

# Rheumatic fever

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**Type:** Audiovisual

**Description:**

This DVD aims to reduce the incidence of rheumatic heart disease (RHD) in Indigenous Australians by educating young Aboriginal people about rheumatic fever, the risks to their health, and how to prevent those risks. The message is delivered by high profile Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in a manner that will appeal to young Indigenous Australians. The DVD runs for approximately six minutes.

**When to use this resource:**

The resource is designed to be shown to young Aboriginal people to make them aware of rheumatic heart disease. It can be used in clinics, schools and communities throughout Australia. It can be used to stimulate discussions with students about how to prevent RHD.

**Producer:**

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