Women



We are committed to the safety and wellbeing of women and girls and the creation of economic and leadership opportunities for them.



2017-18 Budget Highlights

\$3.6 million

FUNDING FOR WOMEN NSW
TO LEAD THE ADVANCEMENT
OF WOMEN'S EQUALITY
and ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES
through women's policy, including
the development of the NSW
Women's Strategy.



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Funded programs include:



THE YOUNG CHANGE AGENTS SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP PROGRAM

Led by the NSW Department of Education in partnership with Young Change Agents. This is a social entrepreneurship program offered to nine NSW secondary schools to encourage and empower girls aged 10 to 18 years to be leaders and entrepreneurs.



THE COURAGEOUS WOMAN: MYMENTOR PROGRAM

A mentoring program run by the Department of Finance, Services and Innovation (DFSI) to empower women in lower level grades in DFSI across the State to apply for permanent or acting positions at a higher grade.



THE WORKFORCE DIVERSITY PROGRAM 2015-2018

An initiative of the Department of Justice, which includes 32 employment initiatives to improve recruitment, retention and career development outcomes for women and other diversity groups.



THE ELSA DIXON ABORIGINAL EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM BY NSW HEALTH

A two-year school-based traineeship in health services roles for young women and men who identify as Aboriginal, to create long-term employment opportunities for them.

Women NSW delivers projects to support and protect women and create economic and leadership opportunities for them:

The NSW
Domestic and
Family Violence
Innovation Fund



NSW Women of the Year Awards



Investing in Women Funding Program



Local Domestic and Family Violence Committee Grants



Sexual Assault Strategy



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