



***STERILIZING RESEARCH AND ADVISORY COUNCIL
OF AUSTRALIA (Qld) Inc.***

***STRATEGIC PLAN
2010 - 2015***



SRACA Qld Inc. President's Message

We have developed the 2010—2015 SRACA Qld Inc Strategic Plan as a guidance tool for the committee to fulfil their roles and direct our resources in a way that continues to add value to our profession and safe patient care.

These will be achieved through a framework of performance indicators and strategies:-

- *Professional Organisation*
- *Representation*
- *Education*
- *Research*
- *Communication*

We look forward to keeping in touch with our members about our progress by utilising meetings, conferences, workshops and newsletters.

President.

MISSION STATEMENT

The professional organisation of Sterilizing Research and Advisory Council of Australia (Qld) Incorporated strives for excellence through education, research, communication and representation so that safe patient outcomes and the highest standards are achieved at all times.



**Sr. Mary Andre
(Moir Walpole)**



Sterilizing Research and Advisory Council of Australia (Qld) Inc.

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Message of intent from Sterilizing Research and Advisory Council of Australia (Qld) Inc (SRACA Qld)

We have developed this document to be used as a guidance tool by the Committee members to ensure that the Committee functions in a positive and progressive manner whilst fulfilling their roles as elected representatives of sterilizing clinicians and educators throughout Queensland.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATION

To promote SRACA Qld as a dynamic contemporary organisation.

Key Performance Indicator

- SRACA Qld demonstrates leadership of a cohesive, progressive and professional organisation which maintains responsiveness to the interest of the membership and partnerships.

Strategies

- Raise awareness and professional profile of SRACA Qld Inc.
- Comply with Government regulations and standards.
- Review the Committee roles and succession plan.
- Liaise with relevant union, employer, education and other organisations re sterilizing services.
- Promote membership of SRACA Qld Inc.

REPRESENTATION

To appropriately represent the professional interests of SRACA Qld.

Key Performance Indicator

- Represent the professional interests of members on all committees and working parties related to sterilizing services.

Strategies

- Funded representation to all State and National conferences relevant to sterilizing services and provide reports.
- Actively seek and respond to all Standards and workforce reviews.
- Liaise with training providers and facilities.

EDUCATION

To facilitate education and training opportunities in Sterilizing Technology.

Key Performance Indicator

- Provide educational opportunities state wide.
- Support external education facilities that link to sterilization.
- Accurately report on membership attendances and qualification levels.

Strategies

- Establish and promote an annual education program.
- In recognition of academic and clinical excellence provide opportunities and funding - ie. Sister Mary Andre Award
Poster Presentations
SRACA Qld Inc Achievement Award (for a nominated Southbank Institute of Technology graduate)

RESEARCH

To promote and encourage research in Sterilizing Technology.

Key Performance Indicator

- To promote and provide opportunities that support the membership in incorporating evidence-based research into clinical practice.

Strategies

- Encourage research and publication and disseminating sources of, and submission to, research funding opportunities.
- Consideration of application for financial sponsorship opportunities to assist full financial membership to complete clinical research projects.

COMMUNICATION

To promote open timely and informative channels of communication with internal and external stakeholders.

Key Performance Indicator

- Regular communication via current membership newsletter and educational programs.

Strategies

- Distribution of regular newsletters.
- Continues promotion of 'Steri-help' via email.
- To promote dissemination and utilisation of any information via the website.
- Actively engage collegial professional organisations in reciprocal membership status to ensure access and dissemination of information.

OBJECTIVES

To promote SRACA Qld In as an active, diverse, cohesive, professional organisation.

To provide education and training opportunities and disseminate information pertaining to processing of reusable medical devices.

To promote and encourage research in Sterilizing Technology.

To provide current knowledge and information through conferences and networking.

To appropriately represent the professional interest of SRACA Qld Inc.

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