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# QUALITY CARE 2020 STRATEGIC CONTEXT

Presented by: Colm Maguire  
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The Pharmacy Guild of Australia

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Acknowledgement of Country: I wish to acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land we are meeting on, the Ngunnawal people. I wish to acknowledge and respect their continuing culture and the contribution they make to the life of this city and this region. I would also like to acknowledge and welcome other Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people who may be attending today's event.

## The Quality Care Pharmacy Program



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- Today you will hear the evolution of the QCPP to Quality Care 2020
- You will learn about why QCPP is transforming
- You will learn about what the change means for community pharmacy, you and your stakeholders
- You will have lots of opportunities to tell us the best ways of delivering Quality Care 2020
- You will reflect on how you can support and complement Quality Care 2020 to promote excellence in community pharmacy.

## Contribute



How could QCPP continue to support innovation and ongoing improvement in community pharmacy?

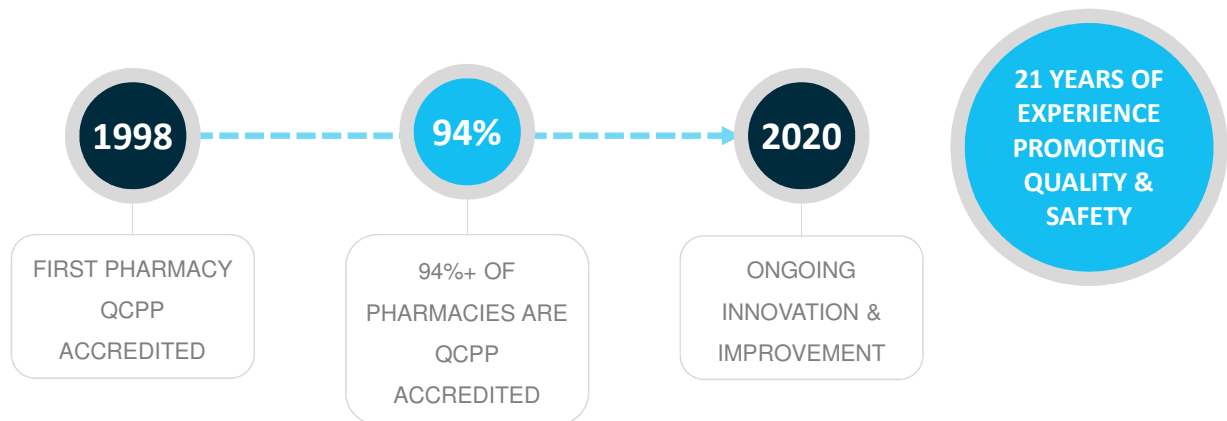
- Communication
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- What it takes to exceed expectations
- Being agile & seamless
- Identification of opportunities for improvement.
- Store visits
- Videos that showcase best practice
- Templates
- Focus on role of primary healthcare delivery more than mere supply
- Digital transformation guidance



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- We'll be opening the floor for questions at the end of each session.
- We also have a series of questions to ask you during each session.
- We'll be using a digital tool to ask those questions - Menti.
- You can access Menti via your mobile phones, laptops or any device connected to the internet.
- We will be publishing today's slideshow with talking points on the QCPP website after the event.
- This ensures that all stakeholders have access to the same information, should they want it.
- This also ensures we confidently meet our impartiality requirements for running the program.
- We will utilise your feedback for the working together sessions later in the afternoon to ensure it is more tailored to your interests and feedback.
- Your feedback will be published with these slides, however all feedback over Menti is anonymous
- To test your access to Menti, our first questions is: How could QCPP continue to support innovation and ongoing improvement in community pharmacy?

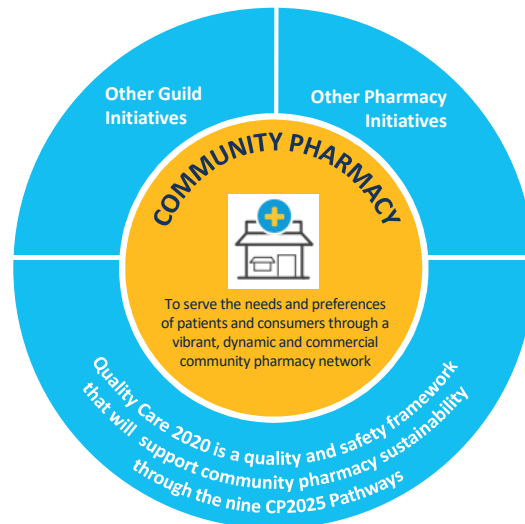
## Leading Industry Innovation



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- Operating now for over 20 years, the QCPP was developed by the Pharmacy Guild of Australia in 1997.
- In 1998, the first accreditation was awarded.
- Today over 94% of community pharmacies in Australia are QCPP accredited.
- The Guild prides itself on leading industry innovation in all areas
- QCPP is a mechanism for leading innovation and continuous improvement across pharmacy
- Quality Care 2020 will support the ongoing improvement of pharmacy practice in community pharmacies across Australia.

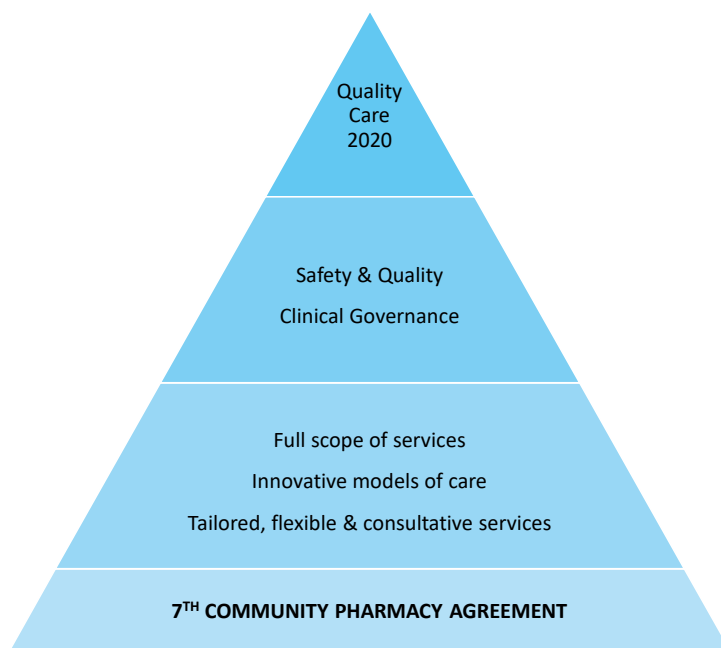
## Community Pharmacy Vision



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- We have a vision for community pharmacy to service the needs and preferences of patients and consumers through a vibrant, dynamic and commercial community pharmacy network.
- This vision has medication advice, management and safety at its core.
- Quality Care 2020 will support this vision by helping community pharmacies understand and be in a position to respond to the trends impacting their businesses in a way that makes the most of the opportunities that lie ahead.

# The 7<sup>th</sup> Community Pharmacy Agreement



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- The 7<sup>th</sup> Community Pharmacy Agreement is a mechanism for the industry to grow and better support Australian health care consumers
- This diagram represents some of the themes and focus areas being discussed across the industry and in the context of the 7<sup>th</sup> Community Pharmacy Agreement
- Quality Care 2020 provides a framework for a broader range of community pharmacy services to be provided in a quality and safe way



## QCPP in Community Pharmacy



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- Community pharmacies provide excellent professional services and care.
- But it's helpful to be able to define excellence and be confident that your pharmacy is performing at industry best practice.
- the QCPP is a quality assurance program focused on improving community pharmacy services provided to the public.
- The QCPP provides a framework for community pharmacies to provide quality, safe and consistent professional services and consumer care.
- The QCPP provides pharmacies with a set of actions to consistently be of high quality across the spectrum of community pharmacy functions and operations.
- The QCPP provides reassurance that you can focus on what you do best – looking after your community.



## Introducing Quality Care 2020



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- The QCPP reform will be known as Quality Care 2020
- Quality Care 2020 will reflect the continuation of community pharmacy innovation and practice
- Quality Care 2020 will reflect leading quality management practices
- Quality Care 2020 was necessary to reflect the new Australian Standard for quality in community pharmacy.
- But in the spirit of continuous improvement... it's much more.
- Quality Care 2020 was developed with regard to wider industry changes and trends.
- Quality Care 2020 reflects the National Model Clinical Governance Framework
- This framework sits under within the National Safety and Quality Health Service Standards (by the Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care)
- Quality Care 2020 also reflects the work of the Pharmaceutical Society of Australia in developing Clinical Governance Principles for Pharmacy Services.
- Our team also incorporated best practice accreditation models in consultation with our accreditation body - the Joint Accreditation System of Australia and New Zealand
- We have also revised our assessment model to reflect contemporary community pharmacy operational management practices

Thank you  
Discussion & Questions



# QUALITY CARE 2020 INTRODUCTION

Presented by: Chloe Hennessy  
Program Director for Quality Care 2020  
The Pharmacy Guild of Australia

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## Overview



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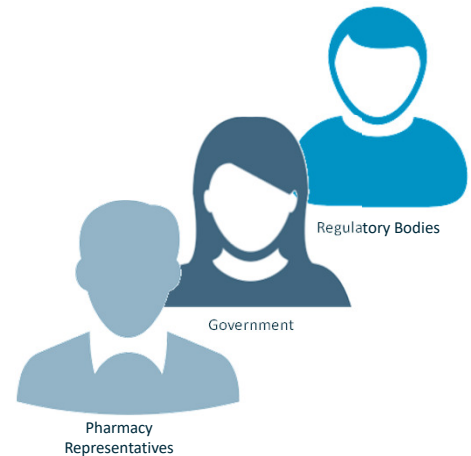
Closing  
Remarks

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- Housekeeping details for physical briefing (emergencies, toilets, breaks)
- Each briefing session is described by each box on this slide.
- There will be plenty of opportunities to ask questions through and at the end of each presentation
- Questions may be asked either through Menti or with roving microphones
- In the interest of time and accuracy, not all questions will be answered at the time
- The questions and answers will also be published on the QCPP website after the event.

