



IPA Commitment

We Presentation People will respond to the cry of the Earth and to people made poor by embracing the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in a human rights framework, addressing the issues of women and children, care of Earth and indigenous peoples, as is relevant to our local regions.



How do we implement Goal 3?

We have made huge strides in reducing child mortality, improving maternal health and fighting HIV/AIDS, malaria and other diseases. Since 1990, there has been an over 50 percent decline in preventable child deaths globally. Maternal mortality also fell by 45 percent worldwide. New HIV/AIDS infections fell by 30 percent between 2000 and 2013, and over 6.2 million lives were saved from malaria.

Our challenge for the future is to embrace a new partnership between Indigenous and non-Indigenous Australians. The core of this partnership for the future is closing the gap between Indigenous and non-Indigenous Australians on life expectancy, educational achievement and employment opportunities.

Kevin Rudd, 13 Feb 2008

Everyone has the right to a standard of living adequate for the health and well-being of their family, including food, clothing, housing and medical care.

Universal Declaration of Human Rights (25)

- Australian Facts:**
- 63% of Australians aged 18 and over are overweight or obese.
 - Around 45% of Australians aged 16-85 will experience a mental illness during their lifetime.

“The Christian medical tradition has always been inspired by the parable of the Good Samaritan. It is about identifying with the love of the Son of God, who ‘went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed”

Pope Francis, 20 Sept 2017

- What can we be doing?**
- Collaborate with organisations to promote clean water projects.
 - Increase incidental exercise.
 - Giving to others by volunteering, being there for a friend in need, or caring for animals.
 - Engaging in activities that provide you with a sense of purpose.

