TFM Family Investment model

How to interpret this information pack

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presents a snapshot of information for the Central Coast FACS district coming out of TFM's Investment model.

The information is disaggregated by three groups of vulnerable children and young people born in the **Central Coast:**

- Young children aged 0 to 5
- Children aged under 15 and affected by mental illness
- Children and young people aged 15 to 18 and affected by mental illness.

The final column on page 2 presents the proportion of the vulnerable children in each group who have experienced each of five indicators strongly associated with poorer outcomes in later life.

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presents the projected outcomes for **Central Coast** children and young people in each vulnerable group, by the number of indicators they have experienced which are associated with poorer outcomes later in life. The projected outcomes are compared against the average across all NSW children and young people in the same age bracket and expressed as a multiplier (e.g. 1.5x).

Page 3 also presents outcomes for all children and young people classed as vulnerable in **Central Coast** – shaded in blue.

These indicators differ depending on the vulnerable group, however the consistent finding is that the more vulnerable indicators a child has experience with, the more they are expected to interact with the criminal justice system, social housing, child protection and mental health services.

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looks at vulnerable groups in the LGA/s of the Central **Coast**. It shows, for each vulnerable group: the number of children and young people in the relevant age bracket, the number in the vulnerable group, the proportion (%) of children and young people classed as vulnerable, and the proportion (%) of children and young people in the vulnerable group who identify as Aboriginal.



Key findings for the Central Coast FACS district



Key insights for vulnerable young children aged 0 to 5 in Central Coast

- 6th lowest out of 16 in estimated future cost to NSW government.
- **37%** of children aged 0 to 5 belong to this vulnerable group (5th highest out of 16 FACS districts).
- Projected outcomes for the vulnerable group are similar to the NSW average for this group, e.g. 22% of the vulnerable group are expected to interact with the justice system in the future compared to 21% for the NSW average for this group.

Key insights for children aged under 15 and affected by mental illness in Central Coast

- **10th highest out of 16** in estimated future cost to NSW government
- **15%** of children aged under 15 belong to this vulnerable group (7th highest out of 16 FACS districts).
- Projected outcomes for the vulnerable group are similar to the NSW average for this group, e.g. 39% of the vulnerable group are expected to use NSW mental health services. This is slightly above the NSW average for the vulnerable group (37%).

Key insights for children and young people aged 15 to 18 and affected by mental health in **Central Coast**

- 4th lowest out of 16 in estimated future cost to NSW government
- **19%** of children and young people aged 15 to 18 belong to this vulnerable group (8th highest out of 16 FACS districts).
- Projected outcomes for the vulnerable group are similar to the NSW average for this group, e.g. 24% of the vulnerable group are expected to interact with the justice system. This is slightly below the NSW average for the vulnerable group (25%).

Note: Geographic information presented in this document is based on the most up to date address of children and young people within the last 5 years.

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Vulnerable groups by FACS District: Central Coast



Their Futures Matter is focusing on three vulnerable groups in NSW	We look at these groups of vulner the FACS District of Central Coast	We have identified, for each vulnerable group, five indicators associated with these children having high service usage and poorer outcomes later in life			
Children aged 5 or younger at 30 June 2017 with one or more of the following: 1 or more parental risk factors 2 or more perinatal risk factors Assessment as ROSH+	There are 8,013 children in Central Coast in the vulnerable young children group. That's about 1 in 3	On average, these children are estimated to cost the NSW govt \$119k each for the key human services they use up to age 40 This is 2.0x the average cost for all NSW children aged 0- 5	Indicators for young children (0-5) Parents have interacted with justice system Mother smoked during pregnancy Child had concern report Mother aged 21 and under at childbirth Parents have been in social housing	Proportion of vulnerable group with indicator 32% 30% 26% 17% 4%	
 by mental illness Children under 15 years at 30 June 2017 with one or more of the following: Use of NSW mental health services (hospital or ambulatory) Parental use of NSW mental health services (hospital or ambulatory) 	There are 6,448 children in Central Coast in the children aged under 15 and affected by mental illness group. That's about 1 in 7	On average, these children are estimated to cost the NSW govt \$166k each for the key human services they use up to age 40 This is 3.0x the average cost for all NSW children under 15	Indicators for mental health: children and young adolescents under 15 Child had concern report Mother smoked during pregnancy Parents have interacted with justice system Mother aged 21 and under at childbirth Parents have been in social housing	Proportion of vulnerable group with indicator 44% 32% 31% 19% 11%	
Children and young people aged 15 to 18 and affected by mental illness Children and young people (C/YP) between 15 and 18 years at 30 June 2017 with one or more of the following: • Use of NSW mental health services (hospital or ambulatory) • Parental use of NSW mental health	There are 2,788 C/YP in Central Coast in the C/YP aged 15 to 18 and affected by mental illness group. That's about 1 in 5 2 2 2 2 Central Coast C/YP aged 15 to 18.	On average, these C/YP are estimated to cost the NSW govt \$112k each for the key human services they use up to age 40 This is 2.8x the average cost for all NSW C/YP aged 15-18	Indicators for mental health: C/YP (15 to 18)NAPLAN Year 7 band less than 6Had concern report in the last three yearsHospital admission in last three yearsParents have been in social housingHas appeared in court	Proportion of vulnerable group with indicator 48% 37% 30% 18% 6%	

