

Dr Mick Adams

Dr Mick Adams is a descendent of the Yadhigana people of Cape York Peninsula in Queensland having traditional family ties with the Gringji people of Central Western Northern Territory and extended family relationship with the people of the Torres Straits, Warlpiri (Yuendumu), and East Arnhem Land (Gurrumaru) communities.



He has a sound understanding of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander issues through his many years of living, working and extended and social relationship on both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.

Mick had worked as a Chief Executive Officer with the AICHS in Brisbane and Miwatj Aboriginal Corporation for Health in Nhulunbuy. He had also served as The Chairperson of AICHS Brisbane as well as being a Board Member of AICHS, QAIHC and NACCHO.

Mick has been actively involved in addressing issues associated with the health and well-being of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander male for over a decade. He has strived to ensure that men's health issues are promoted and placed on the national and international agenda through advocacy, research, publication and health management.

He currently completed a PhD in public health. His research examined the prevalence and correlates of sexual dysfunction among Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander males, which includes the area of sexual and reproductive health.