

Australian Public Service Employee Census 2020 12 October–13 November



Highlights Report



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RESPONSES:
938 of 1,157
RESPONSE RATE:
81%

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MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR RESULTS



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Identify the areas where you are performing well.

These will tend to be high results which are notably above any comparative results. These should be celebrated. Share the good news with employees.

Understanding your report and getting to action!

The results in this report give you summary information.

Take the time to fully understand this report and digest the results.

Consider your response rate and if it is representative of the views of your colleagues.

Identify areas that need improvement.



These will be the lower results, and/or those which are scoring notably below your comparators. Consider discussing these areas with your colleagues in focus groups or individually or team meetings, gather their thoughts and solutions before deciding on actions to take.



Consider if there is actually room for improvement.

This report shows the proportion of colleagues responding positively (strongly agree + agree), neutrally (neither agree nor disagree) or negatively (disagree + strongly disagree) to the question asked in the survey. Look at how your positive scores compare to your parent unit, and your last survey's results.

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Take action – think 'quick wins', short term and long term.

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Consider the impact of high neutral responses (lots of employees ticking 'neither agree nor disagree')

Ask your colleagues about their views to find out what is causing this. More communication and involvement may help to shift them to a positive frame of mind. Encourage all colleagues to help with action planning and implementation.

Think about what you want employees to be saying about their working lives in the future and what should be put in place to make this happen.





EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT: SAY, STAY, STRIVE

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HOW ENGAGED IS YOUR TEAM?

ENGAGEMENT SCORES AREN'T JUST ABOUT HOW MUCH PEOPLE LIKE WORKING FOR AN AGENCY. IT IS A MEASURE OF THE EMOTIONAL CONNECTION AND COMMITMENT EMPLOYEES HAVE TO WORKING FOR THE AGENCY.

\bigcirc	YOUR EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT 74%	RESPONSE S	CALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2019	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
	SCORE				+1	+1	+1	0
	Overall, I am satisfied with my job	79	14 7	79 %	+3	+4	+5 🔂	+3
۲,	l am proud to work in my agency	79	18	79 %	+2	+2	+3	0
SAY	I would recommend my agency as a good place to work	80	15	80%	+2	+11 🔂	+13 🟠	+9 🟠
	I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of my agency	79	18	79 %	-1	-3	-2	-4
STAY	I feel a strong personal attachment to my agency	69	21 10	69%	-2	+3	+3	+3
ST	I feel committed to my agency's goals	80	17	80%	+1	-3	-3	-4
	I suggest ideas to improve our way of doing things	79	16	79 %	+2	-6 \mathbf	-4	-8 🔮
STRIVE	I am happy to go the 'extra mile' at work when required	91		91%	+1	-1	0	-3
STR	I work beyond what is required in my job to help my agency achieve its objectives	78	18	78 %	+2	-5 🕑	-4	-7 🔮
	My agency really inspires me to do my best work every day	59	30 11	59%	+4	+2	+2	+1
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	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2019	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCI FROM LARC SIZED AGENCIES
Vhat is your gender?						
Male		54 %	+2	+17 🖸	+17 🔂	+18 🖸
Female		42 %	-1	-18 🕑	-18 🕑	-18 🕑
X (Indeterminate/Intersex/Unspecified)		0%	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say		4 %	-1	+1	+1	+1
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		1 %	0	-3	-3	-3
Yes		1% 99%	0	-3 +3	-3 +3	-3 +3
No						
No Po you have an ongoing disability?						
		99%	0	+3	+3	+3

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Do you have carer re	esponsibilities?					
Yes		42 %	+1	+1	+2	+1
No		58 %	-1	-1	-2	-1

RESPONSE SCALE

Since 27 February 2020, have you worked on tasks or activities directly related to COVID-19?

