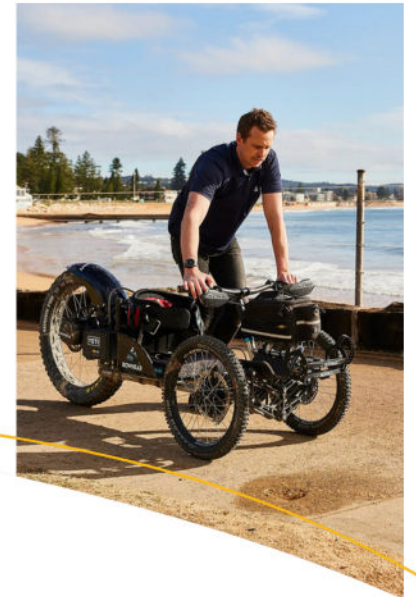




Modern Slavery Statement 2025

Reporting Period 1 July 2024 - 30 June 2025



Acknowledgement of Country

In the spirit of reconciliation, Royal Rehab acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of Country throughout Australia and their connections to land, sea, and community.

We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and future.

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A message from our Chairman and our CEO

Royal Rehab remains unwavering in our commitment to preventing modern slavery practices and upholding human rights across all areas of our operations and supply chains. We recognise that the risk of modern slavery is an ongoing and evolving challenge, and we acknowledge our responsibility to act with diligence, transparency, and integrity to ensure that exploitation is eliminated across our organisation.

Over the past year, we have continued to strengthen our understanding of modern slavery risks and enhance the systems, processes, and practices that support their identification, prevention, and remediation.

We have reinforced our commitment to fostering a culture that prioritises ethical conduct, accountability, and respect for human dignity.

Tony Staveley AM
Chairman

This Modern Slavery Statement is made in accordance with the Modern Slavery Act 2019 (Cth) and outlines the actions we have undertaken during the reporting period, as well as our ongoing focus areas to mitigate risk, support human rights, and promote the wellbeing of our employees, suppliers, and stakeholders.

As a leading provider of rehabilitation, disability, and allied health services, we remain committed to embedding sustainable and responsible business and procurement practices that contribute to the prevention of modern slavery.

Through continued collaboration, monitoring, and continuous improvement, we strive to make a meaningful impact in protecting fundamental human rights and supporting ethical practices across our operations and supply chains.

Matthew Mackay
Chief Executive Officer

Statement authorisation

Royal Rehab operates a centralised procurement function for all of its controlled entities. This statement applies to Royal Rehab and its subsidiaries. This statement was approved by the principal governing body of Royal Rehab.

Royal Rehab

Royal Rehab has a history that dates back to 1899, when our founder, Susan Schardt, a remarkable and pioneering woman who was sight impaired at birth, displayed extraordinary vision for what was possible.

At the young age of 27, Susan changed the life of a man who was facing disability and homelessness by finding him accommodation and care. Royal Rehab's legacy of excellence and unwavering commitment to improving lives is a testament to Susan's vision and the values that drive us forward.

Today, we have grown to become a renowned provider of holistic, client-centred, high-quality care in rehabilitation and disability services, having helped over 61,000 Australians over our 125 years of service. We are a charity with a clear purpose, to empower the people we serve so that they can achieve their full potential.

Our approach is centred around offering tailored solutions to individuals based on their specific needs and where they are in their life's journey. Whether it's recovering from an illness or injury, improving function and overall wellbeing, or facilitating community participation, our goal is to empower individuals to become more independent, leading fulfilling lives.

Our purpose

Together we empower people to reach their potential.

Our vision

A world without limits for people with disability, illness and injury.

Our strategy

Our strategic plan is driven by a powerful vision of creating a world without limits for people with disability, illness, and injury.

Our strategy is grounded in four key priorities:

1.

Open up a world of possibilities

2.

Nurture a culture where our people and customers thrive

3.

Designed for efficient scale

4.

Drive sustainable growth

Royal Rehab's purpose, vision and strategy plays a crucial role in supporting the Research and Clinical Trials Governance Framework as they provide the foundation upon which the Framework is built, providing clarity for the delivery of research and ensuring that all research is conducted according to ethical principles and relevant legislation.

Our Business and operations

Spanning 25 locations across New South Wales, Queensland and Victoria, our operations include our flagship Royal Rehab Ryde hospital, private rehabilitation hospitals, disability services and a purpose-built resort for people with spinal cord injury.

Royal Rehab Private Ryde

Our private rehabilitation hospital in Ryde offers both day and inpatient services, specialising in neurological, orthopaedic, reconditioning and pain-management programs.