## Purpose

1. Better understand the QCPP framework for quality, safe and consistent services in community pharmacy
2. Learn about changes under Quality Care 2020, including the strengthening of business and clinical governance
3. Identify strategic opportunities under Quality Care 2020 for the community pharmacy industry
4. Provide advice on transition arrangements for Quality Care 2020
5. Identify opportunities under Quality Care 2020 to better support your members



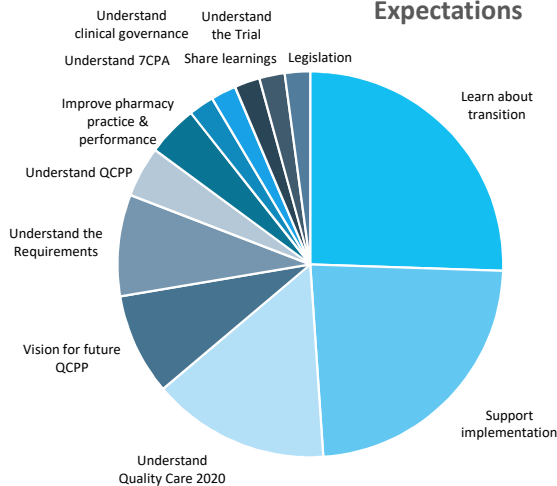
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- This slide presents the objectives of the Industry Briefing
- Invitations to the Industry Briefing were sent to regulatory bodies, government and pharmacy membership groups.

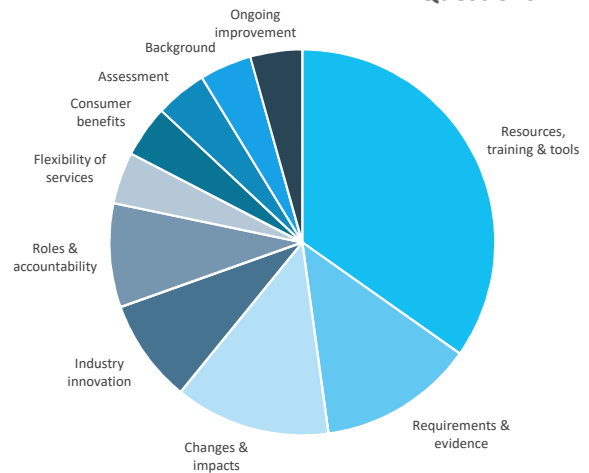
## Expectations and Questions



### Expectations



### Questions



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- When you were invited to the Industry Briefing you were asked to submit any specific questions and to describe your expectations for the day.
- We want to make sure we've addressed these throughout the day
- This slide categorises your expectations and the types of questions you submitted.
- There's consistency in large groups of people wanting:
  - to support implementation
  - better understand the overall program, the Requirements and the transition; and
  - ask specific questions about resources, training and tools; the Requirements; and about the changes.
- This range of information will be covered by the Industry Briefing.

## Other Questions

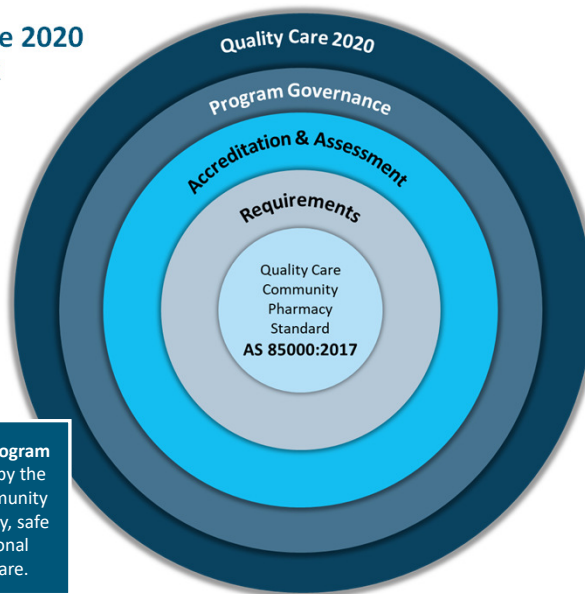


Are there any other issues  
or areas of Quality Care  
2020 that you would like  
discussed today?



[No significant/unique responses were received]

## Quality Care 2020 Framework



**Quality Care Pharmacy Program**  
Impartially administered by the Guild to ensure that community pharmacies provide quality, safe and consistent professional services and customer care.



The **AS 85000** Standard is the underlying foundation of QCPP. It's available to QCPP accredited pharmacies or independently through Standards Australia

The **Program Requirements** define the quality management system. They synthesise and articulate the AS 85000 requirements, and describe the actions and evidence required for accreditation under the Standards.

**Accreditation & Assessment** delivers the quality management certification and assessment.

The **Program Governance** includes the Program Rules, Terms & Conditions, Policies, Fees and accreditation delivery. The Pharmacy Owner must agree to the Framework prior to registering with QCPP and must maintain compliance.

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- The kernel of the QCPP is the Australian Standard (AS85000)
- The circles around the Australian Standards comprise the QCPP and its newest identity – Quality Care 2020
- These circles are essentially similar between QCPP and Quality Care 2020.
- But delivering the intent of Quality Care 2020 has required changes within each circle
- **Registration question:** What are the perceived regulatory impacts with QCPP particularly in terms of standards of practice and proprietor responsibilities? Pharmacy premises vs QCPP approval of vaccination services. Learn about QCPP and potential synergies with State and Territory legislation?
- **Answer:** QCPP is not regulatory authority. It is a framework which helps pharmacies be aware of their legislative obligations. QCPP provides a consistent standard and takes into account the legislative requirements on a broader national level. Pharmacies must ensure they still meet their state specific requirements as this can be different between different jurisdictions. A good example is vaccination legislation between each state. QCPP requires a baseline standard however pharmacies need to consider the broad range of differences between jurisdictions like approved vaccines, room requirements, documentation and reporting requirements and paraphernalia.
- QCPP will continue to review and update requirements via new legislation/standards/guidelines/protocols/advances to ensure it stays relevant and



practical in the industry.



- QCPP is a quality assurance program focused on improving community pharmacy services provided to the public.
- Quality Care 2020 was triggered by an update to the Australian Standard 85000 – from 2011 to 2017
- The scope of QCPP's requirements are bound by the details in the Australian Standard
- But there were still opportunities to ensure that QCPP was best reflecting the needs of an innovating community pharmacy sector.
- In 2017/18 we went through a pilot process involving about 20 community pharmacies
- The pilot aimed to test the conversion of the new Standards into new Requirements
- It also aimed to shift the emphasis in the program from compliance to quality improvement
- We learnt a lot from the pilot.
- We heard that the new structure of the requirements which uses 5 domains instead of 18 elements was really positive.
- We also learnt that we need to clearly communicate our expectations on how pharmacies meet the requirements and what kind of evidence should be provided.
- We also learnt that community pharmacies need a good level of information and communication on any changes being made to QCPP
- We've taken this experience and made further developments, in order to deliver you Quality Care 2020



- Quality Care 2020 has been developed to complement industry initiatives and to respond to the external environment for community pharmacy
- The features of Quality Care 2020 are intended to enhance the QCPP accreditation process and align with pharmacy business operations.
- Quality Care 2020 has been designed in consultation with pharmacies, businesses and industry experts
- QCPP has established the pharmacy-led QCPP Reform Working Group to provide ongoing input into the design of Quality Care 2020.
- Membership of the Working Group includes representatives from a variety of pharmacies, including both Guild and non-Guild members, independent and banner group pharmacies, as well as pharmacies that participated in the pilot review. It includes subject matter experts with extensive understanding of small business pharmacies.
- QCPP has also engaged subject matter experts on specific areas of the program, for example complex compounding.

