

KEY ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE GLEN EIRA MUNICIPAL PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELLBEING ACTION PLAN 2019–2020



The *Volunteer Recognition Award Ceremony* was held virtually due to COVID-19. Winners were personally contacted and results published in the June 2020 *GE News*.



Delivered a range of programs supporting active ageing including the Glen Eira Leisure *Activate Lite* program to support older adults to participate in physical activity.



Our Public Health team conducted 1,083 food safety assessments of registered food businesses, analysed 84 food samples and administered 4,859 immunisations.



At the start of the COVID-19 pandemic Glen Eira Leisure launched *GEL Anywhere*, an online exercise platform which saw more than 400,000 minutes of videos viewed and more than 19,000 people following on social media platforms.



To promote water consumption as a healthier option, hydration stations and free reusable water bottles were provided at all major Glen Eira events.



Implemented a social distancing support program delivered via phone to support young people through the COVID-19 pandemic — focusing on individual support, referrals and achievable goal setting.



Our Youth Services team facilitated the delivery of a peer-led mental health event with 180 secondary school students. Delivered six sleep and technology programs to 550 young people resulting in an average satisfaction rating of 84 per cent.



Collaborated with three other local councils during COVID-19 pandemic to deliver highly successful webinars on a variety of sustainability topics including keeping backyard chickens, composting and growing a garden for wildlife.



Promoted Active Schools' *Walk to School Program* in October 2019. It was a huge success with 15 Glen Eira schools and 7,500 students participating.



Increased participation in Glen Eira's *Neighbourhood Sustainable Gardening Program* and hosted a variety of sustainability workshops on biodiversity, waste, climate change and growing your own vegetables.



Our Maternal and Child Health team conducted 1,560 Key Ages and Stages visits. These assessments continue during the COVID-19 pandemic. Glen Eira's *Family Violence Prevention Action Plan 2019–21* was developed and endorsed by Council.



Hosted 69 events during *Senior's Festival* promoting a variety of classes, information seminars along with indigenous and historical tours.

Council met 95 per cent of actions in the *Municipal Public Health and Wellbeing Action Plan 2019–2020*.