Vulnerable groups by FACS District: Central Coast



	Vulnerable young children aged 0 to 5							Children under 15 and affected by mental illness						Children and young people aged 15 to 18 affected by mental illness					
	Number of indicators [*] associated with poorer outcomes			1	Number of indicators [*] associated with poorer outcomes				Number of indicators [*] associated with poorer outcomes										
	0	1	2	3	4 or 5	All vulnerable	0	1	2	3	4 or 5	All vulnerable	0	1	2	3	4 or 5	All vulnerable	
Number of children and young	3,063	2,455	1,528	704	265	8,013	2,017	1,800	1,325	871	435	6,448	680	980	673	310	145	2,788	
people in district	14%	11%	7%	3%	1%	37%	5%	4%	3%	2%	1%	15%	5%	7%	5%	2%	1%	19%	
% Who identify as Aboriginal	6%	17%	24%	33%	47%	17%	8%	15%	23%	37%	49%	20%	6%	9%	20%	27%	50%	15%	
Estimated future cost to NSW govt	0.7x \$43,442	1.4x \$85,668	2.7x \$162,704	5.3x \$313,767	9.1x \$543,628	\$119,354	0.8x \$46,780	1.8x \$97,910	3.5x \$192,483	6.4x \$353,934	9.8x \$546,897	\$166,250	0.6x \$25,009	1.3x \$53,577	2.8x \$113,128	6.2x \$246,560	15.5x \$620,040	\$111,972	
% Expected to have a ROSH report in future	0.9x 16%	2.0 x 35%	3.1x 54%	4.2x 73%	5.0x 88%	37%	1.2x 18%	2.7 x 39%	4.0x 58%	5.0x 73%	5.6x 83%	44%	0.6x 2%	2.2x 6%	4.7x 12%	8.6x 22%	10.1 × 26%	9%	
% Expected to interact with the justice system	0.9x 13%	1.5x 21%	2.1x 29%	2.9x 40%	3.8x 53%	22%	1.1x 15%	1.7x 23%	2.3x 33%	3.2x 44%	4.0x 56%	28%	0.8x 10%	1.3x 17%	2.2x 28%	3.7x 46%	5.8x 73%	24%	
% of males expected to enter custody	0.6x 2%	1.6x 7%	3.1x 13%	5.2x 21%	9.3x 38%	8%	0.8x 3%	1.9x 8%	3.8x 16%	6.4x 27%	9.7x 41%	13%	0.6x 2%	1.7x _{6%}	3.8x 15%	8.6x 33%	16.4x 64%	14%	
% Expected to use NSW mental health services	1.0x 18%	1.4x 25%	1.9x 35%	2.5x 47%	3.2x 60%	27%	1.4x 25%	2.0x 36%	2.5x 45%	2.9x 53%	3.5x 63%	39%	1.7x 22%	2.4x 32%	3.3x 43%	4.0x 52%	4.9x 64%	36%	
% Expected to complete the HSC in NSW	1.0x 70%	0.8x 52%	0.6x 40%	0.4x 30%	0.3x 19%	53%	1.1x 69%	0.8x 55%	0.6x 40%	0.5x 30%	0.3x 22%	51%	1.1x 70%	0.8x 50%	0.6x 36%	0.3x 21%	0.2x 10%	46%	
% Expected to use social housing as adults	0.5x 1%	1.5x 4%	3.2x 8%	5.8x 15%	8.7x 22%	5%	0.6x 2%	1.7x 4%	3.5x 9%	6.0x 16%	8.6x 23%	7%	0.2x 1%	1.1x 3%	3.1x 10%	6.0x 19%	9.8x 31%	8%	
% of females expected to become young mothers	0.9x 4%	1.4 × ^{6%}	2.5x 12%	4.4x 20%	6.7x 31%	9%	0.9x 4%	1.4x 7%	3.0x 14%	4.5x 22%	6.9x 33%	11%	0.8x 4%	1.5x 7%	2.9x 14%	4.8x 22%	7.5x 35%	11%	



Projected outcomes

*The specific risk indicators for each vulnerable group are defined on page 2.

1.5x \$45,000 The multipliers shown in this table compare the projected outcome to the NSW average for all children in the age group (i.e. vulnerable and non-vulnerable children).

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Vulnerable groups by FACS District: Central Coast – by Local Government Area/s

			le young aged 0 -5				ider 15 and nental illness		Children and young people aged 15 to 18 affected by mental illness				
	Number of C/YP aged under 5 in LGA	Number of vulnerable C/YP aged under 5 in LGA	Proportion (%) of vulnerable C/YP aged under 5 in LGA	Proportion (%) who identify as Aboriginal	Number of C/YP aged under 15 in LGA	Number of C/YP aged under 15 affected by mental illness in LGA	Proportion (%) of C/YP aged under 15 affected by mental illness in LGA	Proportion (%) who identify as Aboriginal	Number of C/YP aged 15-18 in LGA	Number of C/YP aged 15- 18 affected by mental illness in LGA	Proportion (%) of C/YP aged 15-18 affected by mental illness in LGA	Proportion (%) who identify as Aboriginal	
Central Coast	21,483	8,013	37%	17%	44,133	6,448	15%	20%	14,848	2,788	19%	15%	