Royal Rehab Ryde Public Services

Royal Rehab Ryde Public Services specialise in brain and spinal cord injuries as part of the NSW government-funded affiliated health network. Our offerings encompass inpatient and community rehabilitation for brain injury, as well inpatient and Spinal Outreach Service, which provides statewide support for those with spinal cord injuries, caregivers, and local clinicians across metropolitan Sydney and rural New South Wales.

Royal Rehab Private Petersham

Our private rehabilitation hospital in Petersham offers both day and inpatient services, specialising in neurological, orthopaedic, reconditioning, cancer, and pain-management programs. Recognised as an accredited rehabilitation teaching hospital with the Australasian Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine, our Visiting Medical Officers provide invaluable support to registrars attached to Royal Rehab Private Petersham.

Royal Rehab LifeWorks

At Royal Rehab LifeWorks Ryde, we specialise in neurological rehabilitation, harnessing the support of our Advanced Technology Centre. We also extend our services to Cairns, Petersham, Collaroy, Penrith, Brisbane, Townsville and Melbourne, offering high-quality allied health services. Additionally, our commitment to innovation is evident through our investment in technology, ensuring we provide the best care possible to our clients.

Breakthru

Breakthru offers a wide range of disability services in Queensland, New South Wales and Victoria. Services include:

- NDIS supports
- Support coordination
- Specialist support coordination
- Social and community participation
- Supported independent living (SIL)
- Specialist disability accommodation (SDA)
- Respite and short-term accommodation
- Psychosocial recovery coaching
- Disability employment services
- School leaver employment services
- Finding and keeping a job
- Family mental health support services

Sargood on Collaroy

Sargood on Collaroy is an award-winning, fully accessible resort designed specifically for people with spinal cord injury, their families, and their carers. Recognised as a global leader, our resort offers fully accessible and fun holidays as well as short-term accommodation, providing the care and equipment necessary to make each stay an enjoyable and supportive experience.

Breakthru College

Our registered training organisation offers a range of qualifications, short courses, and customised training services.

FNQ Health and Fitness

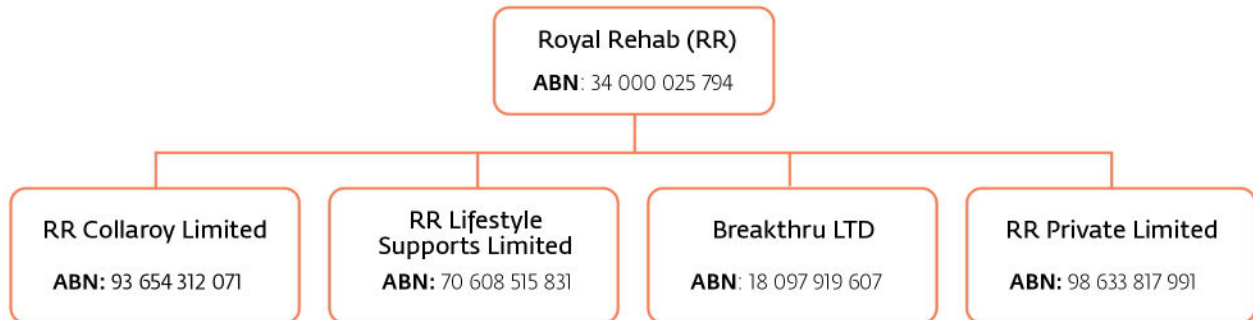
A leading provider of community allied health services in Far North Queensland. FNQ Health and Fitness, renowned for its expertise in exercise physiology, specialise in the use of exercise and movement for both prevention and management of chronic disease and injuries.

Precision Health Care

With a custom built clinic, Precision Health Care is recognised as a quality provider of physiotherapy, exercise physiology, and rehabilitation services. Precision Health Care also offers a range of strength and fitness classes including Pilates.

Royal Rehab legal structure

Royal Rehab is a not-for-profit company, limited by guarantee, and registered as a charity under the Australian Charities and Not for Profits Commission. The organisation is part of a wider Group, whereby Royal Rehab is the parent company, with several controlled subsidiaries.



Our governance

Royal Rehab remain committed to fortifying our governance, due diligence, risk management, and compliance processes across all aspects of our operations.

The governance structure within Royal Rehab has been designed to ensure we meet all governance obligations and supports a culture of continuous improvement and the achievement of performance expectations including those that relate to our Modern Slavery Statement.

The ultimate responsibility for the management of Royal Rehab rests with the Board of Directors (the Board). The Board oversees the implementation of clinical governance to ensure legal, regulatory and operational responsibilities in line with corporate objectives. The Board set a clear vision, strategic direction and strong organisational culture that drives consistently safe and high-quality service provision. The Board review reports and monitors the organisation's performance against both clinical and corporate measures and guides the organisation's culture and strategy.