## Enhancements Through Quality Care 2020



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- This slide lists the key changes and benefits of Quality Care 2020
- Quality Care 2020 demonstrates leadership and innovation through continuous improvement.
- Quality Care 2020 is a paradigm shift for driving quality in pharmacy, not checking quality in pharmacy

## Quality Care 2020 Timeline



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- This slide is an excerpt of the timeframes on the Quality Care 2020 flyers
- We encourage you to distribute the Quality Care 2020 flyers to your members and stakeholders
- The Quality Care 2020 flyers are available in hard copy for the QCPP Team or electronically from [www.qcpp.com](http://www.qcpp.com)

## Resources and Information



[www.qcpp.com/2020](http://www.qcpp.com/2020)



1300 363 340 (9am-5pm AEST)



[QualityCare2020@qcpp.com](mailto:QualityCare2020@qcpp.com)

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- QCPP will provide detailed information and resources in the lead up to Quality Care 2020, to give you plenty of time to prepare for upcoming assessments.
- To stay informed about Quality Care 2020, sign up for the QIP e-newsletter at [www.qcpp.com](http://www.qcpp.com)

# Thank you Discussion & Questions

Questions	Answers
Do EY have pharmacists working on the PMO and also as assessors?	Yes
What level of root cause analysis is required?	These details continue to be developed and will be provided through implementation
What is the benefit to the pharmacy of exceeding the standard?	The opportunity for pharmacies to exceed the standard will support continuous improvement amongst pharmacy and reward innovation and excellence. It is anticipated to underpin longer term plans for QCPP to be more consumer facing.
What training process will be put in place to ensure there is consistency of assessment given increasing flexibility around the domains and the content?	QCPP and EY Assessment Team are developing a suite of tools to support consistency in the assessment. These are currently being trialled in the field to ensure the assessment process is clear and accurately conveys the intent and detail of the requirements/evidence.
At what stage would QCPP refer a pharmacy to a jurisdictional authority in cases of repeated non-compliance?	We will continue to work with the relevant authorities to determine these processes and arrangements.



# QUALITY CARE 2020 PROGRAM GOVERNANCE & ASSESSMENT

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## Quality Care 2020 – Program Governance

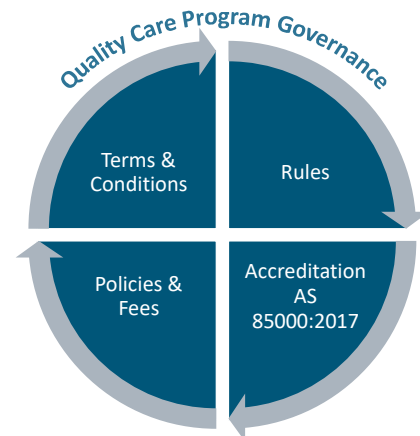


### Quality Care Pharmacy Program

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#### QCPP Operational Team

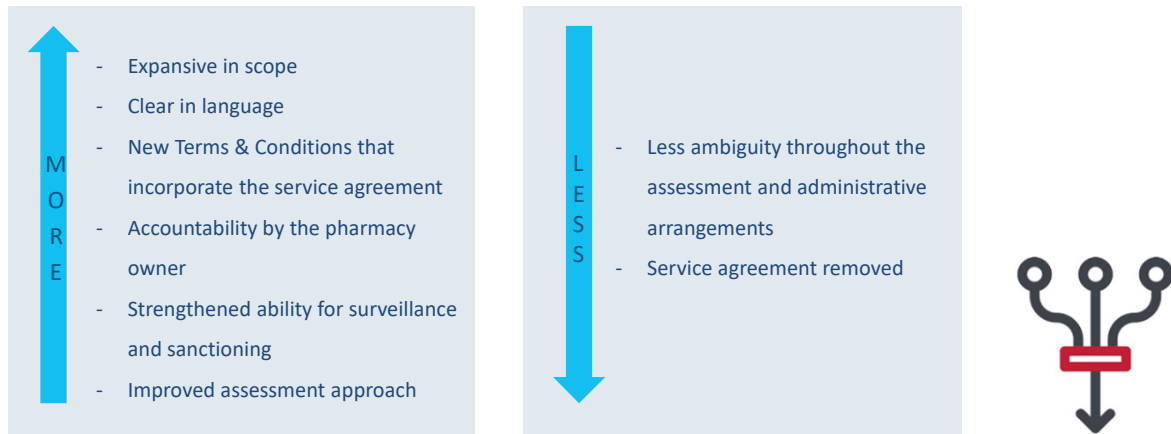
- Manage the program rules, policies & procedures
  - Provide customer services
  - Manage accounts and invoicing
- Ensure the CAB accreditation & regulation requirements are maintained
- Certify community pharmacies against AS 85000



Introducing Quality Care 2020, 29 October 2019: Program Governance

- The QCPP Program Governance elements are represented in the wheel.
- The Governance elements underpin the accreditation of the Guild as a Conformity Assessment Body for the purpose of administering the QCPP.
- Determining and communicating the Governance elements are the primary responsibility of the QCPP Operational Team
- The impact of each element on community pharmacies, includes:
  - Pharmacy owners must agree to abide by the Terms and Conditions of the Program before they can engage with the accreditation process
  - Pharmacy owners must agree to abide by the Rules of the Program
  - The Policies and Fees are the way in which the QCPP conducts its business
  - The Requirements are a core program material which underpins the accreditation

## Quality Care 2020 – Improved Program Governance



Introducing Quality Care 2020, 29 October 2019: Program Governance

- This slide describes the changes to the Program Governance under Quality Care 2020.
- The box on the left hand side describes what will be increased or more evident under Quality Care 2020; and the right hand box describes the features which will be decreased or less evident under Quality Care 2020.
- **Registration question:** How will ALL pharmacies in the QCPP program be held to account?
- **Answer:** QCPP is working to enhance its relationship with various national and state/territory based industry regulators to increase accountability. The QCPP hopes to increase the sharing of information between the program and these bodies in relation to issues of concern. It's anticipated that the increased sharing of information will improve the ability for any necessary investigations (by either party) to achieve optimal outcomes for the industry and for the safety of consumers.

## Quality Care 2020 - Assessment



### Quality Care Pharmacy Program

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#### Independent Contracted Assessment Team (EY)

- Train assessors
- Assessment quality control
- Conducts assessments
- Issues post-assessment outcomes & actions
  - Monitors post-assessment outcomes
  - Makes recommendations to QCPP



Introducing Quality Care 2020, 29 October 2019: Program Governance

- This slide introduces the QCPP assessment roles, processes, and model.
- It's anticipated that the assessment process and delivery under Quality Care 2020 will be similar to current QCPP practices.
- The QCPP Assessment Team is trialling the assessment model with community pharmacy under Quality Care 2020 to ensure a consistent and appropriate delivery.

## Quality Care 2020 – Improved Assessment Approach



### Exceed the Standard Requirements

Pharmacies who exceed the standard requirements will be recognised

- ✓ Continuous improvement
- ✓ Innovation
- ✓ Excellence

### Flexibility

Flexibility for pharmacy to tailor evidence based on its individual practice.

Structured against pharmacy operations with new technology for greater efficiency.

### Risk Management

Assessment outcomes that align quality management with community risk:

**Observation** - opportunity for improvement or positive recognition

**Remedial Action Required** – but no system failure nor is the matter a key requirement

**Non-conformance** – failure to meet a key requirement or potential system failure

**Root cause identification & redress** – triggered by a non-conformance

**Sanctions** – potentially triggered by consistent and successive non-conformances

### Data

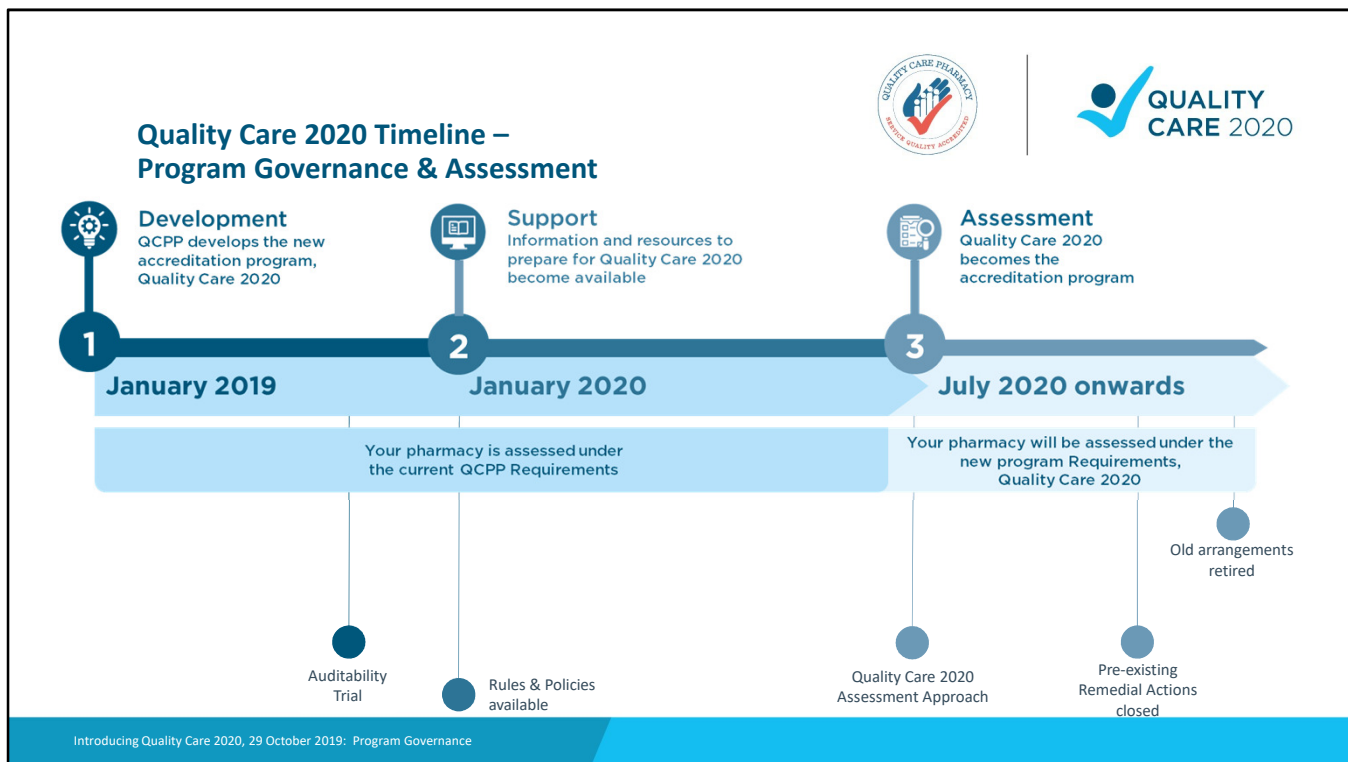
Improved reporting on assessment outcome data with benchmarking and trends provided.

