



The hand hygiene compliance rate in Australia is **86.7%***



Nurses' hand hygiene compliance in Australia is **89.2%***



Doctors' hand hygiene compliance in Australia is **76.2%***



The national hand hygiene benchmark is **80%**



1,067



Australian health service organisations submitted

708,558

hand hygiene moments*

World Hand Hygiene Day

Save lives: clean your hands

For more information about the National Hand Hygiene Initiative, please visit: www.safetyandquality.gov.au/nhhi

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