



Strategic Plan 2026

Our Strategic Ambitions

Our Vision

South Australians value and improve their oral health, understanding its importance for their overall health and wellbeing.

Our Mission

Leads population oral health improvement:

SA Dental is the leader in policy, advocacy, education and health promotion to improve oral health for all South Australians, with a specific focus on increasing equity in oral health for priority population groups.

Delivers service to eligible individuals:

SA Dental supports individuals to improve their oral health by providing dental care to eligible adults and all children.

Systems Alignment & Integration

We create opportunities to integrate oral health into public and private health services.

Promotion & Prevention

We lead public oral health, providing and supporting population education and programs.

Accessible Services

We are a leader in service design, advocating policies and providing advice to improve access to oral health care.

Workforce

We support and develop the current and future workforce to meet the oral health needs of the community.

Safety & Quality

We provide safe and quality public oral health services that meet the needs of priority and eligible populations.

Research & Evaluation

We grow a culture of curiosity and inquiry, using research to inform service models and planning.

