

Cancer Australia

ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER BRAND GUIDELINES





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Introduction

This document provides guidelines for use of the brand identity for Cancer Australia's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander design work. The brand identity was developed in 2014 by Dreamtime PR, and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander firm, with the artwork 'Our Journeys' (see front of Brand Guidelines) created by Jordan Lovergrove, a Ngarrindjeri man.

As the central design element for the brand, it was developed to represent the experience of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people with cancer. The white dots are the journey of each individual; the patterned areas are the different landscapes and regions of Australia; and the colours are the different cancer types.

Cancer Australia, as the leading agency shaping cancer control in Australia, is depicted by the central ochre meeting place which draws stakeholders together to share ways to improve cancer outcomes. The kangaroo prints and the fish leading to and from the meeting place represent the flow of information and engagement between Cancer Australia and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Our vision

Our Reconciliation vision is to recognise and respect the cultures, histories and dignity of this country's first peoples, and to use our knowledge and influence to help close the gap on cancer outcomes between Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians and non-Indigenous Australians. We believe that Reconciliation is an ongoing journey, requiring co-operation, understanding and mutual respect. We believe that the gap can be closed and that we, as an organisation and as individuals, can make a formative contribution. We aim to improve health outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people through wide ranging strategies which rely on our people and our partners in the community.

Our mission

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Our Reconciliation mission is to improve cancer outcomes for all Australians, by building the evidence base and by analysing, interpreting and translating the latest cancer research to inform policy and practice. We do this with a key focus on populations who experience poorer health outcomes, including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

Our toolkit

Every identity is made up of core elements that combine to create a distinctive brand that promotes a consistent and recognisable identity.

These elements include:

- 1. The Cancer Australia logo
- 2. Type
- 3. Colour
- 4. Tapestry graphic arrow
- 5. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Artwork
- 6. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander design elements
- 7. Illustrations
- 8. Aboriginal and Torres Strait IslanderAknowledgement statement
- 9. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander web fonts
- 10. Supporting information

The following pages will explain each of the elements and how to use them correctly.

1. The logo

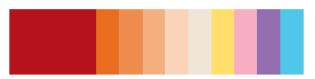


2. Type

Archer

Ideal Sans

3. Colour - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander palette



4. Tapestry graphic arrow



5. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Artwork

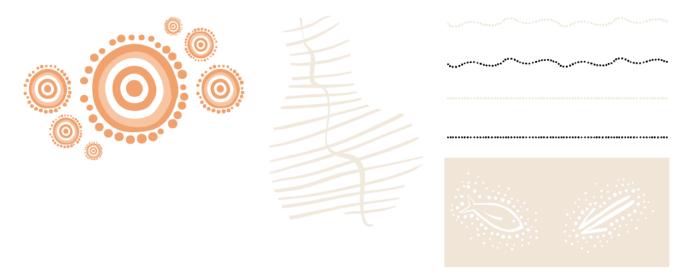


Duotone treatment





6. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Design Elements



Headline

Cancer Australia acknowledges the traditional owners of country throughout Australia, and their continuing connection to land, sea and community. We pay our respects to them and their cultures, and to elders both past and present.

7. Illustrations



01. The logo



"In-line" logo

Cancer Australia's logo, referred to in the Australian Government Branding Design Guidelines as 'the Design', is mandated by Australian Government branding. The logo consists of the four elements: the Commonwealth Coat of Arms (Conventional Version 3A Solid), the words "Australian Government" (Times New Roman Bold), an underline and the department or agency name (also Times New Roman Bold). The logo must be used prominently throughout all branded communications in accordance with guidelines laid out in this chapter.

Format and Position

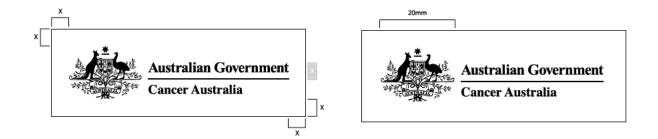
The logo should be placed at the top right hand corner of the item it appears on. The inline (horizontal) version is preferred, and should always be the black version. The logo should not be represented in any more than one colour.