The Executive (including the Chief Executive Officer) have daily accountability for operations, governance, and monitoring. They are accountable for developing and implementing strategic and operational plans that embed corporate and clinical governance including monitoring of key performance indicators. Executive members are expected to model the highest standards of ethical and professional behaviour. Executive members are accountable to the Chief Executive for clinical and corporate governance requirements within their portfolios.



The Board has established five sub-committees and has assigned to each committee duties to assist the Board in exercising its responsibilities. Each committee operates under separate terms of reference, outlining its roles, responsibilities, membership, and operational requirements. Each committee regularly report to the Board on all matters relevant to the committee's roles and responsibilities.

Our locations

Royal Rehab operates in the following locations across Australia.

NSW

- Bankstown
- Campbelltown
- Campsie
- Clyde
- Collaroy
- Coonabarabran
- Dubbo
- Goonellabah
- Hornsby
- Lidcombe
- Lismore
- Liverpool
- Maroubra
- Menai
- Milsons Point
- North Wollongong
- Orange
- Parramatta
- Penrith
- Petersham
- Port Macquarie
- Raymond Terrace
- Rydalmere
- Ryde
- St Peters
- Taree
- Tuggerah
- Tuncurry
- Wallsend
- West Ryde

QLD

- Atherton
 - Brisbane
 - Cairns
 - Fortitude Valley
 - North Brisbane
 - Townsville
- ## VIC
- Broadmeadows
 - Footscray
 - Melbourne
 - Pakenham
 - St Albans

SA

- Angle Park
- Hove

WA

- Fremantle
- Perth

ACT

- Canberra



Our Supply Chains

Royal Rehab sources a wide range of goods and services to support the delivery of high-quality rehabilitation, disability and allied health services across our three states of operation.

Due to the nature of the industries that Royal Rehab operates within, a small number of key suppliers engaged by the organisation form a significant proportion of the procurement value of the organisation.

We are confident that we have minimised our modern slavery risk by engaging large and reputable organisations for the bulk of our procurement services, particularly with the knowledge that our key organisations are engaged in tackling modern slavery risks across their supplier channels.

Our key business relationships are primarily with government health and disability departments in New South Wales, Victoria, and Queensland.

Risks

The UN Global Compact supports Royal Rehab to align our strategies and operations with the ten principles on human rights, labour, environment and anti- corruption and take strategic actions to advance broader societal goals with an emphasis on collaboration and innovation.

The following table identify Royal Rehab's main operational and supply chain categories which have been identified in the Global Slavery Index as presenting a risk of modern slavery.

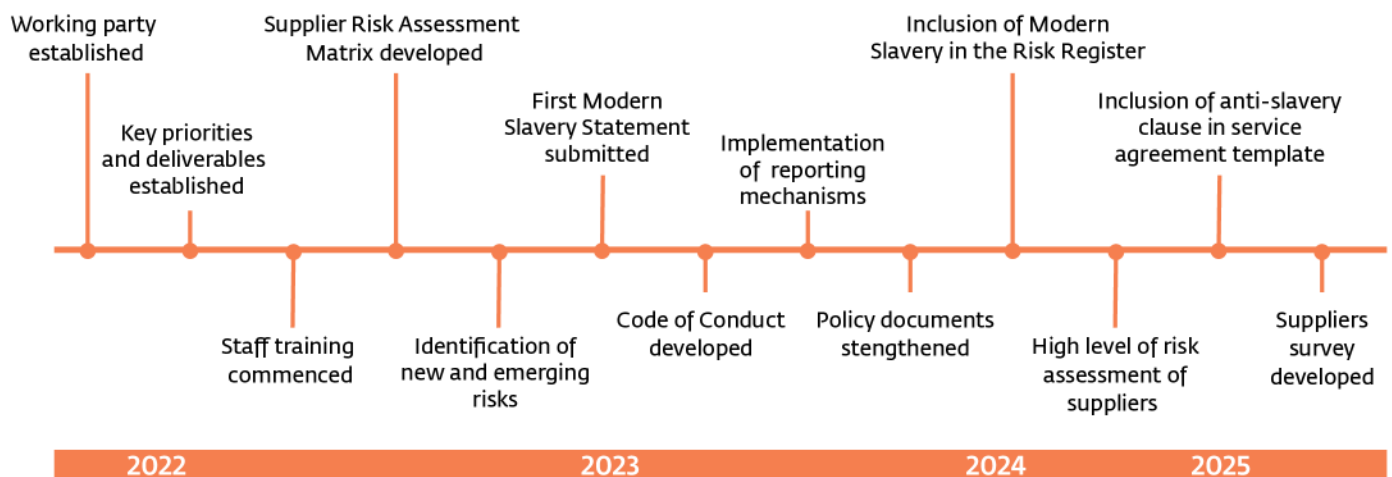
Operational and supply chain categories	Potential modern slavery risks	Processes in place to mitigate risk
Workforce related expenses including, salaries, employee-related expenses and agency workforce.	Potential workforce risks include unsafe conditions, long hours, forced labour and the denial of basic labour rights.	Royal Rehab workforce is employed under Enterprise Agreements approved by the Fair Work Commission and a smaller percentage under individual contracts of employment.
Facility management cleaning services, catering, linen and laundry supplies.	Potential risks include use of low-skilled or temporary labour, migrant labour and temporary workers on short-term contracts.	Royal Rehab access hospitality and facilities services via a contracted company, subject to the requirements of the Modern Slavery Act 2019.
Medical consumables, equipment and care supplies.	Potential risks include purchasing medical consumables from complex multi-tiered supply chains which may operate in high- risk countries.	Royal Rehab predominantly purchased healthcare consumables from companies that operate in countries that have legislative requirements enforcing minimum standards.
Information Technology, telecommunications solutions, system applications and software solutions.	Potential risks include the production of raw materials at the lower tiers of the global supply chains resulting in increased likelihood of debt bondage, forced labour, child labour and servitude.	Royal Rehab predominantly purchased IT products and software from companies that operate their head office in countries that have legislative requirements enforcing minimum standards.
Consumables such as office stationery and uniforms.	Potential risks include purchasing office consumables from complex multi-tiered supply chains which may operate in high-risk countries.	Royal Rehab predominantly purchased office consumables from companies that operate in Australia that are subject to the requirements of the Modern Slavery Act 2019, Ethical Sourcing Policy and Supplier Code of Conduct.

