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RESPONSES:

5,763 of 7,149

RESPONSE RATE:

81%

EXPLORING YOUR RESULTS



Take time to understand your report. Consider your response rate to determine how representative your results are of the views of your colleagues.



Most questions in this report have information about the proportion of colleagues responding positively, neutrally or negatively.



Identify the areas where you are performing well. These will tend to be high results which are notably above any comparative results. Celebrate these results.



Identify areas that need improvement. These will be the lower results, and/or those which are scoring notably below your comparators.



Generally a difference of -/+ 5 percentage points is worthy of attention, but the size of the group is important. Changes in small groups can be unreliable.

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EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT: SAY, STAY, STRIVE



HOW ENGAGED IS YOUR TEAM?

EMPLOYEE
ENGAGEMENT IS MORE
THAN SIMPLY JOB
SATISFACTION OR
COMMITMENT TO AN
ORGANISATION. IT IS
THE EXTENT TO
WHICH EMPLOYEES
ARE MOTIVATED,
INSPIRED AND
ENABLED TO IMPROVE
AN ORGANISATION'S
OUTCOMES.

O	YOUR EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT			% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
	INDEX SCORE				+1	+4	+5 4	+2
	Overall, I am satisfied with my job	77	14 9	77 %	+1	+4	+7 6	+1
SAY	I am proud to work in my agency	82	14	82%	+2	+7 6	+9♠	+3
7 8	I would recommend my agency as a good place to work	73	18 9	73 %	+5♠	+4	+80	-1
	I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of my agency	93		93%	0	+86	+10 🐼	+6 🚱
STAY	I feel a strong personal attachment to my agency	71	21 8	71 %	+2	+11 🚱	+11 🚱	+90
ST	I feel committed to my agency's goals	92		92%	+1	+96	+10 🐼	+7 0
	I suggest ideas to improve our way of doing things	88	10	88%	+1	+1	+3	-1
STRIVE	I am happy to go the 'extra mile' at work when required	92		92%	0	+2	+3	0
STR	I work beyond what is required in my job to help my agency achieve its objectives	85	12	85%	-2	+4	+5 ⊙	+3
	My agency really inspires me to do my best work every day	69	22 9	69%	+2	+12 🕥	+14 🚱	+80

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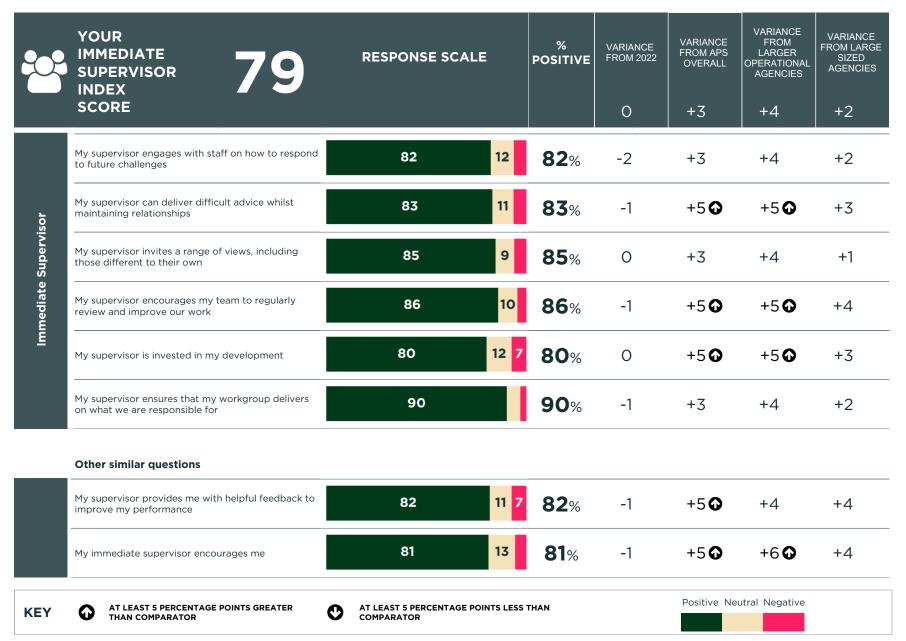
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LEADERSHIP - IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR



IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR

THE IMMEDIATE
SUPERVISOR SCORE
ASSESSES HOW
EMPLOYEES VIEW
THE LEADERSHIP
BEHAVIOURS OF
THEIR IMMEDIATE
SUPERVISOR IN LINE
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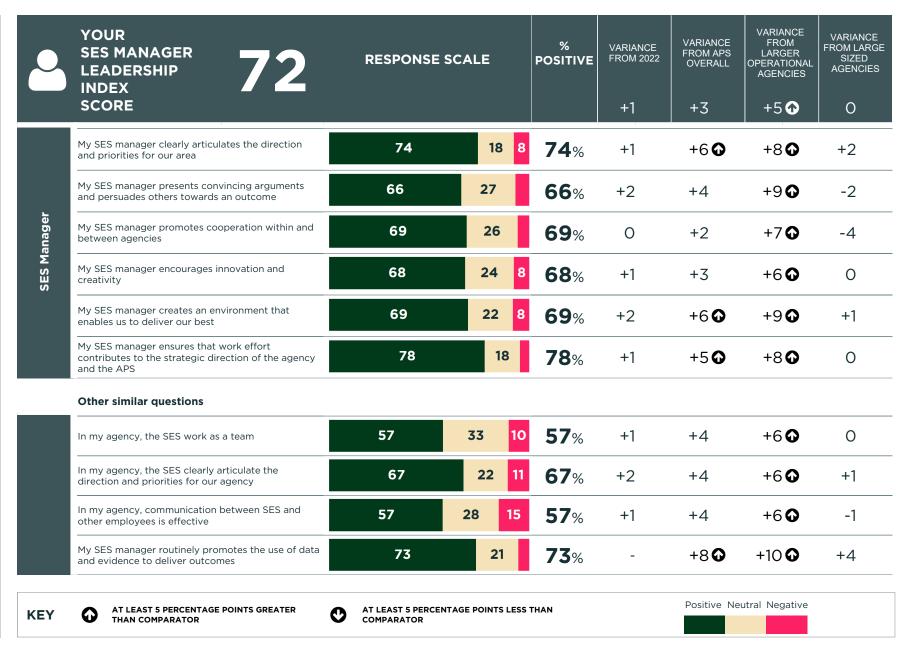
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LEADERSHIP - SES MANAGER



SES MANAGER

THE SES MANAGER SCORE ASSESSES HOW EMPLOYEES VIEW THE LEADERSHIP BEHAVIOURS OF THEIR IMMEDIATE SES MANAGER IN LINE WITH THE APS LEADERSHIP CAPABILITY FRAMEWORK.



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COMMUNICATION AND CHANGE



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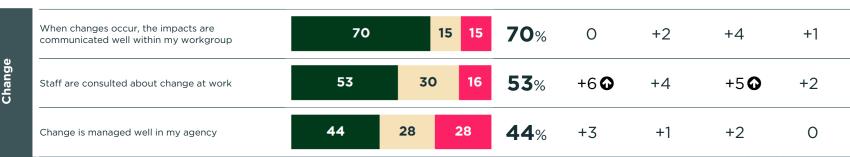
THE
COMMUNICATION
SCORE MEASURES
COMMUNICATION
AT THE INDIVIDUAL,
GROUP AND
AGENCY LEVEL.

9	YOUR COMMUNICATION INDEX SCORE	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022 +1	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL +3	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES +4	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES +1
ion	My supervisor communicates effectively	84 9 7	84%	-1	+3	+4	+3
Communication	My SES manager communicates effectively	75 17 8	75 %	+2	+7 •	+9♠	+2
Соп	Internal communication within my agency is effective	57 24 19	57 %	+2	+1	+2	-2

CHANGE

EFFECTIVE
COMMUNICATION IS
AN IMPORTANT
PART OF ANY
CHANGE PROCESS.
NOTE THESE
QUESTIONS DO NOT
CONTRIBUTE TO
THE ABOVE INDEX
SCORE.