Contrast

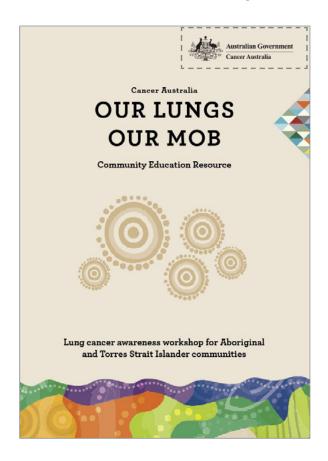
The logo should not appear as a light colour on a light background colour, or as a tint or stipple of any colour. The logo should not appear as a dark colour on a dark background.

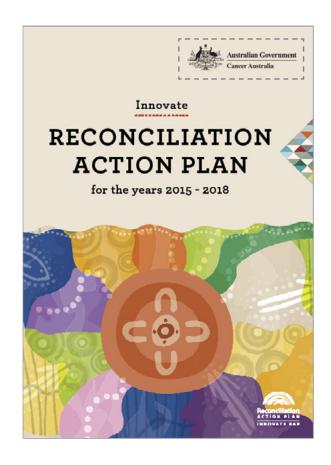
Isolation zone and minimum size

The isolation zone will ensure the integrity of the logo is not jeopardised through crowding. This zone is defined as 'X' and is based on the distance between the top of the capital 'A' in 'Australian Government' and the bottom of the horizontal line beneath these words. This zone is a minimum dimension, and applies to every form and application of the logo. The isolation zone separates the design from body text/content, images, logos, edge of the page, other design elements e.g. lines, boxes, callout quotes etc. To ensure legibility at all times, the Coat of Arms in any version of the logo should never, unless in exceptional circumstances, be reproduced smaller than 20mm wide.

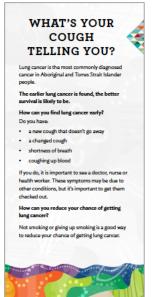


Isolation zone and placement example: Cover of Community Education Resource and RAP





DL Flyer





02. Typography

Typefaces have been selected to ensure consistency across all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander collateral.

Archer

Ideal Sans

The two typefaces work in conjunction with each other to create character yet remain legible. Archer is the Headline or Chapter heading font, in a bold or medium weight. Ideal Sans for readability as the main font to be used for bodt text and subheads. Two weights of Ideal Sans are used: Light and Medium. Dot points are used for creating lists, with a full point appearing only at the end of the last dot point.

DOCUMENT TITLE 43 to 50 point (Archer Bold)

Headline/Chapter Heading 26 point (Archer medium)

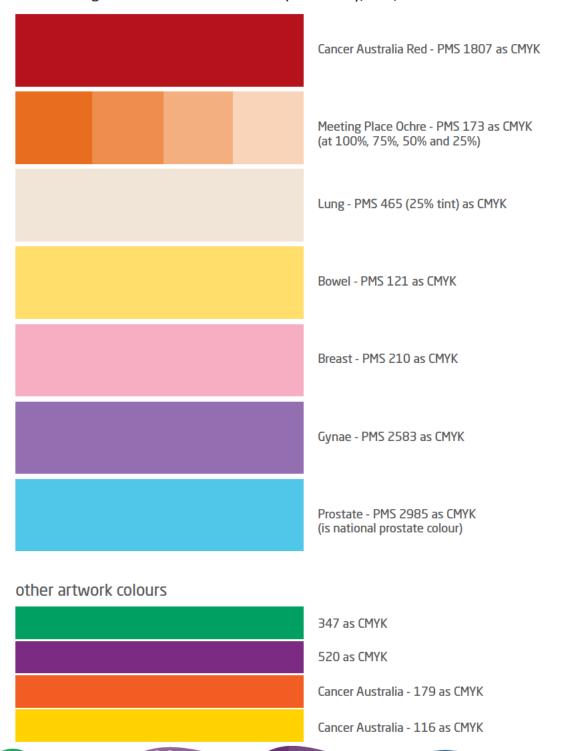
Subhead - 13 point, 1.5mm space after (Ideal Sans Medium)

