



APAC Board Communiqué

June 2026

The APAC Board met on **29 June 2026**. Our post-Board communicate is designed to give stakeholders a greater insight into the workings of APAC Board meetings.

Accreditation Business

The Board noted that the Assessment Accreditation Committee (AAC) and the CEO had made determinations under powers delegated to them by the Board. All determinations are reported to the Psychology Board of Australia (PsyBA), which will then decide whether to approve each program for the purpose of registration.

AAC Determinations

Determination Type	Providers (n)	Programs (n)
Initial Accreditation	0	0
Re-accreditation	0	0
Program Monitoring	2	7
Accreditation of an existing accredited program at an additional campus	1	3

Board Determinations

Determination Type	Providers (n)	Programs (n)
Initial Accreditation	0	0
Re-accreditation	0	0
Program Monitoring	0	0
Accreditation of an existing accredited program at an additional campus	0	0

Administrative Decisions

Decision Type	Providers (n)	Programs (n)
Programs in teach out	0	0
Discontinued programs (completely taught out)	1	8
Addition of new program titles	0	0



Change of title	0	0
Change of campus	1	7

Other Business

The Board met with Ms. Amelia Druhan, Executive Officer of the [Health Professions Accreditation Collaborative Forum \(HPAC\)](#), where Ms. Druhan provided an overview of the HPAC Forum (comprising 15 accrediting authorities) and the current HPAC Strategic Plan. She outlined the five key pillars of the Plan - Voice (positioning), Resilience (resourcing), Safety (clinic and cultural), Reform (efficiency, alignment) and Future Workforce.

Six APAC governance policies, focused on governance, financial and IT control frameworks, were approved, with the Board also reviewing its succession plan. In support of this, the process for electing office bearers was also reviewed.

The outcomes from the most recent Stakeholder Reference Group (SRG) meeting, held on Thursday, 14 May 2026, was discussed which focused on proposals to redesign psychology training to a single accredited pathway for general registration and accredited areas of practice.

The Board approved a Memorandum of Understanding with the Australian Indigenous Psychology Education Project (AIPEP) for ongoing collaboration in developing a culturally safe and responsive psychology workforce for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

The next APAC Board meeting will take place on **Monday, 31 August 2026**.

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