

ABORIGINAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Kids Easy Breathing Study

BREATH Team - Telethon Kids Institute

We are looking for Aboriginal parents who are passionate about lung health to join the Aboriginal Advisory Committee (AAC) for our Kids Easy Breathing Study (KEBS). Research shows 1 in 5 Aboriginal* bubs in hospital for bronchiolitis (a common viral chest infection) later had serious damage to their lungs. The aim of our study is to find out why Aboriginal bobbies are more likely to develop long-term lung sickness.

The AAC will yarn about

- Ways to co-design a culturally safe research project
- Current data and how we can prevent and reduce the number of cases
- Data sovereignty (keeping information safe)

Your time and commitment will be reimbursed for each meeting you attend, along with any travel expenses. We aim to meet for approximately 2 hours 4 times per year, where we will have a yarn about the project, covering progress, queries and research findings.

If this is something you would like to be a part of, please call our research team on **0402 047 078** or email your expressions of interest to BREATH@telethonkids.org.au