



ACCF STATEMENT OF TRANSPARENCY - 009

Statement Title	Australian Cervical Cancer Foundation Statement of Transparency
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Responsible Officer	Chief Executive Officer (CEO)
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This statement of transparency addresses ACCF's commitment to ensure we comply with ACFID's commitment and their Quality Assurance Framework 7.3.1 (We are accountable to our stakeholders)

Mission, values, purpose and nature of programs

ACCF's Mission in Australia and Overseas

Australian Cervical Cancer Foundation (ACCF) works in Australia, and through its Overseas Relief Fund in developing countries, to enhance and protect women's health. The Australian Cervical Cancer Foundation Health Promotion Charitable Trust works in Australia to eliminate cervical cancer.

ACCF's vision and mission is to protect and enhance women's health to help overcome disadvantage, by eliminating cervical cancer and enabling treatment and support for women with cervical cancer and related health issues in Australia and in developing countries.

ACCF aims to minimise the incidence and burden of cervical cancer and related women's health issues: to assist women, their families, and communities by developing and implementing practical and appropriate programs, and by partnering with like-minded government, organisations, and individuals to achieve health outcomes which reduce marginalisation and contribute to developing stronger communities.

ACCF's Vision

Through its programs in support of women's health and wellbeing, ACCF is committed to improving health and reducing poverty and disadvantage to contribute to sustainable development. ACCF and its program partners have a policy of zero tolerance to fraud and corruption and to family and sexual violence, particularly against women.

ACCF's Purpose

The principal activities of the company are to carry out its public charitable purposes of preventing cervical cancer, by:

- Providing life-saving HPV cervical cancer vaccine for women, in developing countries, who cannot otherwise afford vaccination.
- Promoting and facilitating screening for cervical cancer, as well as treatment of cervical cancer and related women's health issues, in developing countries.
- Promoting awareness and prevention of cervical cancer.
- Supporting women living with cervical cancer and related women's health issues, and their families.
- Facilitating training for health care professionals about cervical cancer and related women's health issues.

Statement Overview

Transparency and Accountability Statement

ACCF is committed to being transparent in its work and accountable to its key stakeholders. We share information with partner organisations, and the general public, and we are also accountable to our staff, volunteers, supporters, donors, suppliers, Australian Charities and Not for Profit Commission and the government. Our website enables the first point of contact which highlights full disclosure of our financial results (Annual Report), the organisation's Constitution, our purpose, our activities and achievements, and other policies and processes on how ACCF deals with Complaints, our Child Safeguarding policy and Code of Conduct, and our Non Development Activity policy.

The information we publish and how ACCF responds to requests for information are important aspects of accountability. ACCF will proactively publish information, and on request will disclose information, or give reasons for any decision not to disclose (for example, to respect confidentiality or privacy). Our key criterion for the decision will be the impact on our mission.

We support our International partners in a transparent and accountable manner through systems that include appropriate oversight mechanisms. It is our expectation that our International Partners are committed according to a number of objectives outlined in individual Memorandum of Understandings/Agreements.

This statement governs the transparency and accountability aspects of support provided in the form of monetary funding which enables ACCF to meet their strategic goal which is to facilitate cervical cancer awareness, vaccination, screening and treatment of cervical cancer and other related women's health care.

Our Commitment

ACCF will work with our International partners to encourage input from our primary stakeholders. ACCF will seek feedback by way of compliments and suggestions. If the matter is a complaint then the matter will be addressed according to the Complaints Handling Policy/process. In addition we will ensure our International partners are aware that we are also committed to responding to feedback effectively and appropriately. A copy of our Transparency Statement will be circulated along with all other relevant documentation.

Any comments or questions should be directed to our Chief Executive Officer at info@accf.org.au.



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