Body Text - 12 point over 16 point (Ideal Sans Light)

03. Colour

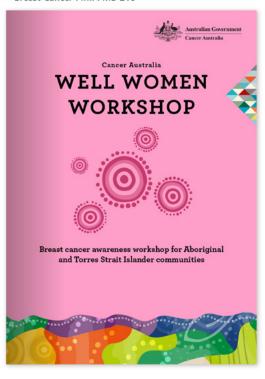
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander colours were developed as a palette with a direct reflection back to the Cancer Australia brand palette. The Cancer Australia Red is present, with the "Meeting Place Ochre" and the "Lung" colour (25% tint of PMS 465) being the other dominant colours

The CEO signed off on the below colour palette July, 2014.

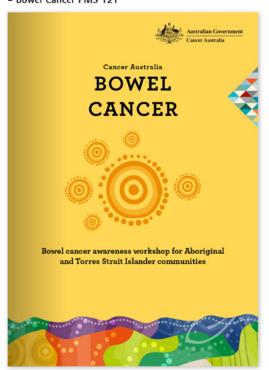


Examples of Covers to documents are provided below, utilising the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Colour palette across a series of Educational Resources.

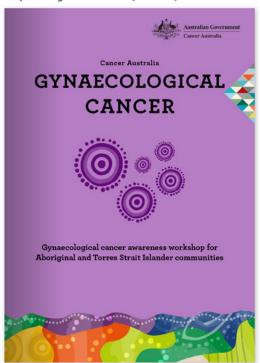
Educational Resource
- Breast Cancer Pink PMS 210



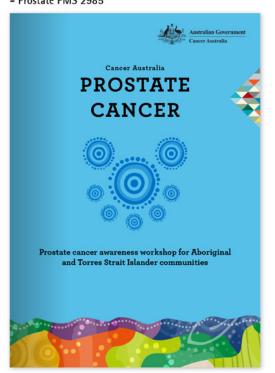
Educational Resource
- Bowel Cancer PMS 121



Educational Resource
- Gynaecological PMS 2583 (80% tint)



Educational Resource
- Prostate PMS 2985



04. Tapestry graphic arrow

The Tapestry graphic arrow incorporates all Cancer Australia palette colours, including tints (except pink). This graphic represents a system of moving parts working together cleanly and efficiently.

The Tapestry graphic arrow is used on the right hand side of a document, and it aligned to the centre of the headline text.

The Arrow is a ragged shape on its right hand side, whihc sits away from the edge of a document.

An example of usage is on the front page of this document.



05. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Artwork

This artwork was designed and produced by Jordan Lovegrove, from Dreamtime PR. This artwork is titled "Our Journeys" and is a visual representation of the experience of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people with cancer.

The design rationale always sits beneath the artwork, as well as a copyright acknowledgment to Jordan Lovegrove when the Artwork appears in full at the back of a long document.

The artwork also appears in part as a border at the base of documents, with the 'motion' or wavy line and transparent white dots appearing at the top.

Artwork example:



The artwork 'Our Journeys' represents the experience of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people with cancer. The white dots are the journey of each individual; the patterned areas are the different landscapes and regions of Australia; and the colours are the different cancer types. Cancer Australia, as the leading agency shaping cancer control in Australia, is depicted by the central ochre meeting place which draws stakeholders together to share ways to improve cancer outcomes. The kangaroo prints and the fish leading to and from the meeting place represent the flow of information and engagement between Cancer Australia and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

 $\label{thm:public} \textbf{Artist: Jordan Lovegrove, Ngarrindjeri, Dreamtime Public Relations, www.dreamtimepr.com}$

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Artwork - Duotone treatment

Two types of treatment have been defined for the artwork as a duotone, to be used as a background texture in design documents.

