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COMMONWEALTH STATE HOUSING AGREEMENT FUNDED COMMUNITY HOUSING (CHAPTER 16)

- This chapter reports on the performance of governments in providing Commonwealth State Housing Agreement (CSHA) public and community housing, and State owned and managed Indigenous housing (SOMIH). It also includes Indigenous community housing and the delivery of Commonwealth Rent Assistance (CRA). This Fact Sheet focuses on the performance of jurisdictions providing CSHA funded community housing.
- There were 34 672 CSHA community housing dwellings in Australia at 30 June 2007 (p. 16.11).

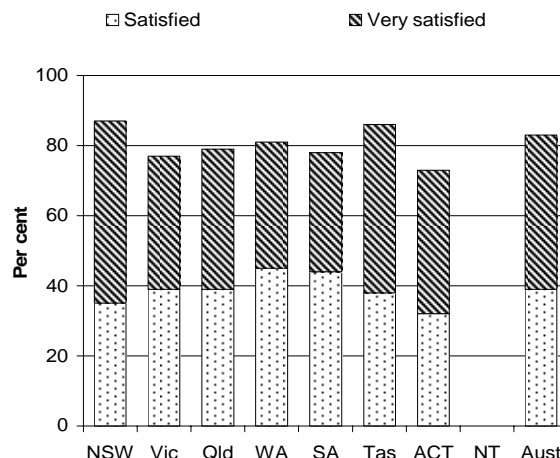
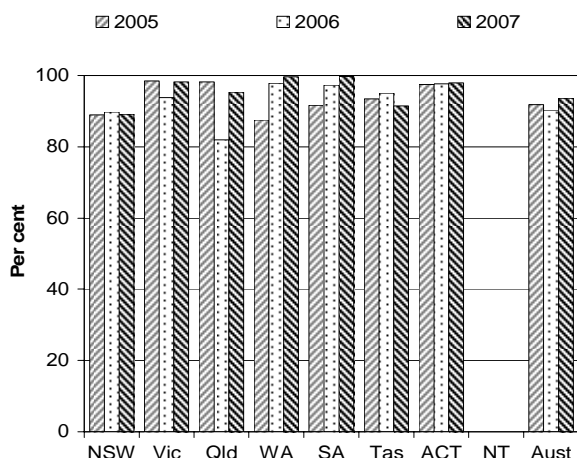
Objectives of community housing

- The aim of the CSHA is to provide appropriate, affordable and secure housing assistance for those who most need it, for the duration of their need (p. 16.2). A major objective of community housing is to increase social capital by encouraging local communities to take a more active role in planning and managing appropriate and affordable transitional and long term rental accommodation (p. 16.10).

Selection of results

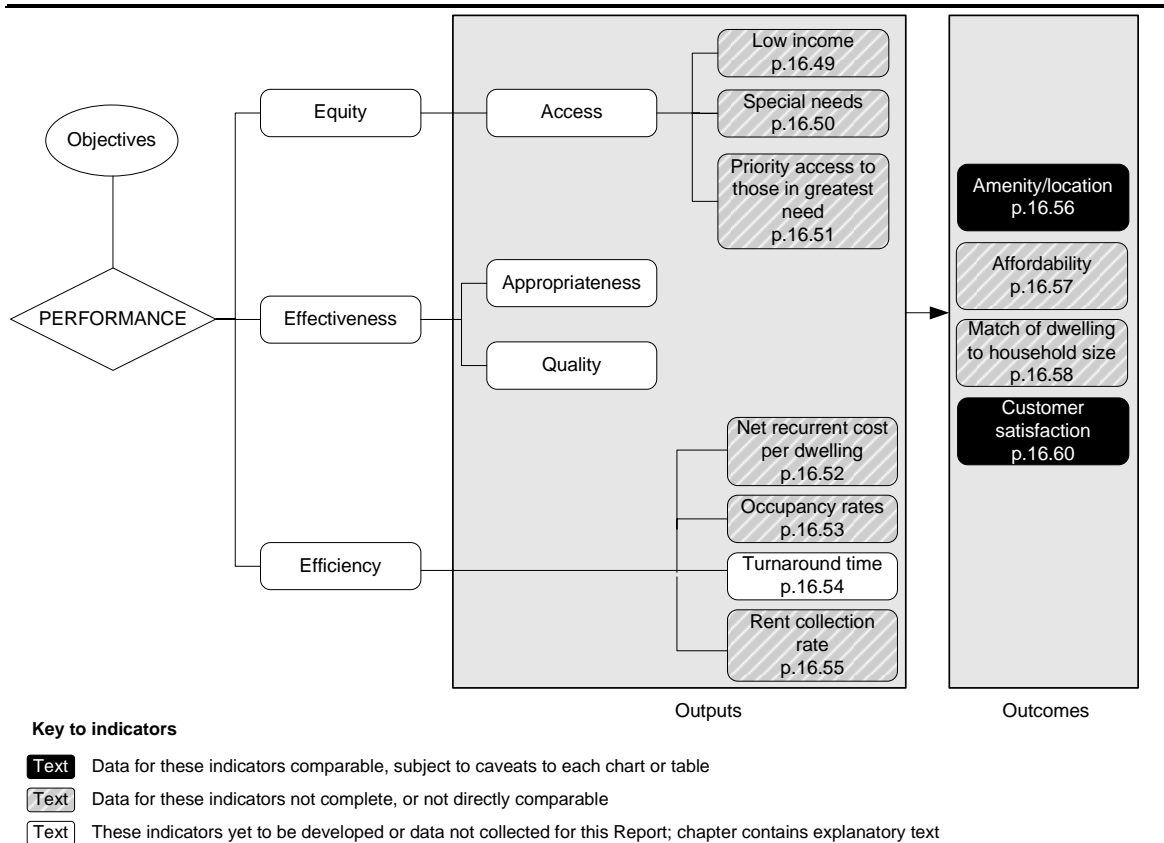
Community housing — the number of low income households as a proportion of all households^a (p. 16.50)

Community housing — customer satisfaction, 2007^a (p. 16.61)



^a Data and caveats for these figures are available electronically on the CD-ROM enclosed with the Report and from the website for the Review of Government Service Provision (<http://www.pc.gov.au/gsp/reports/rogs/2008>). Data may be subject to revision. The most recent data will be available on the Review website.

Performance indicators for Commonwealth State Housing Agreement (CSHA) funded community housing (figure 16.5, p. 16.25)



Developments in reporting since the 2007 Report

- Standard errors for amenity/location and customer satisfaction were reported for the first time in the 2008 Report.

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