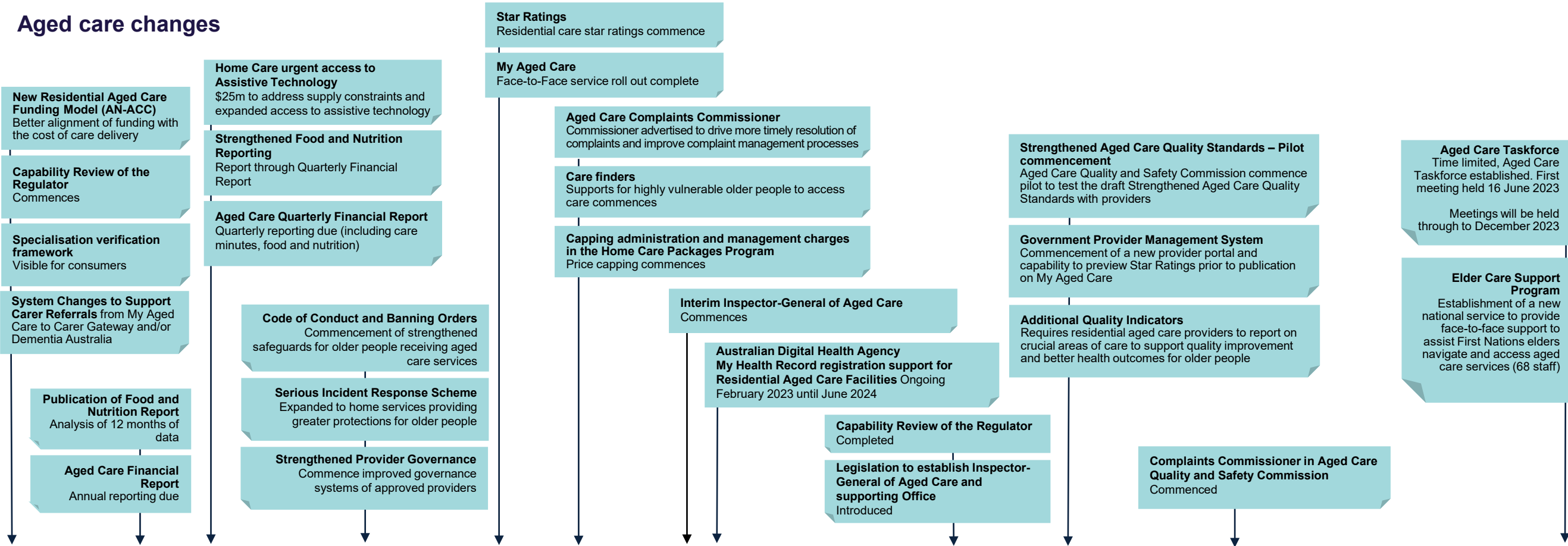


Aged Care Reform Activity to 30 June 2023

Aged care changes



Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
2022			2023					

Subordinate legislation: Implementing Aged Care Reforms Consultation (1 Nov – 30 Apr)							ANZSGM Conference (10 – 12 May)	ACQSC National Provider Conference (8-9 Jun)
Subordinate legislation: Royal Commission Response Act Consultation (1 Sep – 30 Nov)		Inspector-General Bill Consultation (5 Dec – 27 Jan)		NSW Seniors Festival Expo (2 – 3 Feb)	Closing the Gap Day Adelaide (16 March)	Nursing & Health Expo Melbourne (1 Apr)	AgFest TAS (4-6 May)	
Accommodation design in residential aged care Workshops (19 Sep – 31 Jan)				Care & Ageing Well Expo Melbourne (11 – 12 Feb)		ACCPA Queensland State Conference Gold Coast (18-20 Apr)	Aged Care Digital Transformation Forum (23 – 24 May)	Seniors Lifestyle and care expo, Bundaberg (9 Jun)
Aged Care Data Strategy Consultation (5 Oct – 30 Nov)		National Dementia Action Plan Consultation (1 Dec – 31 Jan)			National Volunteering Conference Reform stand (13 – 14 Feb)		Aged Care Provider Workforce Survey (end Apr – mid Jun)	
Aged Care Regulatory Framework Design Consultation (starts Oct)	SIRS Expansion explanatory paper Available (1 Nov – 15 Nov)	Aged Care Workforce Roundtables (5 – 6 Dec)		Aged Care survey for older people Survey (8 Feb – 24 Mar)			ACCPA NSW State Conference Sydney (29 – 31 May)	ACCPA conferences – (VIC 13 Jun, WA 30 Jun)
CHSP Specialist Support Services Workshops (10 – 17 Oct)	Short-term restorative care Survey (17 Oct – 14 Nov)	ACAR transition Workshops (17 Nov – 9 Dec)		In-Home Aged Care Targeted consultation on policy proposition consultation (end Jan – end Feb)		COTA Seniors Expo Katherine (Mar)	A new model for regulating aged care Consultation (Apr - May)	
Sector Support and Development Community of Practice (went live 18 Nov)		First Nations comms planning Consultation (14 Nov – 31 May)						
In-Home Aged Care Discussion paper & workshops (18 Oct – 22 Nov)		Quarterly Financial Report Webinar (8 Dec)		Carer Gateway - Workshops on Streamlining respite bookings (Feb)		24/7 registered nurse responsibility – Exemption process Webinar (15 Mar)		Home Care Package inclusions & exclusions Webinar (4 & 18 Apr)
Quality Standards Consultation (17 Oct – 25 Nov)		In-Home Aged Care Webinar #3 (7 Dec)		Workforce Webinar (1 Feb)		AC Volunteers Visitors Scheme briefing Webinar (28 Mar)		24/7 registered nurse responsibility - Exemption process Webinar (12 Apr)
Aged Care Data Strategy Webinar (5 & 7 Oct)	Independent Capability Review ACQSC Consultation (31 Oct – 2 Dec)		Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (6 Dec)		Home care workforce support – Webinars: QLD 2/3, NSW/ACT 7/3, VIC/TAS 16/3, S/ANT 23/3, WA 30/3		Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (19 Apr)	
Aged Care Volunteer Visitor's Scheme Grant round Webinar (19 Oct)	AN-ACC Webinar (17 Nov)	Star Ratings Webinar (18 Nov)	Overview of Aged Care Reforms for PHNs (6 Dec)		Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (2 Mar)		A new model for regulating Aged Care – Webinar (9 May)	
Workforce- Webinar #2 with DEWR (26 Oct)	Communicating with Diverse Audiences Webinar (29 Nov)		Home Care Packages Admin's cap & management charges Webinar (1 Dec)		Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (2 Mar)		Residential Aged Care Funding Budget Update Webinar (16 May)	
			Dementia Respite Grant Webinar (12 Dec)				Reforming In-Home Aged Care Webinar (18 May)	
							Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (24 May)	

