## **HEALTHY LIFESTYLES** Issue: 1.2 Active Living

## Objective(s):

- To increase physical activity participation levels
- To increase usage rates of sport and recreational facilities
- To support environments for active living

	Strategy	Lead Agency and Key Partners	Timeframe	Performance Indicators/ Desired Outcomes
.2.1	Raise community awareness of sporting and recreational facilities available in each suburb through the development and dissemination of a directory	Townsville City Council Community and Cultural Services Stakeholders Townsville City Council Public Relations Townsville Enterprise Sport & Recreation Qld Disability Services Qld Community Information Centre	Short	<ul> <li>Increased awareness and use of facilities</li> <li>Information delivered by letterbox drop and fridge magnets promotions</li> <li>Directory developed and updated annually</li> <li>Notation of disability access in the directory</li> </ul>
l.2.2	Develop 'supportive environments for active living' and implement a Queensland Physical Activity Strategy	Tropical Public Health Unit Health Promotion	Short to Medium	Local implementation of SEAL & Qld Physical Activity Strategy
1.2.3	Increase community input into planning processes for sport and recreational facilities	<ul> <li>Townsville City Council Parks         Services</li> <li>Townsville City Council         Community and Cultural         Services         Stakeholders         Sporting groups         Queensland Cancer Fund</li> <li>Townsville Skin Cancer         Networking Group</li> <li>James Cook University -         School of Public Health         and Tropical Medicine</li> </ul>	Medium	Increased community input into planning related to sport and recreational facilities

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1.2.4	<ul> <li>Maintain Cardiac Rehabilitation Services in the community focusing on immediate post operative and ongoing programs including support for the following programs and groups: -</li> <li>stepping out programs for older persons – safe walking program for aged frail persons</li> <li>hydrotherapy programs for persons with a disability following physical or mental trauma</li> <li>stroke group – sharing ideas appropriate for persons recovering from stroke</li> <li>Sunshine Group – activities appropriate for aged frail persons with disabilities</li> <li>Lighten Up Program – encourages regular exercise for participants as part of their weight reduction program</li> </ul>	THSD Institute of Community Health Service and Ambulatory Care Community Health Service Respiratory Unit Rehabilitation Unit Cardiac Rehabilitation Outreach Program Stakeholders Senior Citizen Groups Migrant Resource Centre ECCLI Northern Beaches Group Community Centres Urban Renewal Programs	Ongoing	Targeted groups receive exercise training
1.2.5	Support an annual 'Bike Fest' event	Department of Transport     Townsville City Council	Annual	Annual 'Bike Fest'     event supported