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- This slide describes the key changes to the Assessment Model under Quality Care 2020.
- The opportunity to exceed the standard requirements will better recognise those pharmacies who are innovative and continuing to improve. The new 'exceed' program element could provide a foundation for additional certification or recognition in future.
- Quality Care 2020 will provide improved reporting on assessment outcomes, with benchmarking data and trend data provided to pharmacies.
- Quality Care 2020 uses an improved risk model for managing assessment outcomes, with regard to graduated risk to the community.

Morning Tea  
11.15-11.30





- This slide presents the Quality Care 2020 transition timeframes with additional milestones that pertain to Program Governance and Assessment

## Information, tools & resources



What type of information will your stakeholders need to understand the new program governance?

What tools & resources will pharmacies need to prepare for assessment under Quality Care 2020?

Responses are presented in the Tools & Resources session

## Quality Care 2020 Governance – Next Steps



Review program governance material: rules, policies, terms and conditions



Prepare for new assessment approach

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- We invite you to reflect on how you might use the information we have shared with you today to support the transition to Quality Care 2020.
- For example, you may want to review program governance material: rules, policies, terms and conditions
- You may also want to prepare for the new assessment approach.



# Thank you

## Discussion & Questions

Questions	Answers
Who will have access to the assessment outcome data?	Pharmacy owners will be responsible for determining access to the assessment process and results.
Will assessors use clear language plain English?	Yes. The assessors are currently conducting a trial to gauge how well the requirements relate into assessment questions, and how those questions can be framed as clearly as possible.



# QUALITY CARE 2020 REQUIREMENTS

Presented by: Simon Blacker  
Chair of the QCPP Working Group, Member Services Innovation Committee  
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*Michael Flannery believes the Quality Care Standards has allowed their pharmacy to move towards the pharmacy of the future, providing better services and health care for their customers and a happier, safer, more motivated work environment for his staff*



*Michael Flannery Amcal Chemist Pharmacy Team – 1999-2000*

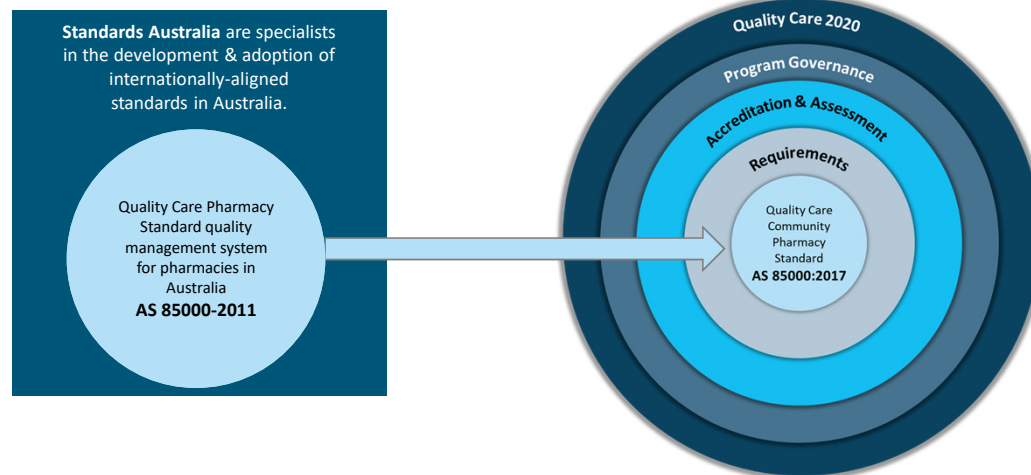


*Flannery's Pharmacy Team – 2019 (Guild Pharmacy of the Year – Community Engagement)*

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- This slide shows the continuous quality improvement approach of the Flannery Pharmacy Team over the past two decades.
- Flannery Pharmacy was one of the first pharmacies to be QCPP-accredited.

## QCPP Requirements



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- The updated Australian Standards triggered a change in the QCPP program and its requirements
- Standards Australia facilitated an updated Australian Standard from the 2011 to 2017 version
- The Australian Standards are independent, and developed by Industry
- The QCPP is bound by the detail in the Standards - the Requirements are derived from the Standards.
- We also knew the update to the Australian Standard was an opportunity to make other changes to QCPP reflect the evolution of pharmacy and contemporary community pharmacy operational management practices.
- We wanted to the Requirements to reflect industry initiatives like:
  - The National Model Clinical Governance Framework, which sits under within the National Safety and Quality Health Service Standards (by the Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care)
  - The work of the Pharmaceutical Society of Australia in developing Clinical Governance Principles for Pharmacy Services
- In consultation with the QCPP Reform Working Group, we've undertaken a very comprehensive review process over a number of months
- We've involved subject matter experts on particularly elements of the Requirements
- We acknowledge that the Requirements will continue to evolve and change as the industry does. There will always be more changes and refinements to be made at opportune times through the program. Now is the time to draw a line in the sand and transition to an updated model.
- The Team will continue to monitor the external environment and log ongoing opportunities to

improve the program in future and stay relevant to pharmacy

## Quality Care 2020 Requirements



### OBJECTIVES

- ✓ Recognises contemporary pharmacy practice
- ✓ Promotes industry innovation
- ✓ Reflects government and industry priorities
- ✓ Aligns with community pharmacy operations
- ✓ Clearer framework

### QUALITY CARE 2020

#### REQUIREMENTS

1. Improved Structure
2. Enhanced Requirements
3. Additional Requirements

Introducing Quality Care 2020, 29 October 2019: Program Requirements

- This slide describes the objectives that were used to design the Quality Care 2020 Requirements.
- Those objectives have been realised through three key updates to the Program Requirements
  1. Improved Framework (5 Domains)
  2. Enhanced Requirements (Updates to existing features in the Requirements)
  3. Additional Requirements (New Requirements that didn't previously exist)

## Quality Care 2020: Improved Structure



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- The pre-existing requirements are structured under 18 Elements
- Under Quality Care 2020 we are regrouping the requirements into 5 Domains
- The 5 Domains improve alignment with pharmacy practice and operations, and increase usability.
- This change was piloted in 2017/18 and received very positive feedback.
- Each domain will be published with a descriptor
- Each domain has sub-domains, which will have a quality management 'intent'
- The intent will give a more cohesive view on how all the requirements in the sub-domain will work together to embed quality, safety and consistency.
- The requirements will clearly articulate the evidence required – this feature has been strengthened compared to the feedback from the Pilot
- You may wish to think about how the change from 18 Elements to 5 Domains could be reflected in the materials and tools that your members and stakeholders currently use.
- You don't need to restructure against these domains, but this is the way our model will run

## Enhanced Requirements



1. Clinical governance, with a focus on
  - Safety & Risk
  - Incident reporting
  - Continuous quality improvement
  - Accountability by pharmacy owner
  - Responsibility of all pharmacy staff
2. Consumer-centred care, with co-design and evaluation
3. Business resilience to improve viability
4. Business practices associated with policies and procedures to embed quality and safety
5. Information technology requirements to promote the appropriate and safe use of consumer information systems



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- This slide lists the key enhancements to the Requirements
- Clinical Governance has always been a feature of the QCPP
- Under Quality Care 2020, we've mapped other clinical governance frameworks and increased our confidence that the QCPP aligns with each of these elements
- We've strengthened some of the language of the pre-existing Requirements to better align with other clinical governance frameworks and principles
- Currently health policy is emphasising the importance of consumer centred care and an engaged and literate health community. Community pharmacy has a role in collaborating and co-designing with consumers, their prevention and treatment actions. Community pharmacy also has a role in listening to consumers and evaluating collaboratively how well their health care arrangements are working, and how pharmacy services could be improved.
- Current QCPP requirements require pharmacies to have mechanisms for collecting and documenting consumer feedback and incidents. The new requirements will require a system of analyzing and reporting these to responsible and accountable persons (i.e. managers and owners) so they can be reviewed and addressed through a continuous quality improvement program.
- Enhanced requirements for business resilience will support a vibrant community pharmacy industry.
- Enhanced requirements for business practices will support a more consistent community pharmacy, to allow more time to focus on pharmacy services.



- There is an emergence of opportunity through IT, and great momentum within health policy & regulatory policy to better use IT. The Quality Care 2020 framework will support IT to be used safely and appropriately.

