Access to healthcare should rely on your Medicare card not your credit card. Malcolm Turnbull wants to privatise Medicare services. Privatising Medicare will be the end of Medicare as we know it. Nobody wants to head down the same path as America when it comes to our health system. Labor introduced Medicare to Australia and Labor will always protect it.
EDUCATION
Investing in our schools and TAFEs: opportunity, equity and innovation.

Your Child. Our Future. Full Gonski And More. Needs Based School Funding
Computer Coding For Every School
Skilling Teachers in STEM: Upskilling Teachers
Girls Into Code
A Stronger Vocational Education & Training Sector
National TAFE Funding Guarantee
Your Child. Our Future. Support For Students With Disability
Your Child. Our Future. Non-Govt School Funding Support
New Graduates into STEM Teaching
Investing in Indigenous Students
Targeted Teaching
More Affordable Child Care
Supporting Country Classrooms
Addressing The Child Care Squeeze
Real Skills, Good Jobs
Safe Schools: Supporting LGBTI Students
Reducing Admission Fees To Questacon
HEALTH
Making health our #1 priority: protecting Medicare, investing in our health system.

- A Stronger Medicare For All Australians
- Better Mental Health Care
- Medicinal Cannabis
- Indigenous Eye Health Help
- Managing Allergic Diseases
- Fight Smoking Related Diseases
- Increase Support For Australians With Breast Cancer
- Support Men With Prostate Cancer
- Labor Will End Malcolm Turnbull’s Medicines Price Hike
- Reforming Australia’s Healthcare System
- Stronger Medicare: New Models of Care
- Stronger Medicare: Strengthening Hospitals
- An Age-Friendly Nation
- Supporting Australians To Die Well
- Life-Saving Ovarian Cancer Research
- National Plan for Excellence in Perinatal Mental Health
- Labor Will Reverse Cuts To Medicare For Pathology And Imaging
- A New National Drug Strategy
- A National Approach to Suicide Prevention
- A National Dementia Strategy
Keeping higher education accessible for all families: no $100,000 degrees.

Higher Education – Getting More Students To Graduate
Regional Incubators And Accelerators
National Digital Workforce Plan
Startup Year To Create More Startups
Debt-Free Stem Degrees
Higher Education – Student Funding Guarantee
Higher Education – Independent Commission
Higher Education – Clearer Information For Parents And Students
University Of Tasmania Jobs And Growth Package
Restoring Integrity In Vet And Protecting Students And Taxpayers From Rip-Offs
INFRASTRUCTURE
Nation-building infrastructure: jobs, road and rail.

Empowering Infrastructure Australia
Plan For Our Cities
Financing The Infrastructure Of The Future
Smart, Sustainable Infrastructure
Plan For Australian Metals Manufacturing And Jobs
Backing Apprenticeships
Fast-Tracking Priority National Infrastructure Projects
Build Jobs And Industry While Tackling Climate Change
High Speed Rail
National Cycling Strategy
Manufacturing Transition Boost
Perth Growth Corridor Infrastructure Program
Build Perth METRONET
A First-Class Stadium For Townsville
A ‘National Interest Test’ For Gas Exports
Western Sydney Night ‘No-Fly Zone’
Brisbane Roads Package (M1 And Ipswich)
Hobart Airport Infrastructure
Labor’s $550 Million Commitment To Adelaide Jobs And Infrastructure
Boosting Rail Freight at Port Botany
NBN - National Broadband Network
Western Sydney Rail
Melbourne Metro & Park-and-Ride Infrastructure
Brisbane’s Cross River Rail
Melbourne Roads
Victorian Regional Transport
Boost for Central & North Queensland Roads
CLIMATE CHANGE
Acting on climate change, protecting the environment.

Net Zero Pollution By 2050
50% Renewables By 2030
Animal Testing Ban
Cut Pollution – Emissions Trading Scheme
Cleaner Power Generation
Increased Energy Efficiency
Carbon Capture On The Land
Protecting Animal Welfare And Boosting Agricultural Profitability
Double The Number Of Indigenous Rangers
Great Barrier Reef Plan
Community Power Network
Government Renewable Energy Power Purchase Agreements
Marine Parks: Protecting Our Oceans And Fisheries
PENALTY RATES
Protecting penalty rates and your rights at work.