Other similar questions



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WORKPLACE CONDITIONS

	RESPONSE S	CALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
My job gives me opportunities to utilise my skills	81	10 9	81%	+1	+2	+5 🚱	0
I have a choice in deciding how I do my work	68	23 9	68%	+3	+4	+9 0	-3
Where appropriate, I am able to take part in decisions that affect my job	70	16 14	70 %	+3	+1	+4	-4
I am clear what my duties and responsibilities are	81	15	81%	+1	+2	+2	+2
I am satisfied with the recognition I receive for doing a good job	72	16 12	72 %	0	+5♠	+9 0	0
I am fairly remunerated (e.g. salary, superannuation) for the work that I do	54	9 27	54 %	-10 O	+3	+9 0	-7 ⊙
I am satisfied with my non-monetary employment conditions (e.g. leave, flexible work arrangements, other benefits)	74	14 13	74 %	-3	0	+3	-6♥
I am satisfied with the stability and security of my job	73	12 15	73 %	0	-9 0	-8♥	-9 0
I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, my request would be given reasonable consideration	83	9 8	83%	+1	+4	+8♠	-2

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WORKPLACE CONDITIONS

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
I feel a strong personal attachment to the APS	67 25 8	67 %	+1	+5♠	+5♠	+5♠
I understand how my role contributes to achieving an outcome for the Australian public	94	94%	-1	+2	+2	+2
I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of the APS	88 10	88%	-1	+4	+5 0	+2
	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
What best describes your current workload?						
Well above capacity - too much work		18%	-4	-6♥	-6 0	-6 0
Slightly above capacity - lots of work to do		44%	0	+4	+4	+3
At capacity - about the right amount of work to do		33 %	+4	+4	+3	+4
Slightly below capacity - available for more work		4%	0	-1	-1	-2
Well below capacity - not enough work		1%	0	0	0	0

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INCLUSION AND FLEXIBLE WORKING

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
My agency supports and actively promotes an inclusive workplace culture	84 11	84%	+2	+4	+5♠	+1
My supervisor actively ensures that everyone can be included in workplace activities	87 8	87%	-1	+4	+4	+3
I receive the respect I deserve from my colleagues at work	84 13	84%	-1	+3	+4	+1
	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]						
Part time		12%	0	-2	-2	-2
Flexible hours of work		28%	+2	0	-1	+2
Compressed work week		5 %	+1	+1	+2	+1
Job sharing		0%	0	0	0	0
Working away from the office/working from home		72 %	0	+15 🐼	+20 🚳	+50
None of the above		14%	-1	-12 O	-14 👁	-7 •
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ENABLING INNOVATION



ENABLING INNOVATION

THE INNOVATION SCORE ASSESSES BOTH WHETHER EMPLOYEES FEEL WILLING AND ABLE TO BE INNOVATIVE, AND WHETHER THEIR AGENCY HAS A CULTURE WHICH ENABLES THEM TO BE SO.

\bigcirc	YOUR ENABLING INNOVATION INDEX SCORE	RESPONSE S	SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
					0	+2	+3	+1
	I believe that one of my responsibilities is to continually look for new ways to improve the way we work	81	14	81%	-2	+1	+3	-2
innovation	My immediate supervisor encourages me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	75	18 7	75 %	-1	+3	+4	+1
	People are recognised for coming up with new and innovative ways of working	60	28 12	60%	-2	+3	+3	+2
Enabling	My agency inspires me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	55	32 13	55 %	0	+6 🚱	+6 ☆	+6 🚱
	My agency recognises and supports the notion that failure is a part of innovation	46	39 15	46%	0	+7 0	+6	+70

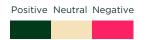
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WELLBEING POLICIES AND SUPPORT



WELLBEING

THE WELLBEING SCORE PROVIDES A MEASURE OF THE PRACTICAL AND CULTURAL ELEMENTS THAT ALLOW FOR A SUSTAINABLE AND HEALTHY WORKING ENVIRONMENT.

