



## Third Action Plan 2016-2019

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### Third Action Plan — National Priority Area Six

#### Keeping perpetrators accountable across all systems

To increase the safety of women and their children, perpetrators need to be held accountable for their actions and supported to change their behaviour.

There is a lack of consistency in how intervention programs are delivered to perpetrators of violence and not enough evidence as to which programs produce the best, lasting outcomes.

Under the Third Action Plan, targeted perpetrator interventions will be improved, including police, courts, corrections, child protection, legal services and support, behaviour change programs, offender programs and clinical services.

#### Key national actions

- Implementing the *National Outcome Standards for Perpetrator Interventions* to drive long-term change.
- Improving the outcomes from perpetrator interventions by strengthening the evidence base.
- Improving mechanisms to refer perpetrators to appropriate interventions early, based on individual risk factors.
- Progressively designing, trialling and evaluating innovative models of perpetrator interventions across community and correctional settings to understand what works for different groups.

#### More information

For more information on the priority areas or the Third Action Plan, visit the [National Plan website](#).