EMPLOYEES WHO INDICATED THAT THEY HAD WORKED ON TASKS OR ACTIVITIES DIRECTLY RELATED TO COVID- 19 WERE ASKED TO DESCRIBE THE TYPE OF WORK.	Yes	22%	-	-27 🔮	-27 🔮	-27 🔮
ONE OR MORE RESPONSES FROM A LIST OF ITEMS.	No	78%	-	+27 🖸	+27 🕥	+270

What form did this work take? [Multiple Response]

Working in a different team within your agency on work dedicated to the COVID-19 response and related activities (e.g. a COVID-19 taskforce)	10%	-	-11 🕑	-12 🕑	-11 🕑
Working in a different agency on work dedicated to the COVID-19 response and related activities (e.g. APS2000 surge workforce)	2%	-	-2	-1	-4
Working on COVID-19 related work in my usual role	90%	-	+10 🖸	+10 🔂	+10 🖸
Other	5%	-	0	-1	+1

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0	RESPO	NSE SCALE %	VARIANCE FROM 2019	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
EXPLORE	Do you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans, and/or Intersex	(LGBTI+)?				
THE FULL RESULTS	Yes	5%	+2	-1	0	-2
	No	95%	5 +4	+1	0	+2
	Are you currently seconded to a different agency and have been for less than six months?	working within that agency				
	Yes	0%	-	-1	-1	-1
	No	100	% -	+1	+1	+1
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ger	My SES manager communicates effectively	72	18 11	72 %	-3	+3	+6 🔂	-1
SES manager	My SES manager ensures that work effort contributes to the strategic direction of the agency and the APS	75	18	75%	0	+4	+7 🔂	0
	My SES manager effectively leads and manages change	66	23 12	66%	-1	+3	+5 🖸	0
Senior leadership: Immediate	My SES manager gives their time to identify and develop talented people	51	33 16	51 %	-3	+3	+5 🖸	-1
ior leade	My SES manager clearly articulates the direction and priorities for our area	70	21 9	70%	-4	+4	+6 🔂	+1
Ser	My SES manager promotes cooperation within and between agencies	59	31 9	59%	-	-4	0	-9 🕑

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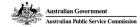
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EXPLORE	SES	In my agency, communication between the SES and other employees is effective		60	25 16	60%	+6 🔂	+4	+6 🗘	+1
THE FULL RESULTS	ship: All	In my agency, the SES actively contribute to the work of our agency		69	22 9	69%	+3	+2	+60	-4
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	My supervisor communicates effectively	83 9 7	83%	+1	+2	+3	+2
<u>م</u>	My supervisor displays resilience when faced with difficulties or failures	84 11	84%	+2	+1	+2	0
supervisor	My supervisor engages with staff on how to respond to future challenges	81 12 7	81%	-	+1	+1	+1
Immediate	My supervisor can deliver difficult advice whilst maintaining relationships	80 14	80%	-	+2	+2	+2
Ē	My supervisor encourages my team to regularly review and improve our work	82 12	82%	-	+2	+2	+2
	My supervisor actively seeks feedback	66 21 13	66%	-	-1	-2	0

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	Staff are consulted about change at work	50	35	15	50%	-7 👁	+1	+1	+2
	Internal communication within my agency is effective	60	27	13	60%	+5 🖸	+3	+4	+2
	Internal communication within my agency is regular	86		10	86%	+4	+80	+9 🗘	+6 🔂
	I understand how my role contributes to achieving an outcome for the Australian public	92			92%	+2	+1	0	+1
Culture	I can see a clear connection between my job and my agency's purpose	91			91%	-	+5 🖸	+6 🗘	+5 🔂
	I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of the APS	87		12	87 %	+80	+2	+3	+1
	I feel a strong personal attachment to the APS	61	29	9	61%	-	-3	-4	-2
	My agency inspires me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	59	30	11	59 %	+6	+1	+1	+2
	To what extent do you agree that crises such as the 2019-20 bushfires and COVID-19 clarified your sense of purpose in working for the APS?	46	41	13	46 %	-	-16 🕑	-18 🕑	-13 🔮