+	YOUR WELLBEING POLICIES AND SUPPORT INDEX	RESPONSE SCALE		% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
	SCORE				+2	+50	+60	+3
port	I am satisfied with the policies/practices in place to help me manage my health and wellbeing	70 2	0 10	70%	+5 ♠	+6 ₽	+7 ₲	+5 ♠
and suppo	My agency does a good job of communicating what it can offer me in terms of health and wellbeing	73	18 9	73 %	+4	+11 🟠	+12 🕥	+10 🐼
policies	My agency does a good job of promoting health and wellbeing	72	9	72 %	+6 🗬	+96	+10 🐼	+80
Wellbeing	I think my agency cares about my health and wellbeing	68 2	1 11	68%	+4	+7 🐼	+9 &	+3
W	I believe my immediate supervisor cares about my health and wellbeing	88	8	88%	0	+2	+4	0

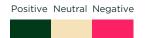
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WELLBEING

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
How often do you find your work stressful?						
Always		5 %	-2	0	-1	+1
Often		27 %	-2	+1	0	+1
Sometimes		49 %	+2	+1	+1	0
Rarely		17 %	+1	-1	-1	-1
Never		2 %	0	0	0	0
To what extent is your work emotionally demanding?						
To a very large extent		10%	-1	+2	+1	+3
To a large extent		25%	0	+4	+3	+5 ♠
Somewhat		37 %	0	-1	-1	-1
To a small extent		20%	0	-4	-2	-5♥
To a very small extent		8%	0	-2	-1	-2

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WELLBEING

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	
I feel burned out by my work						
Strongly agree		8%	0	-1	-1	0
Agree		22%	-2	-2	-3	-2
Neither agree nor disagree		32 %	+1	0	-1	+1
Disagree		31 %	+1	+2	+3	0
Strongly disagree		8%	0	+1	+2	+1
In general, would you say that your health is:						
Excellent		11%	0	0	+1	0
Very good		34 %	+1	+1	+1	0
Good		37 %	-1	-1	-1	0
Fair		14%	0	0	-1	0
Poor		3 %	0	0	0	0

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PERFORMANCE

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance						
Excellent		31 %	-3	+3	+5♠	+1
Very good		55 %	0	0	0	0
Average		12%	+2	-3	-4	-1
Below average		2%	0	0	-1	0
Well below average		0%	0	0	0	0
In the last month, please rate your agency's success in meeting its goals and objectives						
Excellent		15%	-2	-1	+1	-2
Very good		54%	+1	0	+3	-3
Average		26%	+2	+1	-1	+5♠
Below average		3 %	0	-1	-1	0
Well below average		1%	0	-1	-1	0

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PERFORMANCE

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
My workgroup has the appropriate skills, capabilities and knowledge to perform well	82 11	82%	-2	+4	+5♠	+2
My workgroup has the tools and resources we need to perform well	63 16 21	63%	+2	+4	+4	+4
The people in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	79 14	79%	-2	+4	+5♠	+2
My workgroup can readily adapt to new priorities and tasks	86 9	86%	-2	+3	+4	+2
The people in my workgroup cooperate to get the job done	90	90%	-2	+3	+4	+1

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Positive Neutral Negative



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RETENTION



EMPLOYEES WHO
INDICATED THAT THEY
WANTED TO LEAVE
THEIR CURRENT
POSITION AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE OR WITHIN
THE NEXT 12 MONTHS
WERE ASKED WHAT
THEIR PLANS WERE.

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARG SIZED AGENCIES
Which of the following statements best reflects your urrent position?	current thoughts about working in your					
I want to leave my position as soon as possible		9%	+1	-1	-1	0
I want to leave my position within the next 12 months		23 %	+2	-1	+1	-3
I want to stay working in my position for the next one to two years		37 %	-1	-1	+2	-4
I want to stay working in my position for at least the next		71	_	_		. 7.0
9 9,		31%	-2	+2	-1	+70
what best describes your plans involved with leaving	your current position?	2%	-2 -1	-3	-4	-1
three years What best describes your plans involved with leaving	your current position?					
Vhat best describes your plans involved with leaving	your current position?	2%	-1	-3	-4	-1
What best describes your plans involved with leaving I am planning to retire I am pursuing another position within my agency	your current position?	2 %	-1 +12 0	-3 +19 •	-4 +15 ⊙	-1 +18 •
What best describes your plans involved with leaving I am planning to retire I am pursuing another position within my agency I am pursuing a position in another agency	your current position?	2% 60% 15%	-1 +12 ① -1	-3 +19 • -13 •	-4 +15 • -10 •	-1 +18 • -12 •

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RETENTION



EMPLOYEES WERE
ALSO ASKED FOR THE
PRIMARY REASON
BEHIND THEIR DESIRE
TO LEAVE AND COULD
SELECT ONE
RESPONSE FROM A
LIST OF ITEMS.

