

**Multicultural Queensland Advisory Council**  
**Meeting communique**  
**27 September 2016**

The Multicultural Queensland Advisory Council met for the second time on 27 September 2016 to discuss progress made in drafting the Multicultural Policy and Action Plan, and to identify priority areas of focus for the Council's work in 2017.

Members provided input into the draft Multicultural Policy and Action Plan prior to consultation with Queensland government agencies and consideration by government.

The Council identified a range of key issues relevant to Queensland's multicultural communities, and identified priority areas for the Council's focus for 2017. This will include, for example, their legislative responsibilities and promotion of the Multicultural Queensland Charter. The Council will work out-of-session to consider, identify and refine potential activities to address identified priority areas for inclusion in the Council work plan. The work plan is to be finalised at the next meeting of the Council in November 2016.