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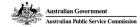
0	Discrimination	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2019	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	
EXPLORE	During the last 12 months and in the course of yo discrimination on the basis of your background o	our employment, have you experienced or a personal characteristic?					
THE FULL RESULTS	Yes		10%	-1	-2	-2	-1
	No		90%	+1	+2	+2	+1
EMPLOYEES WHO HAD PERCEIVED DISCRIMINATION IN	Did this discrimination occur in your current ager	ncy?					
THE LAST 12 MONTHS IN THE COURSE OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT WERE ASKED WHAT THE BASIS WAS FOR	Yes		97 %	+1	+50	+4	+70
THE DISCRIMINATION. EMPLOYEES COULD SELECT ONE OR MORE RESPONSES FROM A LIST OF ITEMS.	No		3%	-1	-5 🕑	-4	-7 🕑
	Basis for the discrimination that you experienced	d (3 highest responses):					
	Gender		56%	-	-	-	-
ONLY THE THREE TYPES OF DISCRIMINATION WITH THE HIGHEST PROPORTION OF	Age		27 %	-	-	-	-
HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES, WORK UNITS AND WITH RESULTS	Caring responsibilities		20%	-	-	-	-
FOR THE APS OVERALL.							
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0	Bullying and harassment	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2019	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
EXPLORE	During the last 12 months, have you been subjected to workplace?	o harassment or bullying in your current					
THE FULL RESULTS	Yes		9%	0	-3	-4	-2
	No		85%	0	+4	+5 🔂	+3
EMPLOYEES WHO PERCEIVED	Not Sure		7%	0	0	-1	0
HARASSMENT OR BULLYING IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS WERE ASKED WHAT TYPE OF HARASSMENT OR BULLYING THEY EXPERIENCED AND WHO	Types of harassment or bullying experienced (3 high	est responses):					
WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR IT. EMPLOYEES COULD SELECT ONE OR MORE RESPONSES FROM A LIST OF ITEMS.	Interference with work tasks (e.g. withholding needed information, undermining or sabotage)		45 %	-	-	-	-
	Inappropriate and unfair application of work policies or rule (e.g. performance management, access to leave, access to learning and development)	S	40%	-	-	-	-
	Verbal abuse (e.g. offensive language, derogatory remarks, shouting or screaming)		37 %	-	-	-	-
ONLY THE THREE OPTIONS WITH THE HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES, WORK UNITS AND WITH RESULTS FOR THE APS OVERALL.							
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0	Corruption	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2019	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