## Additional Requirements



1. Complex compounding
2. Cultural safety
3. Preparation and use of business plans
4. Environmentally friendly business practices
5. Health knowledge and literacy



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- Additional Requirements are being introduced through Quality Care 2020
- Additional Requirements reflect the new features of the Australian Standards 85000:2017
- This slide lists the types of new Requirements
- Further details of those new Requirements are also contained within AS 85000:2017 and available for purchase from Standards Australia
- The QCPP provides a baseline quality management framework for ensuring these activities are conducted in a safe, high quality and consistent way by community pharmacy.

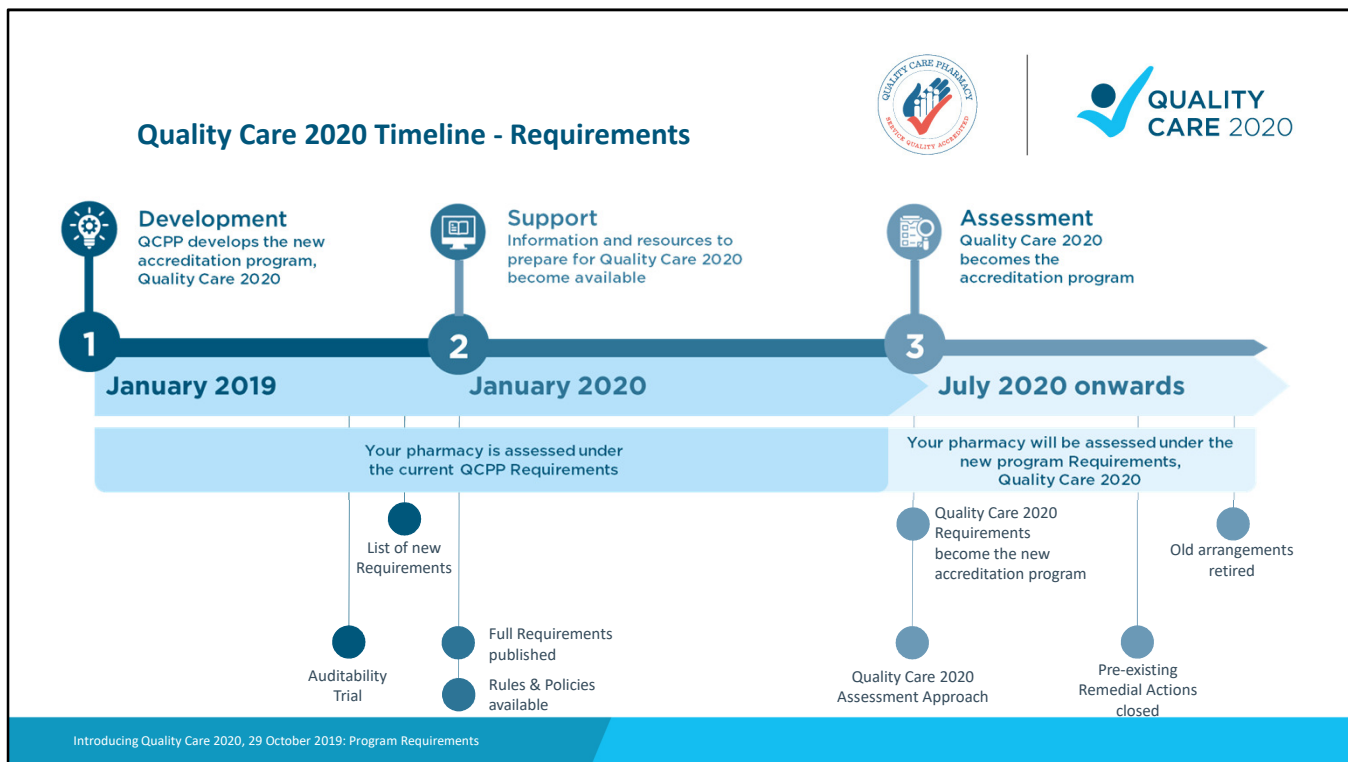
## Information, tools & resources



What type of information will your stakeholders need to understand the Quality Care 2020 Requirements?

What tools & resources will pharmacies need to address the Quality Care 2020 Requirements?

Responses are presented in the Tools & Resources session



- This slide presents the Quality Care 2020 transition timeframes with additional milestones that pertain to Program Governance and Assessment and the Requirements.

## Quality Care 2020 Requirements – Next Steps



Promote Enhanced &  
Additional Features



Review pharmacy operation  
manuals and materials against the  
new Requirements

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- We invite you to reflect on how you might use the information we have shared with you today to support the transition to Quality Care 2020.
- For example, you may want to promote the enhanced and additional features of the Quality Care 2020 Requirements with your stakeholders.
- You may also want to review yours/ your stakeholders' systems and tools and consider how the Requirements under Quality Care 2020 could be incorporated.

# Thank you Discussion & Questions

Questions	Answers
Why is health literacy an "additional" requirement? Wouldn't it be a core issue in pharmacy practice and health service delivery?	The reference to "Additional Requirements" refers to requirements that weren't previously in the Australian Standard 85000:2011.
What guidance will be available to support the ongoing changes for digital health	The digital health framework continues to evolve rapidly. QCPP intends to provide for continuous quality improvement in future iterations and documentation.



Lunch  
12.45 – 1.30



# QUALITY CARE 2020

## WORKING TOGETHER TO DELIVER

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## Overview



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Understand 7CPA

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Understand QCPP

### Program Framework

Flexibility of services  
Industry innovation  
Assessment  
Understand the Trial  
Consumer benefits

### Program Requirements

Requirements & evidence  
Understand the Requirements  
Improve pharmacy practice & performance  
Understand clinical governance  
Legislation

Resources, training  
& tools

Roles &  
Accountability

Learn about  
transition

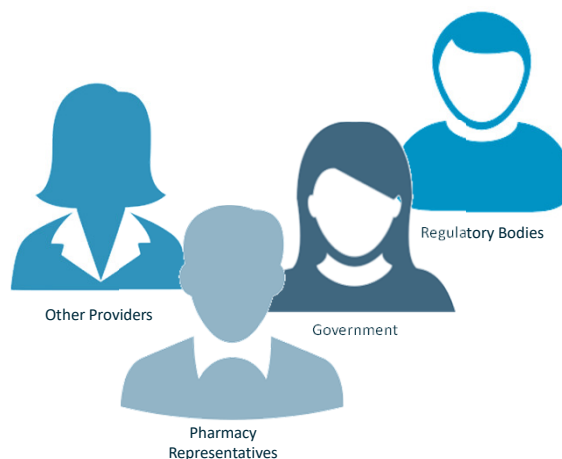
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Implementation

Share learnings

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- This slide presents the information shared so far through the briefing and the information remaining.
- The grey row of boxes at the top of the slide are the sessions that have been held.
- The middle row of bright blue boxes is the information we've shared, stacked beneath the relevant session, and categorised according to your registration questions and expectations.
- The remaining questions and expectations are represented by the navy row of boxes at the bottom of the slide and will be discussed in the remaining sessions.

## Roles & Responsibilities



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This slide recognises that there are many industry roles and responsibilities for maintaining and promoting quality, safety and consistency in community pharmacy

## Quality Care 2020 Tools & Resources



### In QCPP Scope

Resources to help understand the intent and methodology of the Quality Care 2020 Requirements

- ☐ Quality Care 2020 Requirements
- ☐ Australian Standard (AS 85000:2017)
  - ☐ Interpretations & Rulings
  - ☐ Other resources & references

### Out of QCPP Scope

Supplementary tools & templates which directly address or meet the Requirements

- ☐ Compulsory resources and templates eg Fast track

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- The primary role of the QCPP Operational Team is to manage an accreditation program
- The QCPP Framework incorporates a range of different elements from other industries, regulations and frameworks.
- Under Quality Care 2020 those industry resources, references & tools will be referenced.
- QCPP intends to eliminate system wastage and duplication. Under Quality Care 2020, QCPP won't replicate the resources of other expert organisations.
- There is already an eco-system of solutions already available to community pharmacy.
- The QCPP will continue to provide resources that help pharmacies to understand the intent and methodology of the Program.
- But, under Quality Care 2020, tools and templates will no longer be provided.
- The QCPP expects other providers might decide to independently develop and provide tools and templates for community pharmacy.
- For example: HR is a sub-domain in Quality Care 2020. It's much more appropriate for organisations like Fair Work Australia to provide practical tools and templates, than for QCPP to replicate and rebrand these.

