



**MIDCOAST**  
council

# DRAFT CHILD SAFE ACTION PLAN

## ENGAGEMENT SNAPSHOT

MARCH 2022

### What you told us

We received valuable feedback on the draft Action Plan.

**Overall, you supported the Action Plan and said it was a positive step**

You suggested we could improve the document if we:

**Strengthen the reporting and evaluation measures**








**Improve inclusivity and diversity**

**Simplify the document format**

Well done... but it can be refined further.

“The indicators of success – how are you going to evaluate these?”

### How you got involved

-  235 visits to dedicated web page - 155 unique visitors
-  556 emails to local child-centred community organisations
-  4,396 people reached via Facebook post
-  670 flyers distributed to libraries and schools
-  50 schools sent information for school newsletters
-  1 workshop held with MidCoast Council Youth Taskforce
-  7 submissions received

**Our commitment is to become a child safe organisation.**

The Child Safe Action Plan provides a blueprint for staff and Councillors to make sure our organisation is safe for children and that their interests are always considered in the decisions we make.

The Action Plan outlines actions we will take to ensure we meet the 10 standards which form the basis of new legislation under the NSW Child Safe Scheme. We will report annually on progress on these actions.

The Action Plan applies to all Council facilities and programs.

This consultation:

- sought your feedback to review the Action Plan
- focussed on the actions included in the Action Plan and the indicators of success.

Your feedback will help us finalise the Action Plan, prior to its adoption by Council.

### What's next

We're now preparing a detailed Engagement Outcomes Report that will include all your feedback.

It will be available soon.