ONLY THE FIVE REASONS FOR LEAVING WITH THE HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES, WORK UNITS AND WITH RESULTS FOR THE APS OVERALL.

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
What is the primary reason behind yo responses):	ur desire to leave your current position? (5 highest					
I wish to pursue a promotion opportunity		27 %	-	-	-	-
I am looking to further my skills in another	r area	15%	-	-	-	-
I want to try a different type of work or I'n change	n seeking a career	8%	-	-	-	-
I have achieved all I can in my current pos	ition	7 %	-	-	-	-
Other		6%	-	-	-	-

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UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR



EMPLOYEES WHO HAD PERCEIVED DISCRIMINATION IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS IN THE COURSE OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT WERE ASKED WHAT THE BASIS WAS FOR THE DISCRIMINATION. EMPLOYEES COULD SELECT ONE OR MORE RESPONSES FROM A LIST OF ITEMS.

ONLY THE THREE
TYPES OF
DISCRIMINATION WITH
THE HIGHEST
PROPORTION OF
RESPONSES ARE
PRESENTED HERE.
THESE MAY VARY
BETWEEN AGENCIES,
WORK UNITS AND
WITH RESULTS FOR
THE APS OVERALL.

DISCRIMINATION	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
During the last 12 months and in the course o discrimination on the basis of your backgrour						
Yes		10%	+1	0	-1	+1
No		90%	-1	0	+1	-1
Did this discrimination occur in your current a	agency?					
Yes		91%	-2	-1	-2	+1
No		9%	+2	+1	+2	-1
Basis for the discrimination that you experien	ced (3 highest responses):					
Disability		29%	-	-	-	-
Caring responsibilities		22%	-	-	-	-
Other		22%	-	-	-	-

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UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR



EMPLOYEES WHO
PERCEIVED
HARASSMENT OR
BULLYING IN THE LAST
12 MONTHS WERE
ASKED WHAT TYPE OF
HARASSMENT OR
BULLYING THEY
EXPERIENCED.
EMPLOYEES COULD
SELECT ONE OR MORE
RESPONSES FROM A
LIST OF ITEMS.

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OPTIONS WITH THE
HIGHEST PROPORTION
OF RESPONSES ARE
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BETWEEN AGENCIES,
WORK UNITS AND
WITH RESULTS FOR
THE APS OVERALL.

HARASSMENT AND BULLYING	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANO FROM LAR SIZED AGENCIE
During the last 12 months, have you been subjected to ha workplace?	arassment or bullying in your current					
Yes		11%	+1	0	0	+1
No		85%	-1	+1	+2	0
Not sure		5 %	-1	-1	-1	-1
ypes of harassment or bullying experienced (3 highest r	esponses):					
nterference with work tasks (e.g. withholding needed nformation, undermining or sabotage)		41%	-	-	-	-
Verbal abuse (e.g. offensive language, derogatory remarks, shouting or screaming)		36 %	-	-	-	-
nappropriate and unfair application of work policies or rules (e.g. performance management, access to leave, access to learning and development)		32 %	-	-	-	-
id you report the harassment or bullying?						
reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's policies and procedures		40%	+4	+5♠	+5♠	+5 G
t was reported by someone else		9%	-1	+1	+1	+1
did not report the behaviour		51 %	-4	-6♥	-6♥	-6 C
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UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR



EMPLOYEES WHO
INDICATED THAT THEY
HAD WITNESSED
POTENTIAL CORRUPT
BEHAVIOUR WERE
ASKED TO DESCRIBE
THE BEHAVIOUR.
EMPLOYEES COULD
SELECT ONE OR MORE
RESPONSES FROM A
LIST OF ITEMS.

