

CEO Report for 2016

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17th November 2016

Ungooroo Aboriginal Corporation has successfully completed another positive jam packed exciting year. Ungooroo have achieved great milestones in 2016.

Ungooroo have secured GP and Health services for the community and now accredited as a Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation as an ACCHO

We have following services which are all bulk billed:

- General Practitioner Doctor
- Dietician – Kelly Stephenson
- Dentist Services for 18 years and under youth at present
- General Physician – Dr Pat Oakley
- Physiotherapist – Bronwyn – Ethos Health
- Optometrist – Phil Anderton

At present we are promoting 715 Health Assessments for all community, a comprehensive Health Check with our GP Dr Siva and nurse. This initiative will help to 'Close the Gap' in Aboriginal Health. If any member would like to receive a 715 Health Check they will receive an original Ungooroo GP Health Service T Shirt with the totem of the Eagle on the shirt.

We also have the SHS program, ADEO and NCAP programs covering areas from Merriwa to Central Coast and both Lower and Upper Hunter areas. The SHS programs deal with youth at risk of homeless, providing transitional accommodation. All programs have excelled their targets this year and performed exceptionally well due to the hard work of all staff.

The Board of Directors have completed a refresher governance training workshop with ORIC and working on a 3 year strategic plan for Ungooroo to maintain all health services and provide a sustainable ACCHO organisation for the community.

We would like to thank our members for your continued support and look forward to a positive 2017.