



MYAN WA Strategic Plan 2018 – 2021

VISION	MISSION
MYAN WA's vision is for WA to be place where young people from refugee and migrant backgrounds feel safe, welcome and receive the support and opportunities they need to achieve their full-potential.	MYAN WA's mission is to increase positive outcomes for young Western Australian's from refugee and migrant backgrounds, through youth empowerment, sector capacity building and advocacy.

FOCUS AREA 1	FOCUS AREA 2	FOCUS AREA 3	FOCUS AREA 4
Youth participation	Sector capacity building	Policy and advocacy	Network sustainability
OUTCOMES	OUTCOMES	OUTCOMES	OUTCOMES
Young people from refugee and migrant backgrounds have strong leadership and advocacy skills	WA's youth and settlement sectors have the knowledge and skills that they need to work effectively with refugee and migrant young people	Issues that affect young people from refugee and migrant backgrounds are well understood throughout the sector and kept on the national agenda	MYAN WA's membership is made up of diverse organisations and individuals that can achieve change for young people of refugee and migrant backgrounds
Young people from refugee and migrant backgrounds influence key stakeholders and decision makers	WA's youth and settlement sectors build strong partnerships and collaborate effectively to achieve good outcomes for refugee and migrant young people	The specific needs of migrant and refugee young people are advocated for, when opportunities arise	MYAN WA has a clear strategic direction and a financial and operational model to support this

STRATEGIES		STRATEGIES		STRATEGIES		STRATEGIES	
1.1	Continue to seek opportunities for young people to share their stories through the Shout Out program	2.1	Provide regular forums for the youth and settlement sectors to come together build their knowledge, skills and partnerships	3.1	Seek regular opportunities to engage WA politicians key stakeholders on issues of importance to refugee and migrant young people	4.1	Build and maintain an e-database of members from the youth and settlement sectors
1.2	Provide ongoing support to young people to deliver the biennial Catalyst Youth Summit (funding dependent)	2.2	Develop and deliver training that builds the capacity of the youth and settlement sectors (i.e. NYSF, cultural competency)	3.2	Contribute to national policy, research and discussion on the needs of refugee and migrant young people and advocate for the unique needs of young people from WA	4.2	Develop an organisational membership process for MYAN WA
1.3	Support the development of a youth-led group of young leaders from refugee and migrant backgrounds and support their endeavours	2.3	Provide a regular e-newsletter to the youth and settlement sectors	3.3	Convene working groups on issues of importance to refugee and migrant young people as they arise	4.3	Maintain a strong and diverse Executive Group to oversee the direction of MYAN WA
1.4	Ensure continuous youth representation on the MYAN WA Executive Group	2.4	Utilise MYAN WA's social media Facebook page to promote events and information relevant for young people from refugee and migrant backgrounds and the sector that support them	3.4	Respond to key pieces of legislation, inquiries or policy/advocacy opportunities as they arrive	4.4	Develop and maintain an MOU between MYAN WA and an auspice organisation (currently YACWA)
1.5	Consult with young people when developing MYAN WA advocacy, policy and programs	2.5	Maintain a MYAN WA website that provides quality information to the sector	3.5	Utilise the website to build a repository of research and knowledge for the youth and settlement sectors in WA	4.5	Continue to pursue core funding for MYAN WA
1.6	Provide opportunities for young people to either lead or co-facilitate MYAN WA training, programs and events	2.6	Connect with the sector annually to assess needs and plan for the coming year			4.6	Seek funding opportunities to support youth or sector projects that fit with MYAN WA's strategic direction
		2.7	Reach out to all areas of WA (NOR, SOR, regional) to involve them in MYAN WA			4.7	Continue to build strategic partnerships with Government and youth/settlement community organisations