

## Services for children with harmful sexual behaviours

FEDERATION FUNDING AGREEMENT - HEALTH

<b>Table 1: Formalities and operation of schedule</b>																									
Parties	Commonwealth Northern Territory																								
Duration	This Schedule is expected to expire on 30 June 2025.																								
Purpose	This Schedule will support the delivery of increased specialist therapeutic services for children and young people with harmful sexual behaviours in the Northern Territory. Specifically, the Schedule will provide the Northern Territory with the funding to procure specialist therapeutic clinicians and health practitioners with the required skills and experience to appropriately assess, diagnose and treat children and young people with harmful sexual behaviours, make appropriate referrals as needed and support families, carers and other guardians as required.																								
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<p>A final report detailing how specialist therapeutic services for children and young people with harmful sexual behaviours in the Northern Territory have been increased. This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>how many new specialist therapeutic clinicians and health practitioners with the required skills and experience to appropriately assess, diagnose and treat children and young people with harmful sexual behaviours, and make appropriate referrals as needed, have been procured</li> <li>the qualifications and experience and roles of the new clinicians and health practitioners</li> <li>Statistics on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The number of referrals the Northern Territory's Sexual Assault Referral Centres (SARC) has received that relate to children and young people with harmful sexual behaviours and an analysis of how these have varied since receiving the additional funding</li> <li>The number of children and young people with harmful sexual behaviours referrals that the SARCs have treated or referred to a specialist to treat and an analysis of how these have varied since receiving the additional funding</li> </ul> </li> <li>An explanation of how funding has been spent per financial year. This might include what was spent on salary, worker's compensation, travel, training and development, human resources support, organizational services, desktop ICT services and property operating expenses.</li> </ul> <p>This report must also include an assessment of the overall success of the funding agreement.</p>	<p>1 May 2025</p>	<p>\$1.355m</p>

The Parties have confirmed their commitment to this schedule as follows:

Signed for and on behalf of the Commonwealth of Australia by

Signed for and on behalf of the Northern Territory by

The Honourable Ben Morton MP  
Minister Assisting the Prime Minister and Cabinet

The Honourable Natasha Fyles MLA  
Minister for Health

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