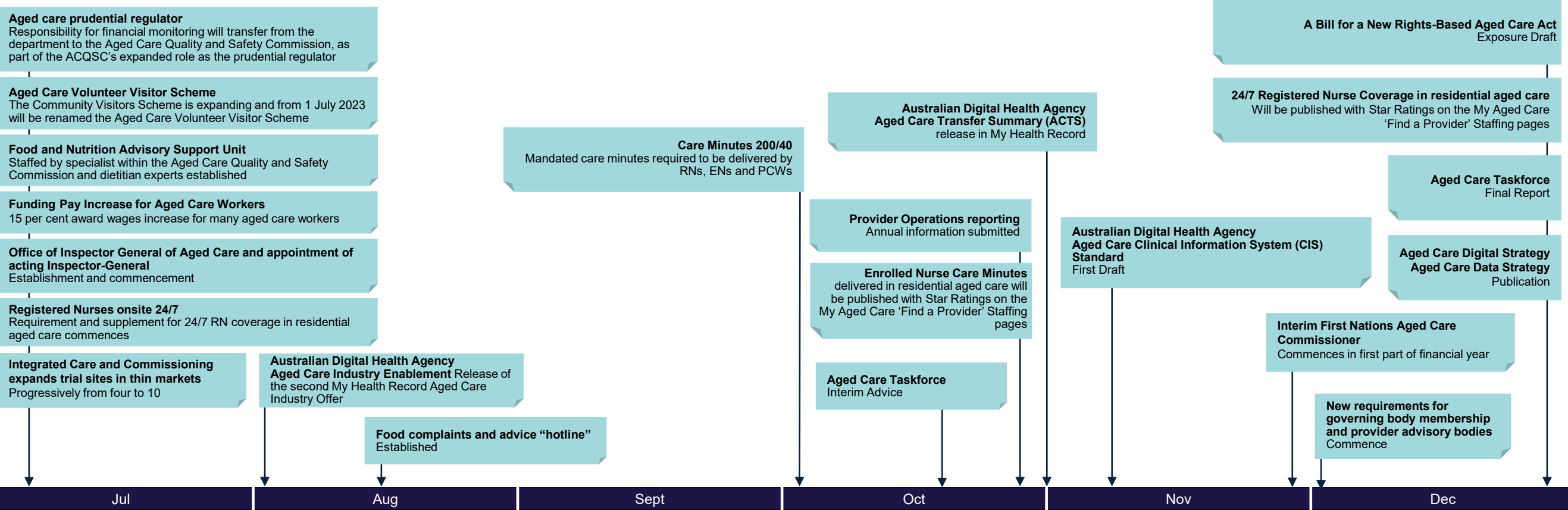
Readiness activities

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Aged care changes



2023		Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec			
Support at Home Trial of assessment tool (Jul)	Support at Home Targeted engagements with stakeholders' (Oct 2023 to Mar 2024)	Support at Home Consultation on higher levels of care at home (Nov)	Accommodation Framework Infrastructure Stocktake Survey and opportunity to provide feedback on draft National Aged Care Design Principles and Guidelines (Aug - Sep)		Accommodation Framework Architectural Design Ideas Competition (Oct 2023 – Mar 2024)					
			Draft Aged Care Digital Strategy Consultation (Aug – Oct)		Foundations of the New Aged Care Act Consultation (4 Aug – 8 Sep)			Support at Home Tech Talk Webinar (6 Dec)		
			Foundations of the New Aged Care Act Consultation (4 Aug – 8 Sep)		Aged Care Taskforce Draft aged care funding principles (4 Aug - 31 Aug)		Support at Home 18 months to go Webinar (14 Dec)			
			Townsville Aged Care Expo (4 Jul)		COTA and OPAN Consultations on the Foundations of the New Act and the Taskforce funding principles (Aug - Sep)		Celebration Day VIC (Oct)			
			Musgrave Park Family Day Brisbane (7 Jul)		Positive Ageing Expo Cairns (2 Aug)		Brisbane Care Expo (1 – 2 Sep)		Australian Association of Gerontology Conference , Gold Coast (14 – 17 Nov)	
			Aged and Community Care Reform Summit – Sydney (19 – 20 July)		National Nursing Forum Adelaide (9-11 Aug)		Aged Care Quality Safety and Risk Forum (12-13 Sep)		Care Expo Sydney (10 – 11 Nov)	
			Care Expo Melbourne (11 - 22 Aug)		Home Care Reform Forum (12-13 Sep)		ACCPA National Conference (25-27 Oct)			
			Care and Ageing Well Expo Perth (12-13 Aug)		Illawarra Dementia Forum (20 Sep)		Quarterly Financial Reporting – What's Changed Webinar (5 Oct)			
			COTA Seniors Expo Alice Spring (22 Aug)		COTA Seniors Festival Canberra (21 Sep)		Aged Care COVID-19 Outbreak Supports Webinar (10 Oct)			
			Catholic Health Australia Conference (28 - 30 Aug)		Oceanic Palliative Care Conference – Sydney (13 – 15 September)		Aged Care Data and Digital Strategy – Workforce Webinar (24 Oct)			
Home Care assurance review Webinar (27 Jul)		New Aged Care Act. Webinar (10 Aug)		Mandatory Care Minutes 200/40 Webinar (5 Sep)						
Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (5 Jul)		Improving quality of Residential Care Webinar (24 Aug)		Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (7 Sep)						
Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (16 Aug)		Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (7 Sep)		Digital Transformation Tech Talk Webinar (1 Nov)						
Readiness activities		Improving quality of care in residential aged care Webinar (2 Nov)		Aged Care Data and Digital Strategy – Consumer Webinar (7 Nov)						