Illustrator artwork file to be used is: CA0001 Artwork FINAL_duotone.ai



25% tint of PMS465 behind 15% tint of the duotone artwork



15% tint of the duotone artwork

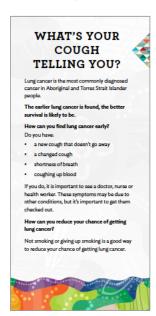
Duotone treatment examples:

Education Resource



25% tint of PMS465 behind 15% tint of the duotone artwork

DL Flyer

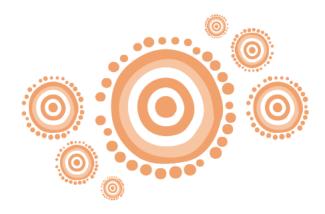


15% tint of the duotone artwork

06. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Design Elements

Circle Artwork

Five circle artworks have been developed to work alongside with the 5 major strands of cancer type, especially those identified as being prevalent within the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) community. A Generic Circle artwork was also created for use in collateral that presents an overarching Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander look and feel, to be used when material does not relate to a specific cancer type.



Generic Circle Artwork



Lung cancer Circle Artwork



Breast cancer Circle Artwork



Bowel cancer Circle Artwork



Gynaecological cancers Circle Artwork



Prostate cancer Circle Artwork

Circle Artwork

The Generic Circle can also be used as as a watermark effect, appearing on either a white background as a 10% tint, or a coloured background as a 15% tint.



Generic Circle Artwork examples:

Forum Program



• 10% tint on white background

Forum Flyer



• 15% tint on coloured background

Dotted line Artwork

Dotted line artworks have been developed to work as motifs to highlight text or provide 'dividers' to sections/parts of documents.

These are set into 5 colour strands.

White: for reversing out of colour

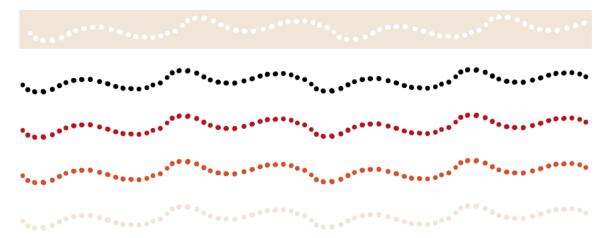
Black: for use against stronger colour blocks

Beige, Red and Orange: as the colour options to use to highlight text or areas of interest.





Curved Line Motif



Fish and Kangaroo Paw Line Artwork



Other Motifs

The Meeting Place Circle is an adaption of from the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) artwork, pulling out the central motif of the circle, as a stand alone design element. The "Lung' design element also part of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Atrwork, and is used as a background element behind text to add texture and interest to a page. Currently it appears in lung cancer collateral, but can be used across generic material as well.

Meeting Place Circle



Leaf Design Element (lung cancer motif)



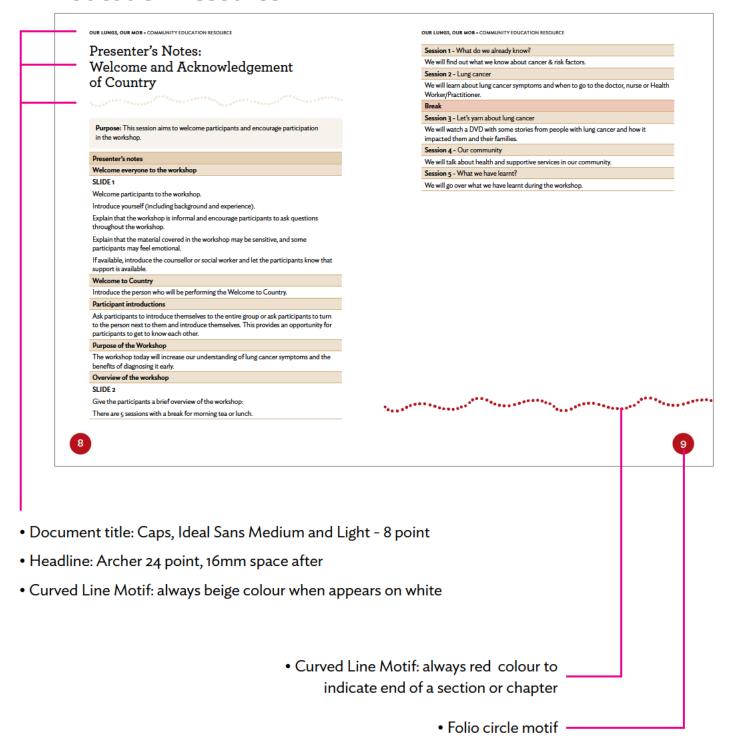
Folios

Please note all folios are to be treated as a graphic element with the page number appearing in a round, red circle always appearing at the bottom left and right of the document.