Royal Rehab remains alert to the potential risks associated with modern slavery and human rights issues within our operations and supply chains. As part of our future focus on modern slavery risks, Royal Rehab has developed a supplier risk matrix based on our key suppliers, goods purchased, and supplier locations, which is being implemented across the organisation.

Actions Taken

Royal Rehab has made progress towards our goal of raising awareness and ensuring we appropriately assess and manage any residual risk linked to modern slavery practices through our operations and supply chains. In the 2022 – 2023 reporting period we have:

- Developed and implemented training for our management staff on Modern Slavery.
- Developed and implemented a risk matrix to identify and prioritise suppliers which may be higher risk of modern slavery practices such as industries, locations or supply chain practices as outlined in the Global Slavery Index.
- Strengthened our policies and procedures relating to modern slavery including our Whistle-Blower Policy and Investment Guidelines.
- Commenced work with our suppliers outlining our expectations around modern slavery risk management including review of the procurement practices and supplier onboarding processes.
- Developed the supplier survey and supplier code of conduct to help determine and quantify supplier risk.



Royal Rehab will continue to build on these risk management initiatives and strengthen our efforts in our modern slavery road map including:

- Ensure compliance with the implementation of supplier onboarding processes.
- Engage our top tier 1 suppliers and provide a copy of the code of conduct and supplier surveys for completion.
- Integration of an employee education program into our onboarding and orientation program for new employees.
- Increase and strengthen our suite of staff resources relating to modern slavery.

Effectiveness assessment

Royal Rehab assesses the effectiveness of our actions in relation to Modern Slavery through the following:

- Engage stakeholders and employees to ensure information and training provided is fit for purpose and accessible.
- Ensuring the any potential modern slavery issues are escalated per the requirements outlined in the Whistleblower Policy.
- Disseminate the Supplier Survey and Code of Conduct to gather data on supply chain practices.
- Ongoing review of the implementation of supplier onboarding processes.
- Regular review and implementation of policies and procedures relating to modern slavery.
- Draw on the United Nations Global Compact resources to keep abreast of developments within modern slavery globally.
- Utilise feedback from stakeholders to drive continuous improvement.

Consultation

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The organisation is part of a wider Group, whereby Royal Rehab is the parent company, with several controlled subsidiaries. Royal Rehab is governed by a Board that sits concurrently as the Board of Royal Rehab and Royal Rehab's controlled subsidiaries. The Board acts in the best interests of Royal Rehab as a whole and in a manner based on transparency, accountability and responsibility.

The Royal Rehab Group Chief Executive Officer and other senior executives make up the Group Executive Team. The Royal Rehab Board and Group Executive Team are responsible for setting the strategic directions for the work of the organisation.