Readiness activities		Quarterly Financial Reporting – launch on GPMS and greater transparency Webinar (28 Nov)		Readiness activities						

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Aged Care Reform Activity Jan 2024 to Dec 2025

Aged care changes

Home Care Workforce Support Program
Goal of approximately 13,000 new personal care workers recruited over past 2 years to support growth in Aged Care including In-Home Aged Care

Australian Digital Health Agency My Health Record registration support for Residential Aged Care Facilities
Ongoing February 2023 until June 2024

Increased transparency
Publication of increased information about residential and home care providers' finances and operations on My Aged Care

Residential aged care places assigned to people
Greater choice and control over which approved provider delivers their care

Elder Care Support Program
National service to provide face-to-face support to assist First Nations elders navigate and access aged care services (110 staff)

New Regulatory Model
Commences

Quality Standards
Commence

Commonwealth Home Support Programme
12 month grant extension

National Worker Screening for Aged Care
Commences

Accommodation Framework
Commencement of New National Aged Care Design Principles and Guidelines to create more home like environments which better meet the needs of residents

Single Assessment System
Commences

New Rights-Based Aged Care Act
Passage of the new Aged Care Act

Care Minutes 215/44
Improve access to direct clinical care for older people in residential care

Elder Care Support Program
Full establishment of a new national service to provide face-to-face support to assist First Nations elders with 250 staff across Australia

Expansion of the National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program
To include enrolled nurses, allied health and lifestyle staffing measures in residential aged care and work to expand quality indicators to In-Home aged care

English language and ongoing training requirements for Personal Care Workers
Commence

Support at Home Program
A seamless system of care with choice for older people

First Nations Aged Care Assessment System
Commences

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2024 2025

Support at Home Targeted engagements with stakeholders' Consultation (Oct 2023 – Mar 2024)

Support at Home online engagements with older people (July 2023 – Mar 2024)

Accommodation Framework Architectural Design Ideas Competition (Oct 2023 – Mar 2024)

Support at Home NSW trial of Assistive Technology (Mar)

Single Assessment System National Training Tour (Mar)

Support at Home Roadshow (May – Jun)

Support at Home Webinar # 6 (Jun)

Support at Home Webinar # 7 (Dec)

Support at Home National Training Tour (Mar)

Support at Home Roadshow (April)

Support at Home Webinar # 8 (Mar)

Support at Home Webinar # 9 (June)

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