EXPLORE	Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of your of witnessed another APS employee in your agency eng may be serious enough to be viewed as corruption?						
THE FULL RESULTS	Yes		6%	-1	+3	+2	+3
	No		84%	+2	-6 🕑	-5 🕑	-6 \mathbf
	Not sure		7%	0	+3	+3	+3
EMPLOYEES WHO INDICATED THAT THEY HAD WITNESSED POTENTIAL CORRUPT BEHAVIOUR WERE ASKED TO	Would prefer not to answer		2%	-1	0	0	0
DESCRIBE THE BEHAVIOUR. EMPLOYEES COULD SELECT ONE OR MORE RESPONSES FROM A LIST OF ITEMS.	Types of corrupt behaviours witnessed (3 highest res	ponses):					
	Cronyism-preferential treatment of friends, such as appointing them to positions without proper regard to meri	t	84%	-	-	-	-
	Nepotism-preferential treatment of family members, such as appointing them to positions without proper regard to meri		45 %	-	-	-	-
ONLY THE THREE TYPES OF	Acting (or failing to act) in the presence of an undisclosed conflict of interest		34 %	-	-	-	-
CORRUPT BEHAVIOURS WITH THE HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES AND WITH RESULTS FOR THE APS OVERALL.							
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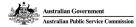
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EXPLORE		My agency supports and actively promotes an inclusive workplace culture	86	9	86%	+3	+5 🚱	+6 🛇	+3
THE FULL RESULTS	dinal	I have a choice in deciding how I do my work	78	17	78 %	+1	+18 🔂	+22 🖸	+12 🗘
FOR EACH QUESTION SHOWN HERE, INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROPORTION OF	Attitudinal	I receive the respect I deserve from my colleagues at work	81	14	81 %	+3	+1	+2	0
COLLEAGUES RESPONDING POSITIVELY (STRONGLY AGREE + AGREE), NEUTRALLY (NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE) OR NEGATIVELY (DISAGREE + STRONGLY DISAGREE) IS PROVIDED		I am clear what my duties and responsibilities are	89	9	89%	0	+7 🖸	+7 🕢	+8 😡
LOOK AT HOW YOUR POSITIVE SCORE COMPARES TO THE AVAILABLE COMPARISONS.									
WHERE ARE YOU PERFORMING WELL?									
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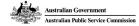
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EXPLORE	Has there been a change in your general health and w 2020)?	ellbeing since COVID-19 (27 February					
THE FULL RESULTS	Very positive change		3%	-	-1	-2	-1
	Positive change		17 %	-	-1	0	-1
	No change		48 %	-	+1	-1	+3
	Negative change		30%	-	+1	+3	-1
	Very negative change		3 %	-	0	0	0
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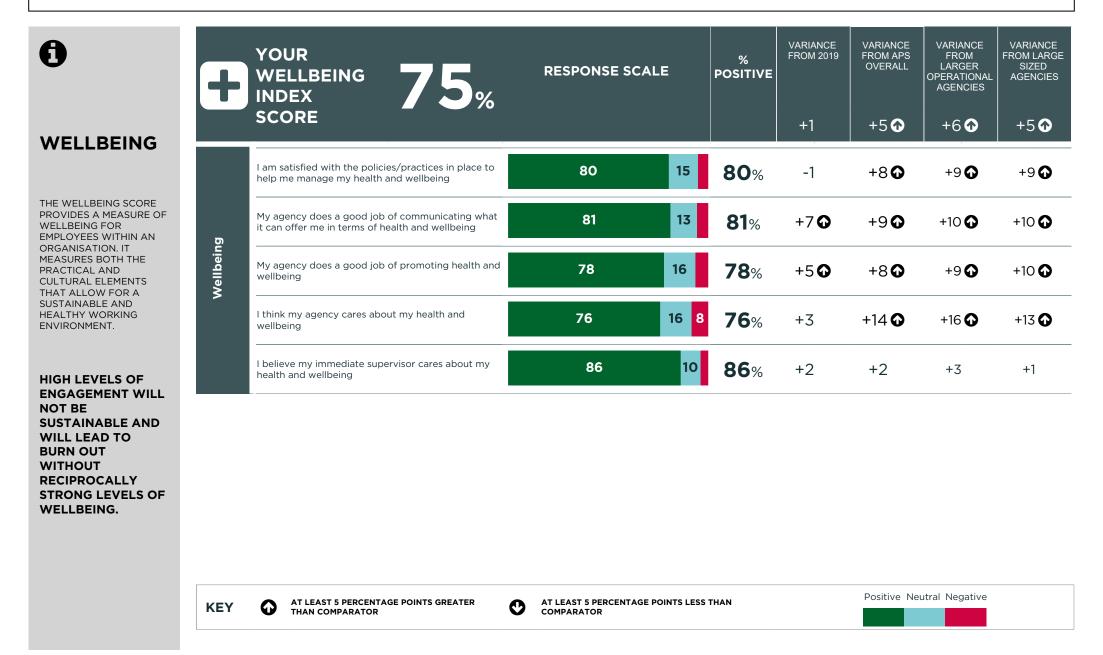