ONLY THE THREE
TYPES OF CORRUPT
BEHAVIOURS WITH
THE HIGHEST
PROPORTION OF
RESPONSES ARE
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AND WITH RESULTS
FOR THE APS
OVERALL.

CORRUPTION	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARG SIZED AGENCIES
Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of your owitnessed another APS employee in your agency engmay be serious enough to be viewed as corruption?						
Yes		4 %	+1	0	Ο	+1
No		91%	-1	0	+1	-1
Not sure		3 %	0	-1	-1	0
Would prefer not to answer		2%	0	0	0	0
Cronyism-preferential treatment of friends, such as appointing them to positions without proper regard to meri Nepotism-preferential treatment of family members, such a appointing them to positions without proper regard to meri Acting (or failing to act) in the presence of an undisclosed		65% 26%	-	-	-	-
Did you report the potentially corrupt behaviour? I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's		22%	- +5 @	- +7 ₽	- +5 Q	+80
policies and procedures It was reported by someone else		17%	+60	+1	+1	+2
I did not report the behaviour		55 %	-11 👁	-80	-6 •	-10 👁
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DEMOGRAPHICS

How do you describe your gender?	Responses
Man or male	28%
Woman or female	68%
Non-binary	0%
I use a different term	0%
Prefer not to say	3%

Do you identify as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person?	Responses
Yes	3%
No	97%

Do you have an ongoing disability?	Responses
Yes	19%
No	81%

Do you have carer responsibilities?	Responses
Yes	48%
No	52%

Do you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and/or gender diverse, Intersex, Queer, Questioning and/or Asexual (LGBTIQA+)?	Responses
Yes	9%
No	91%

How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	Responses
Australian (excluding Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander)	67%
Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	3%
New Zealander (excluding Maori)	1%
Maori, Melanesian, Papuan, Micronesian, and Polynesian	1%
Anglo-European	12%
North-West European (excluding Anglo-European)	2%
Southern and Eastern European	5%
South-East Asian	9%
North-East Asian	2%
Southern and Central Asian	4%
North American	1%
South and Central American and Caribbean Islander	1%
North African and Middle Eastern	1%
Sub-Saharan African	2%

Do you consider yourself to be neurodivergent?	Responses
Yes	10%
No	79%
Not sure	11%

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AGENCY POSITION



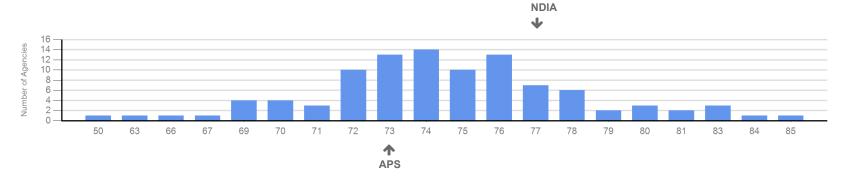
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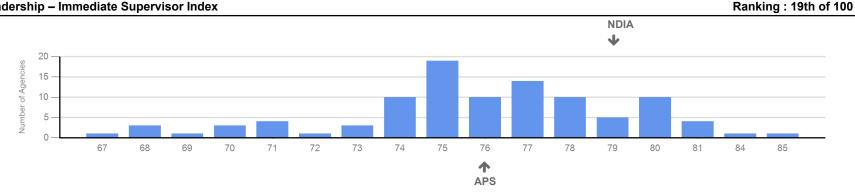
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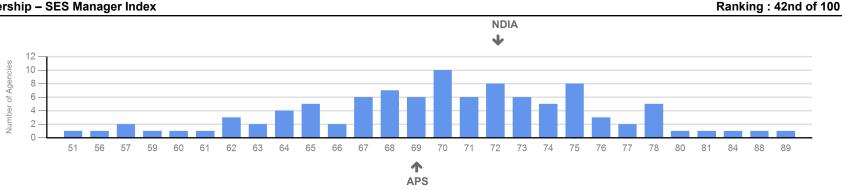
Employee Engagement Index Ranking: 23rd of 100