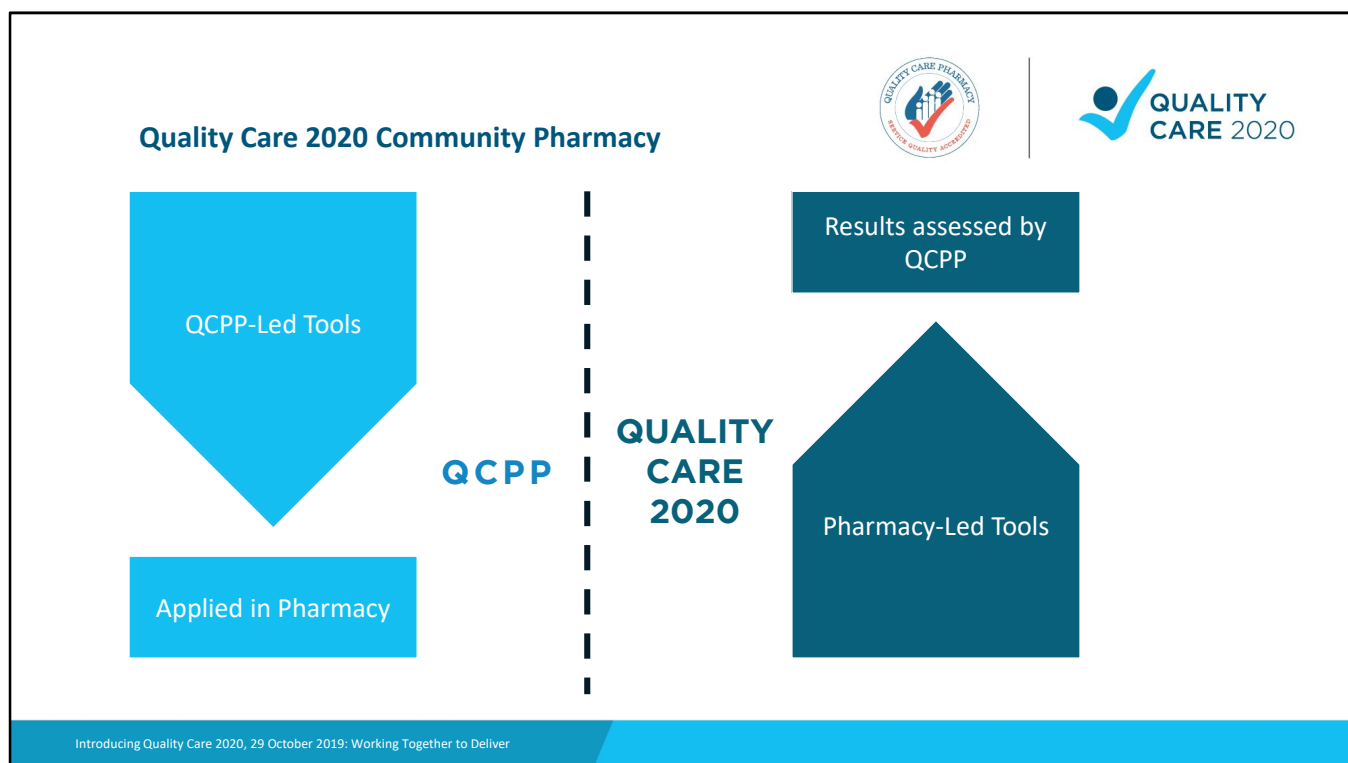


**Quality Care 2020 embraces the diversity of the Community Pharmacy Ecosystem and acknowledges that each location will deliver outstanding service in their own way.**



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- The tailoring and flexibility under Quality Care 2020 is important due to the diversity in community pharmacy itself.
- Each pharmacy will derive its own unique value from the Quality Care 2020 framework. Each of these pharmacies will require different levels of and types of support in order to embed quality management.
- These pharmacies should have business-led tools. QCPP won't assess the tools – it will assess the tailored approach to quality.



This slide represents the changed paradigm under Quality Care 2020, away from QCPP-led tools and towards Pharmacy-led tools.

Thank you  
Discussion & Questions



[Nil questions raised]

# QUALITY CARE 2020 TOOLS & RESOURCES

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## Information to support Quality Care 2020



### Governance Information & Tools

Training  
Webinars  
Instructions  
Suite  
Information  
Timelines  
FAQ  
Channels  
Criteria  
Motivators  
Data



### Requirements Information & Tools

Diagram  
Knowledge  
Framework  
Workshops  
Guidelines  
Assessment  
Training  
Videos  
Flexibility  
Navigation  
Templates  
FAQ  
Examples  
Context  
Webinars  
Transition  
Timeline  
Domain

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This slide describes the information and tools that were submitted on Menti during earlier sessions



## Next Steps for Information & Tools

What will you do to support the transition to Quality Care 2020?



### Table Responses

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communicate value proposition of QCPP and talk with members/stakeholders about why it has changed under Quality Care 2020</li> <li>• Train, upskill &amp; educate staff and stakeholders. Provide staff with the tools and capacity to coordinate and support. Prepare new Standard Operating Procedures.</li> <li>• Provide feedback to QCPP on Quality Care 2020 and continuous improvement</li> <li>• Provide positive leadership.</li> <li>• Provide information, coaching, training, clarification, encourage innovation</li> <li>• Develop a transition plan to support pharmacies, including target setting.</li> <li>• Explore risk, clinical governance and cultural safety for our stakeholders</li> <li>• Go on the journey</li> <li>• Ask members and stakeholders what support they need, and actively listen and respond. Be willing to assist and be flexible to pharmacy needs.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Promote accountability in pharmacy for quality and safety</li> <li>• Mock assessment run throughs, and/or shadow a stakeholder's assessment.</li> <li>• Provide workshops, training and webinars to support rural stores</li> <li>• Improve knowledge and education, undertake a gap analysis, provide head office/branch support via workshops</li> <li>• Stay informed. Read and understand the Standards/Requirements.</li> <li>• Store visits, provide resources to pharmacies, develop toolkits</li> <li>• Treat as a project – review what needs to be done via gap analysis</li> <li>• Evaluate current state, plan for future state</li> <li>• Align broader organisational services to support Quality Care 2020 domains and requirements</li> <li>• Recognise achievements</li> </ul> |
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## Next Steps for Information & Tools

What does QCPP need to do to support the transition to Quality Care 2020?



### Table Responses

#### Training

- Provide training – particularly on the Portal - and include best practice examples
- Provide training bites (why/what/how?)
- Enable mentors to support smaller organisations
- Provide face to face training and continue helpline support
- Don't reinvent the wheel where there are already good examples
- Provide a toolkit with resources for pharmacies

#### Assessment Model

- Shadow assessments
- Train assessors to be consistent
- Describe benchmarking in more detail
- Consider a longer implementation approach

#### Communication

- Consider all pharmacies and their specific needs
- Communicate roles and responsibilities
- Provide mapping from past to future assessment model & requirements
- Highlight what has changed and why
- Provide clear messages – early, often, consistent
- User friendly access to information, regular stakeholder communication
- Clearly define what's out of scope
- Provide a detailed transition plan for December onwards
- Provide contacts and other resources for help
- Provide common definitions and clear terminology
- Provide a detailed timeline and guidelines
- Communication and change champions
- Provide pharmacy board communication channels
- Consider use of social media
- Provide change management support to other organisations, such as behavioural change tools, to help embed better business models



Thank you



Afternoon Tea to 3.15



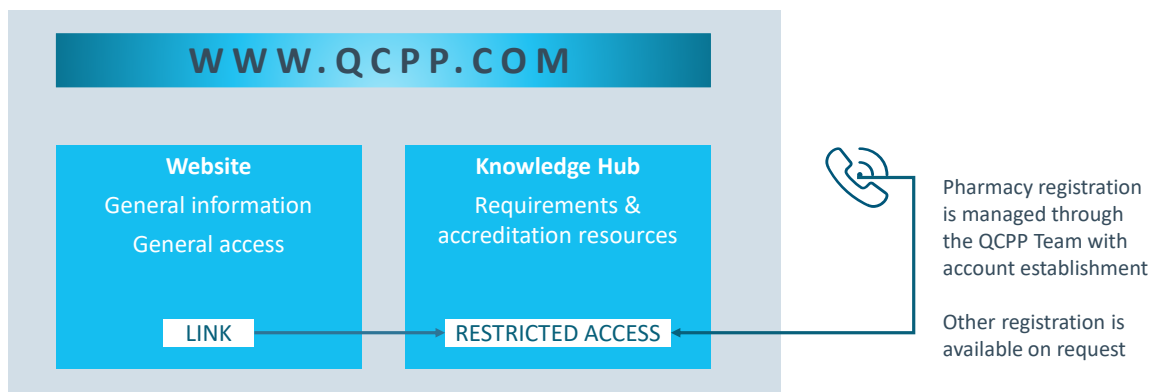
# QUALITY CARE 2020 PROGRAM PORTAL

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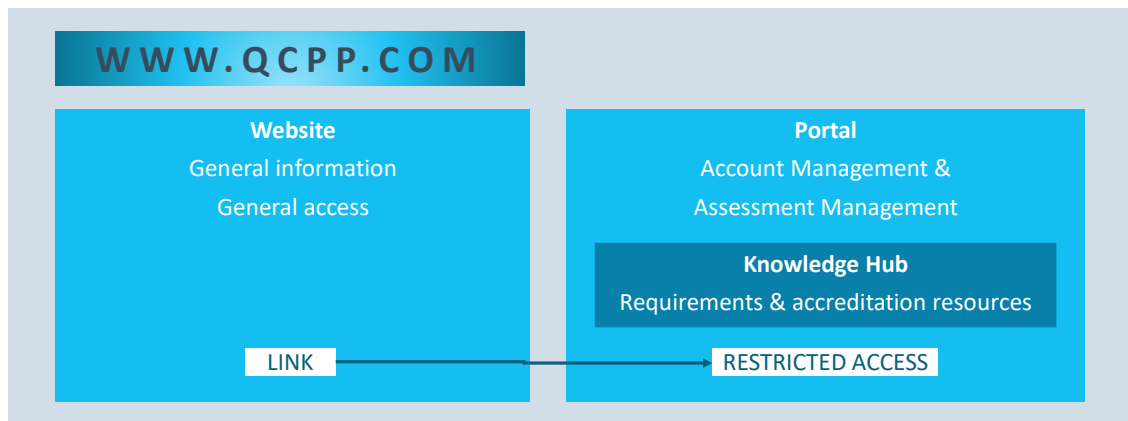
## QCPP Current Portal – Design & Access