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		RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2019	FROM APS OVERALL	FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	
	My job gives me opportunities to utilise my skills	90	90%	+3	+5 🖸	+6 🔂	+3
Your job	l am fairly remunerated (e.g. salary, superannuation) for the work that I do	74 14 12	74 %	+3	+7 🔂	+11 🕢	+1
You	I am satisfied with my non-monetary employment conditions (e.g. leave, flexible work arrangements, other benefits)	92	92%	-1	+13 🖸	+15 🔂	+11 🖸
	I am satisfied with the stability and security of my job	87 7	87 %	+4	+7 🕥	+7 🕥	+8🖸

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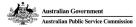
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EXPLORE		When changes occur, the impacts are communicated well within my workgroup	73	13 14	73 %	-	+6 🕢	+7 😡	+50
THE FULL RESULTS		The people in my workgroup cooperate to get the job done	88	8	88%	+1	+1	+2	0
FOR EACH QUESTION SHOWN HERE, INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROPORTION OF	rmance	My workgroup can readily adapt to new priorities and tasks	85	10	85%	-	-1	0	-1
COLLEAGUES RESPONDING POSITIVELY (STRONGLY AGREE + AGREE), NEUTRALLY	Workgroup performance	My workgroup has the appropriate skills, capabilities and knowledge to perform well	87	8	87%	+4	+5 🖸	+6 🔂	+4
(NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE) OR NEGATIVELY (DISAGREE + STRONGLY DISAGREE) IS PROVIDED	Workgr	My workgroup has the tools and resources we need to perform well	77	14 9	77%	+6 🔂	+12 🖸	+12 🖸	+13 🖸
		The people in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	79	15	79 %	+8 🔂	+2	+2	+1
LOOK AT HOW YOUR POSITIVE SCORE COMPARES TO THE AVAILABLE COMPARISONS.		My supervisor ensures that my workgroup delivers on what we are responsible for	87	8	87 %	+5 🕜	+2	+3	+1
WHERE ARE YOU PERFORMING WELL?									
IS THERE ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT?	KEY	• AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS GREATER THAN COMPARATOR	• AT LEAST 5 PERCER	NTAGE POINTS	LESS THAN		Positive	Neutral Negative	2



PRODUCTIVITY AND WAYS OF WORKING

0	RE	ESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2019	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
EXPLORE	How has your productivity changed since COVID-19 (Since	27 February 2020)?					
THE FULL RESULTS	Significantly improved		9%	-	-3	-4	-4
	Improved		31 %	-	-6 🕑	-5 🛛	-8 👁
	No change		49 %	-	+7 🖸	+7 😡	+8
	Reduced		10%	-	+2	+2	+3
	Significantly reduced		1%	-	0	-1	0
	What best describes your current workload?						
	Well above capacity - too much work		16%	-	-4	-3	-7 🔮
	Slightly above capacity – lots of work to do		44 %	-	+4	+6 🔂	+2
	At capacity - about the right amount of work to do		35%	-	+3	+1	+8
	Slightly below capacity – available for more work		4%	-	-3	-3	-1
	Below capacity - not enough work		1%	-	-1	-1	-1
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PRODUCTIVITY AND WAYS OF WORKING

0			R	ESPONSE SC	CALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2019	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
EXPLORE THE FULL		My workgroup successfully adapts to new ways of working when required (e.g. in response to crises such as COVID-19)		94		94%	-	+50	+5 🖸	+4
RESULTS	change	My workgroup has used the COVID-19 crisis to improve the way we work		68	26	68 %	-	+3	+4	+1
FOR EACH QUESTION SHOWN HERE, INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROPORTION OF	Responding to c	My agency quickly adapts and responds to changing priorities (e.g. in response to crises such as COVID-19)		86	11	86%	-	+6 🔂	+6 🖸	+7 🔂
COLLEAGUES RESPONDING POSITIVELY (STRONGLY AGREE + AGREE), NEUTRALLY	Respo	My agency is taking actions to maintain changed ways of working implemented during the COVID- 19 crisis		69	21 10	69%	-	+5 🕜	+50	+7 🕥
(NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE) OR NEGATIVELY (DISAGREE + STRONGLY DISAGREE) IS PROVIDED		My immediate SES manager supports embedding changed ways of working implemented during the COVID-19 crisis		70	21 8	70%	-	+5 🛛	+70	+3
LOOK AT HOW YOUR POSITIVE SCORE COMPARES TO THE AVAILABLE COMPARISONS.										
WHERE ARE YOU PERFORMING WELL?										
IS THERE ROOM FOR										
IMPROVEMENT?	KEY	AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS GREATER THAN COMPARATOR	Ø	AT LEAST 5 PERCI COMPARATOR	ENTAGE POINTS	LESS THAN		Positive	Neutral Negative	5