Commonwealth Cleaning Services Guidelines
Safeguarding Workers Rights
Protect Weekend Penalty Rates
Better Union Governance
Protecting Rights At Work: Licensing Labour Hire
BUDGET REPAIR THAT’S FAIR

Budget repair that’s fair: a 10 year plan to strengthen the Australian economy.

Making Multinationals Pay Their Fair Share Of Tax
Helping Small Business Access Finance
Helping Small Businesses Incorporate
Lowering The Small Business Company Tax Rate
Research & Development Investment Target
Back ing In Startups And Innovative Companies
Getting Startups Capital – Angel Investment Schemes And Reforming ESVCLPs
National Information Policy
Entrepreneur Landing Pads
Greater Budget Transparency
Challenge Incentives For SME’s
Sharing Economy
Keeping Super Fair
Entrepreneur Visas
Innovation Investment Partnership
No Increase To The GST
Positive Plan On Housing Affordability – Negative Gearing Reform
Positive Plan On Housing Affordability – Capital Gains Tax Reform
Comprehensive Credit Reporting
Multinational Tax Transparency
Protecting Paid Parental Leave
Innovate Australia – Stronger Innovation Support
Cutting Government Waste: Stop Paying Polluters Not To Pollute
Cutting Government Waste: No Plebiscite For Marriage Equality
Cutting Government Waste: Not Proceeding With The New Baby Bonus
Labor’s Budget Repair Strategy
CSIRO - Future Smart Science
Tasmanian Tourism Jobs
Northern Australia: A Tourism Powerhouse
Reforming Competition Policy for Fairer Markets
New Jobs Tax Cut
Giving the Consumer Watchdog More Teeth
EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

We will always have problems if we allow inequality to continue. That’s why Labor is committed to tackling inequality. Labor has to stand up for people who are less off and that’s what our policies will do.

Frontline Funds For Family Violence
Supporting Stronger Disability Advocates
National Redress Scheme
Empowering Indigenous Girls
Empowering Young Australians To Participate In Our Democracy
Indigenous Justice Target
Republic Timeline
Youth Jobs Pathway
Marriage Equality
Family Violence Paid Leave
National Family Violence Summit
Community Sector Partnership
Constitutional Recognition Of Aboriginal And Torres Strait Islander Peoples
Royal Commission Into The Financial Services Industry
Small Business Ombudsman – Access To Justice
Human Rights Commissioners
Advancing Australian Multiculturalism
Water Safe: Labor’s National Water Safety Education Program
Counting the Cost: Veterans’ Homelessness and Suicide
Committing to Family Violence Services
Fighting Discrimination Against LGBTI Australians
Creative industries, creative country
Supporting Indigenous Justice
Committing to Community Radio
Giving Women’s Sport The Attention It Deserves
A Strong, Vibrant and Sustainable Community Sector
Jobs Plan For People With Disability
Working Futures: Tackling Youth Unemployment
A National Affordable Housing Strategy
FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Our national interest is in a peaceful, stable and prosperous world. There are many challenges to this global vision – including the threat of conflict between states, the rise of non-state actors, growing economic inequality, and climate change.

Defence Under Labor: A Safe, Secure and Independent Australia
Generating Jobs Through Trade And Investment
Respecting And Supporting Our Veterans
Immigration – Regional And Global Efforts
Protecting Overseas Aid Projects
Australia’s Submarines Built Here
Immigration – Increasing The Humanitarian Intake
Defending Australia – Future Frigates
Counter Terrorism under Labor
Chemical Contamination At Defence Sites
Immigration – Tourism Visa Reform
Defence Remuneration Reform
Immigration – Mandatory Reporting And More Transparency
Letting Australian NGO’s Do Their Good Work Overseas
AND MORE POLICIES TO COME
A UNITED LABOR TEAM WILL PUT PEOPLE FIRST

Labor has positive policies for health including protecting Medicare. Plans for education including “Your Child, Our Future” the largest investment in education in two generations. Labor will make multinationals pay their fair share of tax. We will also protect weekend penalty rates. Labor. We’ll Put People First.

To see all of our 100 policies visit: WWW.100POSITIVEPOLICIES.ORG.AU

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