



# NACCHO

National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation

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### **New NACCHO CEO announced**

The National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation Board is pleased to announce it will appoint Ms Donna Ah Chee as NACCHO's new CEO.

Ms Ah Chee has served as the Deputy CEO of Central Australian Aboriginal Congress in Alice Springs for the last 11 years. She is a Bundjalung woman from the far north coast of NSW and has lived in Alice Springs for over 20 years.

Ms Ah Chee has been involved in the Aboriginal Medical Services Alliance Northern Territory (AMSANT) and, at the national level, with NACCHO for many years. She has served on many Northern Territory and national bodies such as the National Indigenous Drug and Alcohol Committee (NIDAC).

Mr Justin Mohamed, Chair of NACCHO said, "Ms Ah Chee will bring a great range of skills and experience to NACCHO as CEO."

"This is an important time to build on the advances in Aboriginal health and the strength of the 152 Aboriginal community controlled health services across Australia.

"I'm looking forward to Ms Ah Chee being part of the NACCHO team serving our members and backing our communities for a healthier, stronger future.

"I thank all the people who applied for the position. Their caliber demonstrated the depth of expertise in Aboriginal health across the nation", Mr Mohamed said.

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