TIME TO TAKE ACTION

CELEBRATE	Q INVESTIGATE FURTHER WITH OUR TEAMS	
What things do we do well?	Are there any other opportunities coming out of the results that we want to explore further?	Areas we need to focus on and turn into action plans:
THINK ABOUT HOW WE CAN BUILD ON OUR STRENGTHS AND LEARN FROM WHAT WE ARE GOOD AT.	HOW COULD WE INVESTIGATE? THROUGH LOOKING AT THE DATA IN MORE DETAIL OR THROUGH DISCUSSIONS WITH STAFF?	WHAT ARE THE KEY THINGS WE NEED TO IMPROVE TO MAKE WORKING HERE BETTER?

0	PRIORITISE 3 AREAS FOR ACTION	TIMESCALES	OWNER	RESOURCES REQUIRED	TARGET/SUCCESS MEASURE
USE THIS PAGE TO START YOUR LOCAL	1				
ACTION PLANS	2				
CELEBRATE, OPPORTUNITIES FOR IMPROVEMENT AND AREAS WHICH YOU NEED TO INVESTIGATE FURTHER.	3				
PRIORITISE 3 AREAS TO TAKE FORWARD					



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% POSITIVE

WHERE RESULTS ARE SHOWN AS POSITIVE PERCENTAGES (% POSITIVE), THESE ARE CALCULATED BY ADDING TOGETHER POSITIVE RESPONSES ("STRONGLY AGREE" + "AGREE") AND DIVIDING BY THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS WHO ANSWERED THE QUESTION.

ROUNDING

RESULTS ARE PRESENTED AS WHOLE NUMBERS FOR EASE OF READING, WITH ROUNDING PERFORMED AT THE LAST STAGE OF CALCULATION FOR MAXIMUM ACCURACY. VALUES FROM X.00 TO X.49 ARE ROUNDED DOWN AND VALUES FROM X.50 TO X.99 ARE ROUNDED UP. THEREFORE IN SOME INSTANCES, RESULTS MAY NOT TOTAL 100%.

	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	NEITHER	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	TOTAL
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	151	166	176	96	24	613
PERCENTAGE	24.63%	27.08%	28.71%	15.66%	3.92%	100%
ROUNDED PERCENTAGE	25%	27%	29%	16%	4%	101%
NUMBER OF POSITIVE	151 + 166 = 317					
% POSITIVE	317 ÷ 613 = 52%					

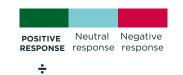
ANONYMITY

IT IS ENGINE'S PRACTICE NOT TO DISPLAY THE RESULTS OF GROUPS OF RESPONDENTS TO THE EXTENT WHERE THE ANONYMITY OF INDIVIDUALS MAY BE COMPROMISED. RESULTS WILL NOT BE SHOWN WHERE THERE ARE LESS THAN 10 RESPONDENTS IN A GROUP.

COMPARISONS WITH RESULTS FROM PREVIOUS YEARS

THE METHOD OF ANALYSING AND REPORTING SPECIFIC RESULTS MAY BE PERIODICALLY REVIEWED AND REVISED. SUCH IMPROVEMENTS ARE APPLIED TO CURRENT DATA AND THAT OF PREVIOUS YEARS. FOR THIS REASON THE CURRENT REPORT IS ALWAYS THE MOST ACCURATE DATA SOURCE FOR APS EMPLOYEE CENSUS RESULTS, INCLUDING COMPARISONS WITH TIME SERIES DATA.





number of respondents who answered the question

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% POSITIVE