%	57%	61%	60%	58%	56%	48%
COMMUNICATION	59%	57%	61%	62%	68%	70%	72%	70%	67%	59%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	63%	65%	66%	69%	72%	73%	72%	69%	63%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	58%	61%	62%	67%	71%	71%	70%	66%	59%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	64%	68%	70%	75%	72%	77%	75%	72%	65%

KEY

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### **RESULT BY SALARY**



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	Health	Less than \$43,557	\$43,557 - \$51,176	\$51,177 - \$61,657	\$61,658 - \$68,928	\$68,929 - \$81,368	\$81,369 - \$92,469	\$92,470 - \$105,408	\$105,409 - \$121,916	\$121,917 - \$140,995	\$140,996 - \$157,762	\$157,763 - \$183,299	\$183,300 - \$261,450	\$261,451 - \$328,900
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	4227	5426	8171	5430	7241	6726	6832	5642	2135	900	589	639	347
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	69%	66%	67%	67%	64%	62%	63%	65%	68%	73%	73%	71%	70%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	78%	75%	74%	75%	71%	71%	73%	75%	79%	82%	81%	83%	83%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	52%	51%	48%	50%	44%	41%	44%	48%	54%	61%	63%	57%	53%
COMMUNICATION	59%	63%	61%	60%	62%	58%	56%	58%	62%	67%	72%	72%	71%	68%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	69%	66%	65%	66%	63%	61%	63%	65%	69%	73%	74%	72%	71%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	63%	61%	60%	62%	58%	56%	59%	62%	67%	71%	72%	70%	68%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	72%	68%	68%	68%	65%	63%	65%	68%	72%	76%	76%	75%	72%

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	Health	\$328,901 or more	Prefer not to say
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	301	6003
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	66%	60%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	76%	66%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	47%	38%
COMMUNICATION	59%	65%	52%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	65%	57%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	63%	53%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	69%	59%

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### **RESULT BY TENURE IN ORGANISATION**



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	Health	Less than 1 year	1 - 2 years	2 - 5 years	5 - 10 years	10 - 20 years	More than 20 years
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	6723	6506	11562	12377	14431	8464
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	74%	69%	66%	63%	62%	64%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	83%	78%	73%	70%	70%	73%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	62%	54%	47%	43%	41%	43%
COMMUNICATION	59%	74%	66%	60%	56%	54%	56%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	76%	69%	65%	61%	60%	61%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	74%	66%	60%	57%	55%	57%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	79%	72%	67%	64%	62%	63%

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## **RESULTS BY TYPES OF FLEXIBLE WORKING**



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	Health	Flexible start and finish times	Working more hours over fewer days	Working additional hours to make up for time off	Flexible scheduling for rostered workers	Part-time work	Job sharing	Working from different locations	Working from home	Purchasing annual leave	Leave without pay	Study leave	Other	None of the above
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	13575	3496	5471	4728	12457	1567	4269	2597	387	3036	4540	1483	25277
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	71%	68%	69%	70%	66%	70%	71%	72%	68%	68%	70%	65%	61%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	80%	76%	78%	79%	75%	80%	82%	83%	74%	75%	80%	72%	69%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	57%	49%	53%	52%	45%	52%	56%	61%	53%	50%	52%	47%	42%
COMMUNICATION	59%	70%	63%	68%	66%	60%	66%	69%	74%	64%	65%	67%	58%	54%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	72%	67%	70%	70%	65%	70%	72%	74%	69%	68%	71%	63%	59%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	69%	63%	66%	65%	61%	65%	68%	72%	64%	64%	66%	58%	55%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	79%	72%	77%	75%	70%	76%	78%	82%	71%	73%	73%	64%	59%

\*multiple types may be choosen.

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### **RESULTS BY REGION**



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	Health	Sydney East	Sydney West	Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	Sydney - Parramatta	Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby	Sydney - City and Inner South	Illawarra	Central Coast	Sydney - South West	Central West	Sydney - Inner South West	Capital Region
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	15686	11682	5230	5132	4482	3290	2672	2626	2522	2399	2167	2151
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	68%	64%	64%	64%	70%	65%	64%	65%	66%	64%	66%	69%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	76%	72%	72%	72%	77%	72%	73%	72%	75%	74%	76%	78%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	52%	46%	45%	45%	57%	46%	46%	44%	52%	47%	51%	48%
COMMUNICATION	59%	64%	59%	58%	59%	68%	58%	60%	58%	62%	59%	63%	64%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	68%	64%	63%	64%	71%	63%	65%	63%	67%	64%	67%	66%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	64%	59%	59%	59%	69%	59%	60%	58%	63%	59%	63%	62%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	69%	65%	67%	66%	73%	64%	68%	65%	68%	67%	68%	71%

