

Summary of national performance against National Agreements²

Benchmark/indicator	First year	Latest year	Progress	Updated since '15
National Affordable Housing Agreement				
Benchmark: From 2007-08 to 2015-16, a 10% reduction nationally in the proportion of low-income renter households in rental stress	35.4% (2007-08)	42.5% (2013-14)	Not on track	Yes
Benchmark: From 2006 to 2013, a 7% reduction nationally in the number of homeless Australians	89,728 people (2006)	105,237 people (2011)	Unlikely to have been met	No
Benchmark: From 2008 to 2017-18, a 10% increase nationally in the proportion of Indigenous households owning or purchasing a home	32.5% (2008)	31.7% (2012-13)	Not on track	No
Benchmark: From 2008 to 2017-18, a 20% reduction nationally in the proportion of Indigenous households living in overcrowded conditions	13.4% (2008)	11.2% (2012-13)	On track	No
National Agreement for Skills and Workforce Development				
Benchmark: Halve the proportion of Australians nationally aged 20-64 without qualifications at Certificate III level and above between 2009 and 2020	47.1% (2009)	42.5% (2014)	Not on track	No
Benchmark: Double the number of higher level qualification completions (diploma and advanced diploma) nationally between 2009 and 2020	53,974 completions (2009)	74,091 completions (2014)	Not on track	Yes
Indicator: Proportion of VET graduates with improved employment status after training	67.6% (2008)	59.7% (2014)	Negative change	No
National Disability Agreement				
Benchmark: Between 2009 and 2018, there will be a five percentage point national increase in the proportion of people with disability participating in the labour force	54.3% (2009)	52.8% (2012)	Not on track	No
Benchmark: Between 2009 and 2018, there will be a five percentage point national decrease in the proportion of people with disability who report a need for more formal assistance	31.9% (2009)	34.1% (2012)	Not on track	No
Indicator: Proportion of people with disability who participate in social and community activities	76.6% (2009)	74.2% (2012)	Negative change	No
National Education Agreement / National Education Reform Agreement				
Benchmark: Lift the Year 12 or equivalent or Certificate II attainment rate to 90% by 2015 (from 2008) ³	83.5% (2007)	88.4% (2015)	Not met	Yes
Benchmark: Lift the Year 12 or equivalent or Certificate III attainment rate to 90% by 2020 (from 2008) ³	82.3% (2007)	87.1% (2015)	On track	Yes
Indicator: Literacy and numeracy achievement of Year 3, 5, 7 and 9 students in national testing	Mixed results			Yes
Indicator: The proportion of young people participating in post-school education, training or employment.	73.9% (2006)	72.7% (2011)	Negative change	No

² See the key for assessment on page 6 for an explanation of assessments of progress.

³ In accordance with the COAG review of the NEA performance framework, the ABS Survey of Education and Work the national level only and can be used to assess the national benchmark.