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This slide represents the current state of digitally published information on the QCPP

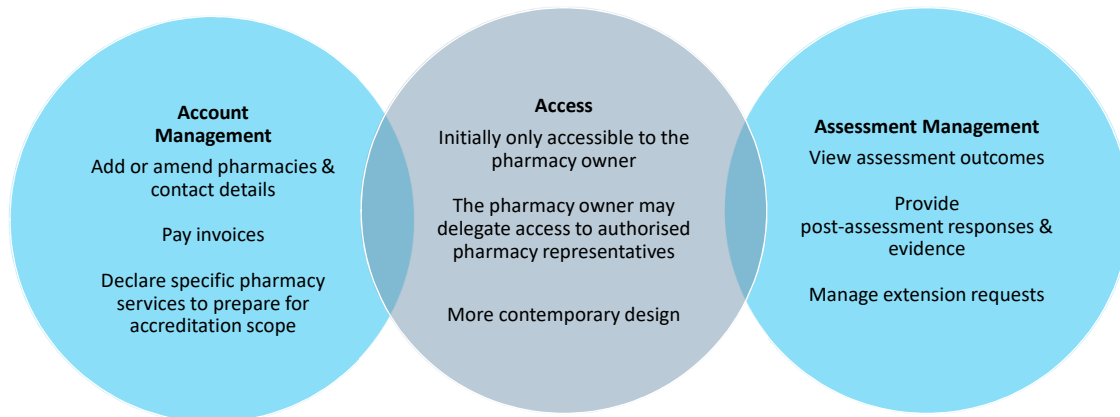
## Quality Care 2020 Portal – Design & Access



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- This slide represents the future state of digitally published information on the QCPP
- The Portal will host the details of the old/existing Knowledge Hub. These details will be fully superseded in late 2020 by the Quality Care 2020 assessment process. At this time, the old/existing Knowledge Hub will be retired.
- The new Portal will host a new Knowledge Hub.
- The new Knowledge Hub will include:
  - The Quality Care 2020 requirements
  - AS85000:2017
  - Interpretations and ruling relating to the new requirements
  - Mapping documents to assist in the transition from the current requirements to the new requirements
  - References to other available industry resources.
  - Potentially, educational snippets (e.g. videos, webinars)
- The new Portal will also include a module to enable pharmacies to self-manage the details QCPP has on hand in relation to their pharmacy (address, email, contact person/s), view information around when they will be due for reaccreditation, view and pay invoices and view and respond to any actions stemming from the onsite assessment.

## Quality Care 2020 Portal Account & Assessment Management



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This slide describes the three modules in the new Portal and the features of each.



## Information, tools & resources



Please rank the usefulness of the features in the Quality Care 2020 Portal for your stakeholders

### Results

Features	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup>	7 <sup>th</sup>
Owners can delegate access to other people	10	2	4	3	3	1	2
Add or amend pharmacies & contact details	4	3	3	4	4	3	1
Pay invoices	1	3	2	5	2	1	8
Declare specific pharmacy services in preparation for assessment	2	5	2	3	3	4	1
View assessment outcomes	11	5	4	3	2	2	0
Provide post-assessment responses & Evidence	1	9	10	4	3	0	0
Manage extension requests	0	0	2	3	3	8	6

## Quality Care 2020 Customer Communications



Same access  
9am – 5pm AEST

1300 363 340



Same email support

[help@qcpp.com](mailto:help@qcpp.com)

[qcppscheduling@au.ey.com](mailto:qcppscheduling@au.ey.com)

But, post-assessment actions  
will no longer be sent via PDF  
reports

### Portal

A new Portal for managing  
QCPP account & assessment

Single sign-in access to the  
Knowledge Hub

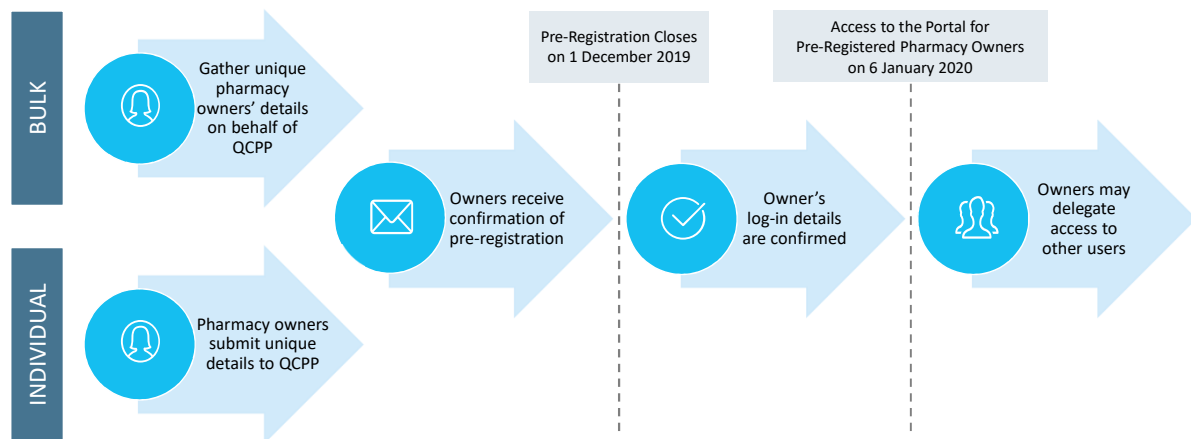
Assessment actions must be  
accessed through the Portal

Submit post-assessment  
evidence

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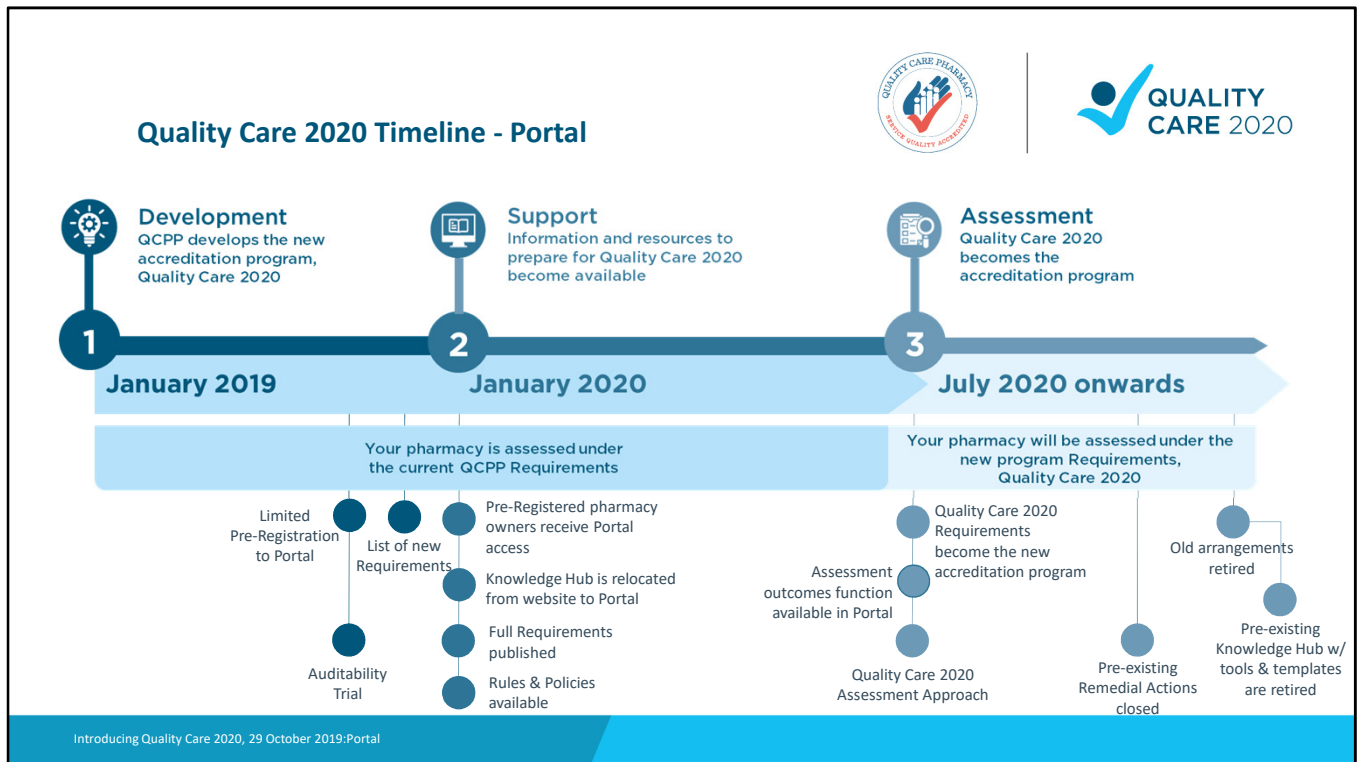
This slide describes the future communication channels to access QCPP support

## Quality Care 2020 – Pre-Registration to the Portal



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- The Portal will be available from 6 January 2020
- Pre-registration to the Portal will be available from the QCPP website
- Pre-registration will be promoted through a QIP e-newsletter
- Pre-registration will be particularly important for those pharmacies with an assessment date between 1 January 2020 and 30 June 2020, in order to maintain access to the Knowledge Hub
- The QCPP will be in contact with member organisations directly on how you might promote the pre-registration process with your members.