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	Health	New England and North West	Far West and Orana	Richmond - Tweed	Sydney - Eastern Suburbs	Riverina	Mid North Coast	Sydney - Inner West	Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains	Hunter Valley exc Newcastle	Sydney - Outer South West	Sydney - Blacktown	Coffs Harbour - Grafton	Sydney - Ryde
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	2081	1980	1893	1855	1850	1775	1543	1527	1319	1265	1149	1118	1004
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	65%	68%	60%	68%	65%	63%	69%	58%	67%	67%	62%	59%	67%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	73%	78%	70%	76%	76%	72%	78%	65%	76%	76%	72%	67%	76%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	46%	55%	34%	48%	46%	38%	56%	37%	47%	52%	40%	35%	52%
COMMUNICATION	59%	57%	64%	53%	64%	59%	54%	67%	53%	61%	65%	55%	49%	66%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	64%	69%	58%	66%	64%	59%	70%	58%	66%	69%	60%	54%	68%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	59%	64%	52%	63%	59%	53%	67%	53%	61%	65%	55%	49%	65%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	66%	71%	61%	69%	67%	64%	72%	61%	69%	70%	61%	58%	72%

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	Health	Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	Murray	Sydney - Sutherland	Sydney - Northern Beaches	Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	OUTSIDE NSW
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	932	735	728	617	87	8
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	63%	68%	66%	68%	64%	(r)
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	72%	78%	75%	77%	74%	(r)
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	43%	51%	48%	46%	41%	(r)
COMMUNICATION	59%	56%	65%	60%	62%	62%	(r)
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	62%	69%	66%	67%	64%	(r)
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	57%	64%	61%	62%	59%	(r)
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	64%	73%	66%	69%	67%	(r)

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	Health	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 -29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 - 44	45 - 49	50 - 54	55 - 59	60 - 64	65+
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	202	2491	5708	7093	7125	7559	8360	7847	7710	4563	1605
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	75%	75%	69%	66%	64%	63%	64%	64%	64%	64%	69%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	81%	81%	75%	72%	72%	71%	73%	73%	74%	76%	81%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	71%	61%	51%	49%	47%	45%	46%	44%	44%	45%	48%
COMMUNICATION	59%	75%	71%	64%	62%	61%	59%	59%	57%	57%	58%	62%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	80%	77%	69%	66%	64%	62%	63%	62%	62%	63%	66%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	76%	72%	64%	62%	60%	58%	59%	57%	57%	59%	62%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	80%	78%	71%	69%	67%	66%	65%	64%	64%	65%	69%

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## **RESULT BY GENDER**



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

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	Health	Male	Female	Other
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	13729	46001	860
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	64%	66%	46%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	72%	74%	46%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	47%	47%	22%
COMMUNICATION	59%	61%	60%	35%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	63%	65%	40%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	60%	60%	36%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	67%	67%	40%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	67%	67%	40%

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# ABORIGINAL AND/OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER



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

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	Health	Yes	O Z	Prefer not to say
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	1888	57070	2245
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	66%	66%	48%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	72%	74%	50%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	51%	47%	23%
COMMUNICATION	59%	59%	61%	35%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	65%	65%	42%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	60%	61%	37%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	65%	68%	40%

3% of respondents identified as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.

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### LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH



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

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	Health	Yes	O Z	Prefer not to say
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	12362	46732	2361
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	69%	65%	49%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	78%	73%	50%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	56%	45%	26%
COMMUNICATION	59%	67%	59%	37%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	70%	64%	43%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	67%	59%	38%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	71%	67%	42%

20% of respondents speak a language other than English at home.

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### **DISABILITY**



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	Health	Yes	O Z	Prefer not to say
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	1839	57772	1829
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	61%	66%	49%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	67%	74%	50%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	41%	47%	24%
COMMUNICATION	59%	54%	60%	36%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	59%	65%	42%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	55%	61%	38%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	61%	67%	40%

3% of respondents identified as having a disability.

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### **MENTAL HEALTH**



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	Health	Yes	O Z	Prefer not to say	
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	3494	55274	2381	
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	59%	66%	53%	
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	62%	75%	55%	
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	38%	48%	29%	
COMMUNICATION	59%	51%	61%	42%	
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	57%	65%	48%	
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	53%	61%	43%	
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	59%	68%	47%	

6% of respondents identified as having a mental health condition.

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	Health	Yes	O Z	Prefer not to say
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	2486	55279	3014
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	63%	66%	52%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	70%	74%	56%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	46%	48%	28%
COMMUNICATION	59%	59%	61%	41%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	63%	65%	47%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	59%	61%	42%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	65%	68%	47%

4% of respondents identified as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex or gender diverse.