Leadership - Immediate Supervisor Index



Leadership - SES Manager Index





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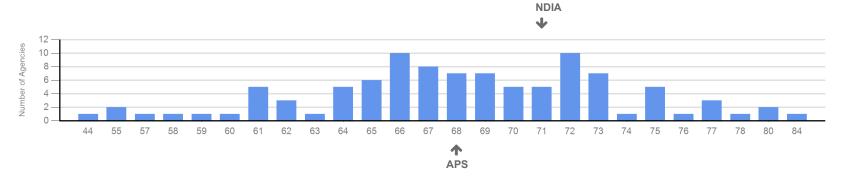
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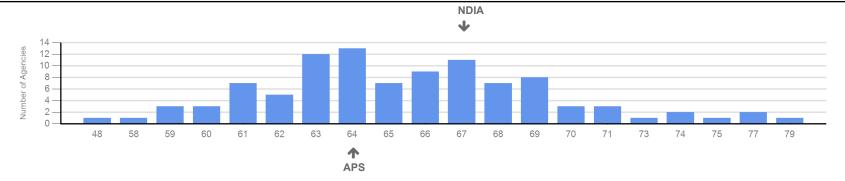
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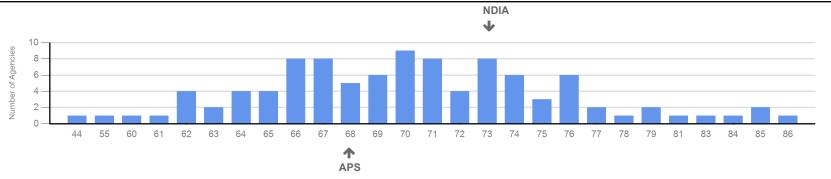




Enabling Innovation Index Ranking : 39th of 100



Wellbeing Policies and Support Index





Ranking: 31st of 100

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SUGGESTED QUESTIONS TO FOCUS ON

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WHAT TO FOCUS ON?

THROUGH DRIVER ANALYSIS, THESE KEY QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS BEING IMPORTANT TO EMPLOYEES IN YOUR AGENCY AND ASSOCIATED WITH EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT.

THEY ARE NOT NECESSARILY THE QUESTIONS WITH THE LOWEST SCORES.

SOME WILL BE AREAS TO IMPROVE UPON AND SOME WILL BE AREAS TO MAINTAIN.

DEVELOP ACTIONS AND ACTIVITIES TO IMPROVE UPON THESE, WHERE POSSIBLE, TO DRIVE HIGHER LEVELS OF PERFORMANCE.

	T 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS R THAN COMPARATOR AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS LESS THAN COMPARATOR	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM LARGER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM LARGE SIZED AGENCIES
.1	My agency inspires me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	55 %	0	+60	+60	+60
.2	My agency supports and actively promotes an inclusive workplace culture	84%	+2	+4	+5 0	+1
.3	I think my agency cares about my health and wellbeing	68%	+4	+70	+90	+3
.4	My SES manager creates an environment that enables us to deliver our best	69%	+2	+60	+90	+1
.5	I am satisfied with the recognition I receive for doing a good job	72 %	0	+5 0	+9 o	O
.6	Internal communication within my agency is effective	57 %	+2	+1	+2	-2

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NDIA SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022
My supervisor communicates the impacts of corporate and organisational changes well	78	78 %	+2
I understand how my work contributes to making a difference and supporting the lives of people with disability, their families and carers	95	95%	0
I can identify a clear connection between the five Participant Service Charter engagement principles (transparent, responsive, respectful, empowering and connected), and what it means for my work	87	9 87%	+2
I understand how my Annual Performance Plan aligns to the NDIA Corporate Plan, including its purpose, vision and aspirations to support people with disability, their families and carers	76	76 %	+2
People in my Agency feel they are valued for their contribution	60 27	13 60%	+3
My Agency effectively identifies and manages operational risks well	59 29	12 59%	+2
My Agency provides a safe work environment	83	12 83%	+1
My immediate supervisor encourages workplace diversity, and demonstrates inclusive behaviours and leadership	87	9 87%	-
I can perform the requirements of my role because information shared with me is accessible (e.g. intranet content, documents, written and verbal communication)	79	14 7 79 %	-

