**Multicultural Queensland Advisory Council**

### Meeting communique

The sixth meeting of the Multicultural Queensland Advisory Council (the Council) was held on 5 October 2017.

The Council met with the Queensland Social Cohesion Implementation Committee (QSCIC) to discuss links between the Cohesive Communities Action Plan and the Queensland Multicultural Policy, Our story, our future, and the Multicultural Action Plan 2016-17 to 2018-19.

The Council then heard from a number of Queensland government agencies on their progress on committed actions in the Multicultural Action Plan. Departments represented at the meeting were:

* Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services
* Department of Education and Training
* Queensland Police Service
* Department of Health

The Council discussed progress and further opportunities for strengthening cultural responsiveness within these agencies.

Further information regarding [government agencies’ 2016-17 reports](https://www.communities.qld.gov.au/multicultural/policy-governance/multicultural-policy-action-plan) on the Multicultural Action Plan can be viewed via the Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services website.