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# Evaluating the NFP Board

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# WHY EVALUATE YOUR BOARD

- DHHS recommends an annual board review process as part of a best practice approach to governance
- ASX Principles recommend periodic evaluation of the performance of the board to improve efficiency and effectiveness
- AICD NFP Governance Principles recommend regular evaluation of the board as a way of improving performance and ensuring that the board is meeting its responsibilities

# What are the objectives of the evaluation?

## Board Performance

- Strategic effectiveness
- Risk management
- Financial oversight
- Corporate governance
- Quality/Clinical governance
- Stakeholder management
- Decision making

**What are  
the  
objectives  
of the  
evaluation?**

# Director Performance

- Professional expertise
- Governance skills
- Director participation, contribution and commitment
- Fulfilment of responsibilities and accountabilities
- Development needs
- Leadership aspirations

# What are the objectives of the evaluation?

## Board Culture

- Effectiveness of the board as a whole
- Board dynamics
- Director and board conduct
- Ethics
- Willingness of board to challenge, question and seek information
- Attitude to risk and innovation
- Strategy vs operations

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