

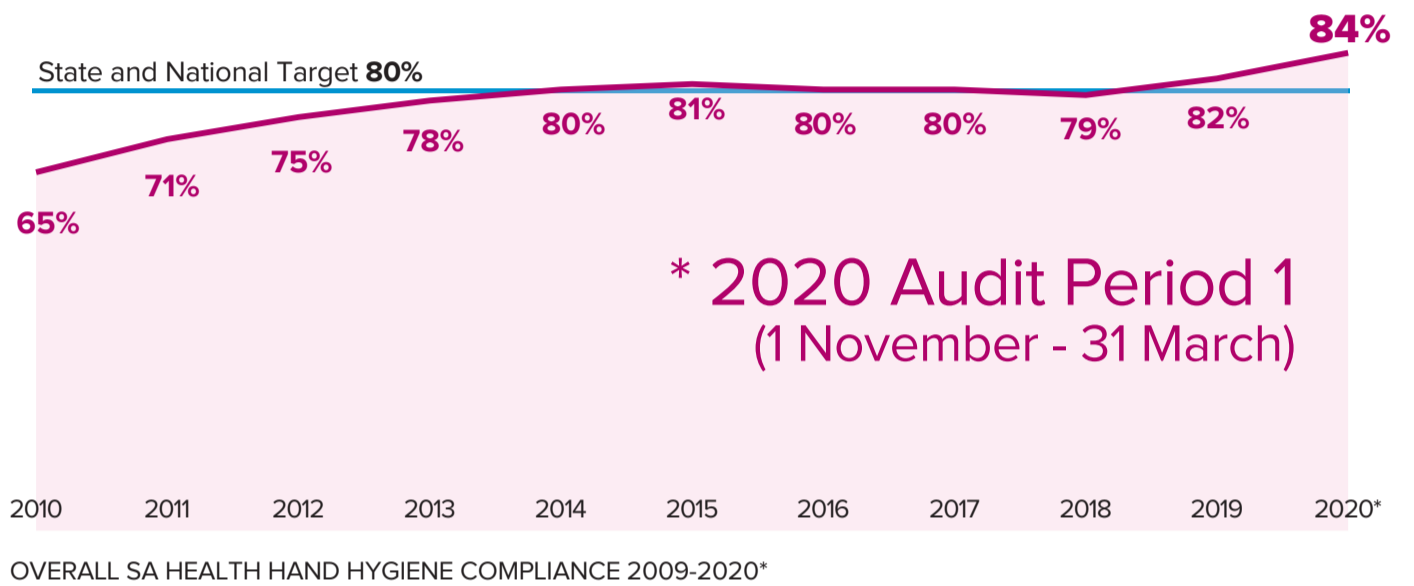
# WHY IS HAND HYGIENE IMPORTANT?

Hand hygiene, as part of infection prevention and control, has a demonstrated impact on quality of care and patient safety across all levels of the health system.

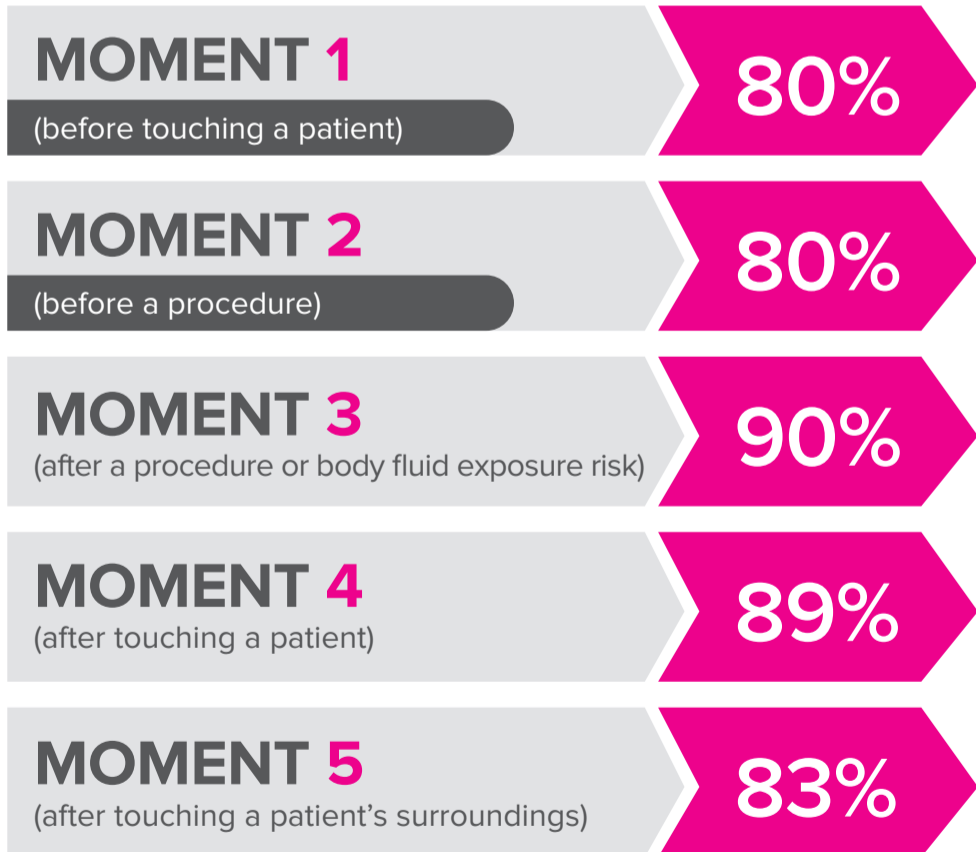


All Local Health Networks (LHNs) have met or exceeded the National Hand Hygiene target of 80%.

HEALTHCARE WORKERS:  
**CLEAN CARE IS IN YOUR HANDS**



## COMPLIANCE\* AS PER THE 5 MOMENTS FOR HAND HYGIENE



## HAND HYGIENE LOCAL HEALTH NETWORK COMPLIANCE\*

LHN	LHN Overall Compliance
Central Adelaide LHN	85%
Southern Adelaide LHN	81%
Northern Adelaide LHN	83%
Barossa Hills Fleurieu LHN	89%
Women's and Children's LHN	86%
Eyre and Far North LHN	91%
Flinders and Upper North LHN	91%
Limestone Coast LHN	87%
Riverland Mallee Coorong LHN	86%
Yorke and Northern LHN	86%

**REMEMBER:** Hand hygiene must be performed **IMMEDIATELY BEFORE** and **AFTER** glove use - gloves do not replace the need for Hand Hygiene.

Clean and safe care starts with you.

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