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	Health	Junior Medical Officer	Career Medical Officer, Hospitalist	Staff Specialist	Visiting Medical Officer	Clinical Academic	Assistant in Nursing	Enrolled Nurse	Registered Nurse/Midwife, Clinical Nurse/Midwife Specialist, Clinical Nurse/Midwife Consultant,	Nurse/Midwifery Educator and Clinical Nurse/Midwifery Educator	Nurse/Midwifery Manager	Support Officers	Information Management (eg. Librarian, Medical Records and Data Manager)	Clinical Support Executive (eg. Hospital Executive, Local Health Network Executive)
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	946	111	1229	251	49	736	2233	14651	972	2141	1406	831	176
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	68%	68%	65%	59%	63%	76%	67%	62%	66%	69%	68%	67%	72%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	79%	84%	77%	71%	81%	83%	75%	70%	76%	78%	75%	75%	80%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	51%	55%	45%	38%	49%	64%	45%	39%	46%	55%	53%	53%	66%
COMMUNICATION	59%	68%	66%	64%	56%	60%	70%	59%	55%	61%	65%	63%	66%	74%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	72%	71%	65%	58%	62%	76%	64%	61%	65%	71%	66%	68%	75%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	67%	67%	62%	55%	63%	71%	58%	55%	61%	67%	63%	65%	71%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	67%	70%	68%	61%	62%	77%	67%	62%	69%	71%	71%	73%	76%

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	Health	Administrative and Executive Assistant	Corporate Services	Senior Manager/Executive	Allied Health Professional	Allied Health Assistant	Health Education, Health Promotion and Health Protection	Counsellor, Welfare Support	Interpreters and Liaison Officer	Aboriginal Health Workers and Aboriginal Education Officers	Technician/Technologist	Hospital Scientist/Biomedical Engineers	Researchers	Data Analyst
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	5653	1680	1136	6474	660	468	176	88	183	632	671	243	342
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	68%	70%	80%	66%	68%	70%	67%	62%	71%	64%	59%	73%	71%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	74%	77%	90%	77%	77%	82%	85%	79%	79%	73%	68%	83%	78%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	50%	59%	76%	46%	52%	57%	50%	44%	58%	48%	39%	58%	60%
COMMUNICATION	59%	62%	70%	83%	62%	63%	71%	63%	53%	66%	60%	54%	72%	70%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	66%	71%	83%	67%	68%	74%	71%	60%	71%	63%	58%	73%	72%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	61%	69%	83%	62%	63%	71%	65%	56%	67%	59%	54%	70%	70%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	70%	76%	85%	68%	71%	77%	70%	62%	71%	67%	61%	79%	77%

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	Health	Technical Officers/Technical Assistant	Dental Officer, Therapists and Hygienist	Dental Specialist	Dental Assistant	Trainee Dental Assistant	Operational Ambulance Officers (including Educators, DOM, DOCO, Paramedic, AOOC, OCO, SOCO, SO,	Operational Ambulance Managers (incl Zone Managers, Deputy Director Operations, Control Centre	Project Director	Project Manager	Project Officer	Cleaning, Linen and Food	Motor Vehicle, Patient Transport	Security Services, Fire Safety
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	791	297	17	459	4	1786	53	115	714	722	3122	304	320
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	63%	68%	(r)	65%	(r)	59%	81%	72%	70%	68%	66%	65%	58%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	70%	77%	(r)	69%	(r)	68%	88%	86%	81%	74%	77%	76%	65%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	44%	56%	(r)	46%	(r)	27%	71%	63%	59%	60%	58%	45%	41%
COMMUNICATION	59%	55%	65%	(r)	50%	(r)	46%	81%	73%	72%	72%	64%	58%	50%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	61%	70%	(r)	60%	(r)	48%	75%	75%	72%	72%	69%	62%	52%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	56%	67%	(r)	55%	(r)	46%	79%	75%	71%	71%	64%	57%	48%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	64%	69%	(r)	58%	(r)	53%	88%	78%	77%	76%	70%	68%	56%

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	Health	Residential Care Attendant, Patient Care Assistant, Patient Services, Wardsperson	Warehouse staff	Tradesperson	Apprentice Trade Worker and Trade Assistant	Trainee	Volunteer	Other job role	Prefer not to say
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	65677	327	95	296	30	239	168	3128	4357
EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT	65%	65%	64%	58%	62%	75%	83%	67%	55%
ENGAGEMENT WITH WORK	73%	75%	71%	63%	78%	87%	94%	75%	57%
SENIOR MANAGERS	46%	48%	56%	38%	53%	65%	64%	52%	31%
COMMUNICATION	59%	57%	62%	51%	58%	75%	79%	63%	43%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	64%	61%	66%	53%	63%	80%	79%	66%	49%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	60%	56%	63%	49%	60%	76%	77%	63%	45%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	66%	64%	67%	58%	66%	78%	86%	71%	51%

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### **GUIDE TO THIS REPORT**



#### **SURVEY TIME FRAME**

This report contains results from the 2018 People Matter Employee Survey which was open from 1 June to 2 July 2018.



#### HOW TO READ THIS REPORT

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





#### **PRIVACY**

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 work teams 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.



#### **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%.



#### MORE DETAILS ABOUT THE SURVEY AND ITS METHODOLOGY

See the Main Findings report on the Public Service Commission web site.