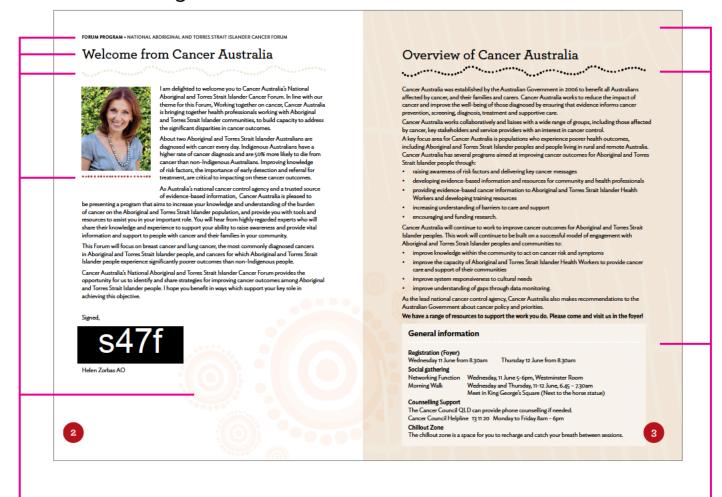
Artwork element examples:

Education Resource



Artwork element examples:

Forum Program



- Document title: Caps, Ideal Sans Medium and Light 8 point
- Headline: Archer 24 point, 16mm space after
- Curved Line Motif: always beige colour when appears on white
- Red Dotted Line Motif: used as a 'highlight' tool
- 10% tint of the Generic Circle Artwork
 - Lung Design Element on coloured background
 - Curved Line Motif: black when appears on coloured background
 - White Dotted Line Motif in a coloured box. Used as a way to highlight text.

07. Illustrations

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander brand identity is built strongly around the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Artwork and graphic elements, it can readily incorporate illustration. The illustration style has been developed by Dreamtime PR, and a series of illustrations commissioned to provide a basic library of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander images. An illustration always appears 'deep-etched' and in a long document it appears at the start of the Chapter or section it relates to.



Illustration example:

Education Resource



Please note: the full catalogue of images is contained within:

CA0001 Illustrations-Catalogue_sm.pdf

08. Acknowledgement statement

All publications in book or booklet format need to include the **Acknowledgement of country and cultural diversity** statement. This statement has been approved by the CEO and is required due to cultural sensitivities, and sits on the inside front cover (or as close to) as possible. Standard placement for the text is above the legal/copyright text, in a transparent box with the header underlined with a dotted motif.

Acknowledgement example:



09. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander web fonts

The Cancer Australia website has a section/page dedicated to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) news, resource releases and updates. Web licences for the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander fonts have not been purchased, with web compatable fonts in an approximation of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander style to be used. This ensures fonts will load correctly across all platforms and devices.

All body text / bulk of text for online resources:

Lato

Headlines / or header text for all online resources:

Domine

10. Supporting documents

Reconciliation Action Plan

Our Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP) documents our ideas and actions on ways that we as an organisation, and as individuals, can contribute to closing the gap. We have used the principles of Relationships, Respect and Opportunities to assist us. The RAP has been developed by our RAP working group, made up of energetic and passionate staff members. The RAP's principal advocate within the organisation is the General Manager of Cancer Care. Our RAP represents the views, ideas and values of the whole organisation, and ownership of our RAP goals and actions has been embraced by all staff at Cancer Australia. Dedicated staff will be guiding the implementation of our actions and the monitoring of our progress.