- This slide presents the Quality Care 2020 transition timeframes with additional milestones that pertain to Program Governance and Assessment, the Requirements and the Portal.

## Quality Care 2020Portal - Next Steps



Promote  
pre-registration through the  
QCPP website



Support bulk pre-registration  
process on behalf of QCPP

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- We invite you to reflect on how you might use the information we have shared with you today to support the transition to Quality Care 2020.
- For example, you may want to promote pre-registration for the Quality Care 2020Portal with your stakeholders.
- It may also be appropriate for you to talk with the QCPP about supporting a bulk pre-registration process for the Quality Care 2020Portal on behalf of your members.

# Thank you

## Discussion & Questions

Questions	Answers
Can invoices be paid on the new Portal?	Yes, from the launch on 6 January 2020.
Can external policy and procedure documents be uploaded to the Portal or Knowledge Hub?	No, the Portal is not designed to function like an intranet, however QCPP have had several enquiries in relation to this and may consider possibilities for future development.
How do industry organisations access the Portal?	Pharmacy owners may delegate access to representatives from certain industry organisations (banners, branches). Organisations themselves can request they be considered for access to be provided directly to QCPP. QCPP will also be in contact with some organisations on arrangements for direct access to the Portal.
What information do you need to authorise access into the Portal?	Accessing the Portal requires pre-registration in order for QCPP to validate identity and access. We will be in contact with member organisations directly on promoting the pre-registration process including personal details for authorisation.
Will there be an option on the Portal to export key dates and milestones into personal calendars?	Not at this time.
Is there ability for banner group representatives to see all related pharmacies and their accreditation dates in a list on the one screen that can be sorted by due date?	Banner Group representatives will be able to see pharmacy information where pharmacies have delegated access to the representative. Currently they cannot be sorted by accreditation date but QCPP will investigate this. Pharmacy accreditation information will be detailed in separate per-pharmacy screens.
Will each joint owner be able to view their stores, or will only one owner have access to each individual pharmacy?	Provided they create a username and password each joint owner will be able to access and view each of their stores.



# QUALITY CARE 2020 CLOSING REMARKS

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## Discussion Topics



Triggered by change in Australian Standard 85000

Opportunity to promote continuous improvement and industry relevance

The Program Framework and Materials will be clearer and more contemporary

Assessment will be more flexible and allow pharmacies to use customised quality management tools and evidence

The Assessment will recognise pharmacies who exceed the Standards

The Assessment outcomes will reflect risk to the community

Quality Care 2020 Requirements feature:

1. Improved Framework
2. Enhanced Requirements
3. Additional Requirements

The QCCP will provide resources and references but not tools and templates

A Portal will provide the:

- Knowledge Hub
- Account Management
- Assessment Management

Pre-registration to the Portal closes 1 December 2019

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This slide describes the QCCP Program Framework and key changes and features of Quality Care 2020.



## Next Steps



### What will you do to support transition?

- Communicate Value Proposition
- Ensure understanding of standards
- Train staff
- Provide Continuous Improvement advice to QCPP
- Provide leadership and flexibility to needs of pharmacies
- Provide information and training
- Encourage innovation
- Special support for rural pharmacies
- Improve knowledge and education
- Conduct a gap analysis
- Store visits
- Develop resources
- Treat as a project
- Evaluate current state, plan for future state
- Provide mentors for smaller organisations

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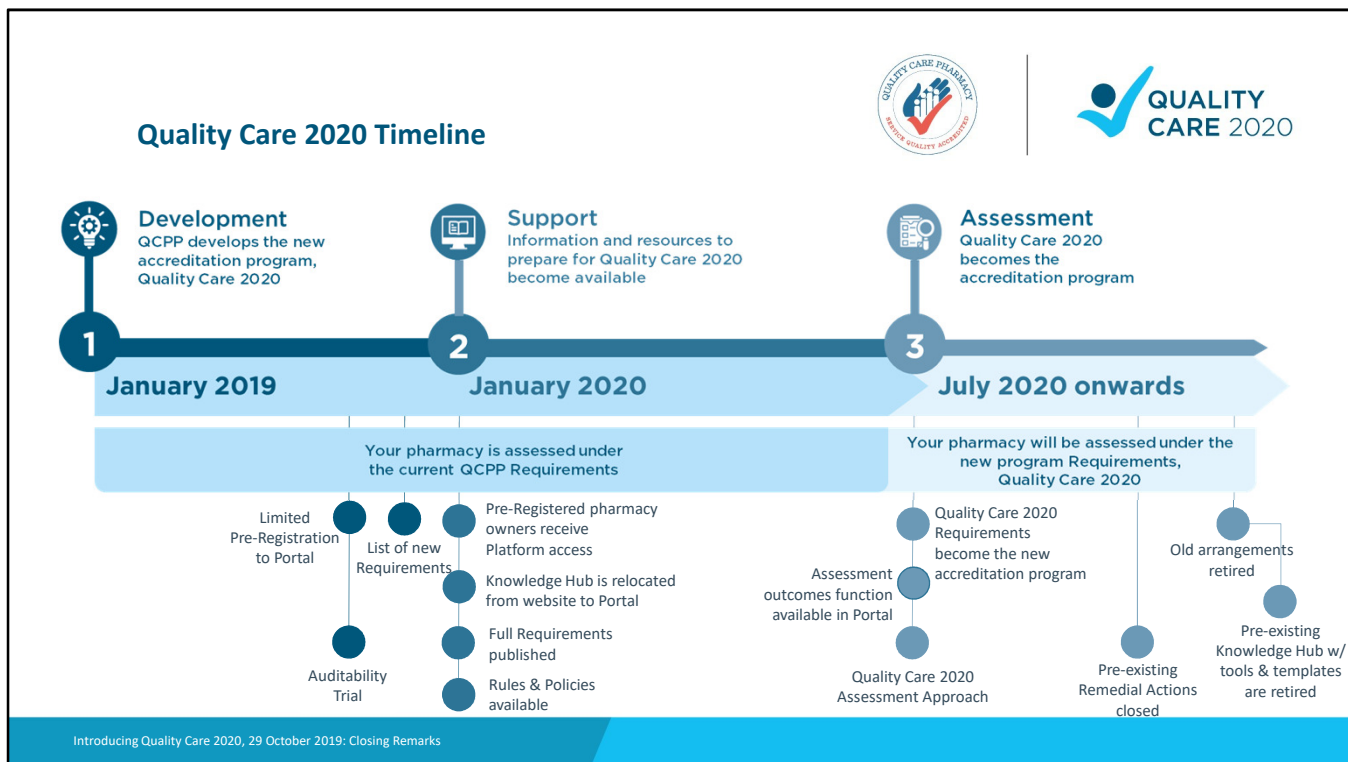


### What can QCPP do to support the transition?

- Community owner accountability & responsibilities
- Training
- Provide Portal
- Provide best practice examples
- Guidelines for mapping from past to future
- Provide clear messages – early, often, consistent
- User friendly access to information
- Clearly define what's out of scope
- Transition support (why/what/how?)
- Detailed timeline
- Champions
- Mock Assessments
- Provide broad communication channels
- Consider all pharmacies and their specific needs
- Promote understanding of new requirements and terminology

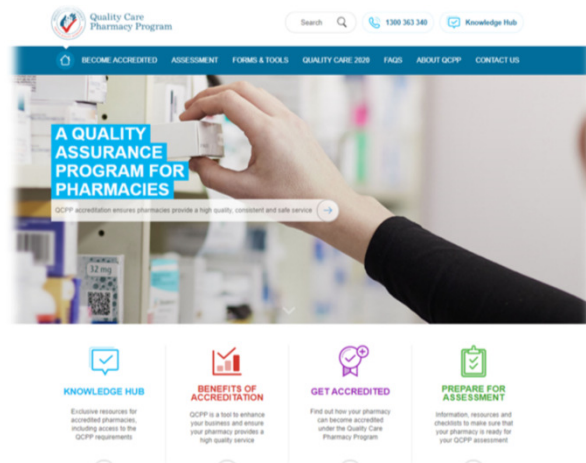
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- This slide presents the Quality Care 2020 transition timeframes with additional milestones that pertain to Program Governance and Assessment, the Requirements and the Portal.
- This slide is the amalgamation of the key milestones described during the Industry Briefing.

## Next Steps



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- The information shared during the Industry Briefing will be published on the QCPP website
- The publication of this information on the QCPP website will be promoted through a QIP e-newsletter
- The APP Conference in March 2020 will be another face to face opportunity to discuss the implementation of Quality Care 2020



## Resources and Information



[www.qcpp.com/2020](http://www.qcpp.com/2020)



1300 363 340 (9am-5pm AEST)



[QualityCare2020@qcpp.com](mailto:QualityCare2020@qcpp.com)

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- QCPP will provide detailed information and resources in the lead up to Quality Care 2020, to give you plenty of time to prepare for upcoming assessments.
- To stay informed about Quality Care 2020, sign up for the QIP e-newsletter at [www.qcpp.com](http://www.qcpp.com)

Thank you &  
Event feedback

