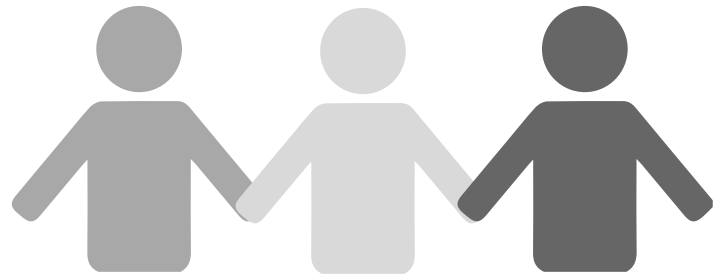


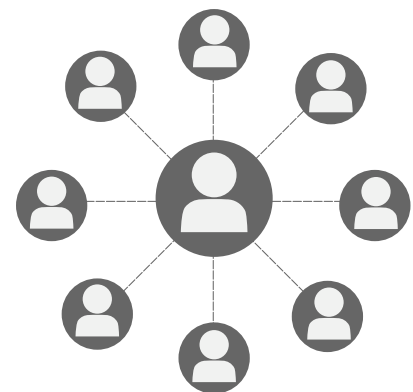
# MULTICULTURAL AGED CARE PARTNERSHIPS

To be a successful service provider within the changing multicultural aged care sector an organisation needs to acknowledge challenges, the importance of organisation's strengths, financial sustainability and partnerships as the sector transitions. Here are some valuable insights into how to be a considered and successful provider.



## MOVING FORWARD

- Maintain transparency, accountability, integrity and quality services
- Promote your cultural competence
- Continuous development in financial capabilities to ensure growth and viability
- Engage in discussions for opportunities to partner with organisations complementary to the organisation's mission and vision
- Create official partnerships using a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) which outlines shared values & expectations



- Implement innovative & sustainable operational & strategic models
- Demonstrate an understanding and commitment to culturally responsive practices
- Foster mutually beneficial connections that reflect your strategic objectives



## KNOWLEDGE NEEDED

Cultural competency



Partnership models



Change strategies



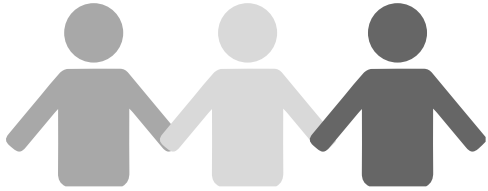
## CONSIDERATIONS

- Changing government policies
- Organisations' ability to respond to funding changes and increase competitions
- Maintain appropriate levels of funding to meet the needs of community members
- Availability of alternative & appropriate information sources to support organisations' strategic planning and to operate effectively in a "market" environment
- Increased challenges and potential barriers faced by older people from non-English speaking backgrounds to navigate the changing service system



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## WORKSHEET



WHAT ARE YOUR ORGANISATION'S  
AGED CARE PARTNERSHIPS NEEDS?



WHAT PREPARATIONS NEED TO BE MADE TO BE COMPETITIVE  
DURING TIMES OF CHANGE IN THE AGED CARE SECTOR?



WHAT TOOLS DO YOU HAVE TO SUPPORT CULTURAL  
COMPETENCY WITHIN AGED CARE?