KEY

AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS GREATER THAN COMPARATOR

AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS LESS THAN COMPARATOR

Positive Neutral Negative Comparator

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TIME TO TAKE ACTION

CELEBRATE
RENGTHS AND LEARN FROM

Q	INVESTIGATE FURTHER WITH OUR TEAMS
	y other opportunities coming out that we want to explore further?
HOW COULD WE INV	/ESTIGATE? THROUGH LOOKING AT THE DATA IN

MORE DETAIL OR THROUGH DISCUSSIONS WITH STAFF?

Areas we pood to focus	
plans:	on and turn into action
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USE THIS PAGE TO START YOUR LOCAL ACTION PLANS

IDENTIFY AREAS TO CELEBRATE, OPPORTUNITIES FOR IMPROVEMENT AND AREAS WHICH YOU NEED TO INVESTIGATE FURTHER.

PRIORITISE 3 AREAS TO TAKE FORWARD

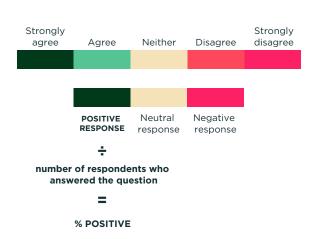
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2					
3					



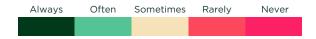
GUIDE TO THIS REPORT

% POSITIVE

WHERE RESULTS ARE SHOWN AS POSITIVE PERCENTAGES (% POSITIVE), THESE ARE CALCULATED BY ADDING TOGETHER POSITIVE RESPONSES ("STRONGLY AGREE" + "AGREE" OR "ALWAYS" + "OFTEN") AND DIVIDING BY THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS WHO ANSWERED THE QUESTION.



FOR 5 POINT SCALE QUESTIONS NOT ASKED ON THE AGREE TO DISAGREE SCALE THE SAME RULES APPLY, THE GREEN PERCENT REPRESENTS A **POSITIVE RESPONSE** (UNLESS THE QUESTION IS NEGATIVELY WORDED).



ROUNDING

RESULTS ARE PRESENTED AS WHOLE NUMBERS FOR EASE OF READING, WITH ROUNDING PERFORMED AT THE LAST STAGE OF CALCULATION FOR MAXIMUM ACCURACY. VALUES FROM X.00 TO X.49 ARE ROUNDED DOWN AND VALUES FROM X.50 TO X.99 ARE ROUNDED UP. THEREFORE IN SOME INSTANCES, RESULTS MAY NOT TOTAL 100%.

	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	NEITHER	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	TOTAL
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	151	166	176	96	24	613
PERCENTAGE	24.63%	27.08%	28.71%	15.66%	3.92%	100%
ROUNDED PERCENTAGE	25%	27%	29%	16%	4%	101%
NUMBER OF POSITIVE	151 + 166 = 317					
% POSITIVE	317 ÷ 613 = 52%					

ANONYMITY

IT IS BEST PRACTICE NOT TO
DISPLAY THE RESULTS OF GROUPS
OF RESPONDENTS TO THE EXTENT
WHERE THE ANONYMITY OF
INDIVIDUALS MAY BE
COMPROMISED. RESULTS WILL NOT
BE SHOWN WHERE THERE ARE LESS
THAN 10 RESPONDENTS IN A GROUP.

COMPARISONS WITH RESULTS FROM PREVIOUS YEARS

THE METHOD OF ANALYSING AND REPORTING SPECIFIC RESULTS MAY BE PERIODICALLY REVIEWED AND REVISED. SUCH IMPROVEMENTS ARE APPLIED TO CURRENT DATA AND THAT OF PREVIOUS YEARS. FOR THIS REASON THE CURRENT REPORT IS ALWAYS THE MOST ACCURATE DATA SOURCE FOR APS EMPLOYEE CENSUS RESULTS, INCLUDING COMPARISONS WITH TIME SERIES DATA.

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