



Leading effectively as a public sector Deputy.

Ideal for:

Early-stage Deputy Secretaries (or equivalent)

Duration

4-6 weeks

Dates

September –
October 2026

Cost

\$22,600 (inc. GST)

Format

Blended – in-person
residential in Sydney



The Deputies Leadership Program supports early-stage Deputies to step confidently into the demands of senior public leadership. **Designed for those new to the role, the program explores the responsibilities, relationships and pressures unique to Deputies, with a focus on integrity, stewardship and leading at the political-administrative interface.**

What you'll learn

- » Deepen understanding of the Deputy role
- » Navigate complexity with confidence
- » Learn alongside peers across jurisdictions
- » Building and enhancing capability for effective senior leadership

Key benefits

Role clarity

Build a clearer understanding of the Deputy role and expectations of Secretaries and Chief Executives in complex public sector environments.

Manage complex systems

Strengthen your ability to operate at the political-administrative interface and manage competing priorities with confidence.

Peer Connection

Learn alongside a cohort of Deputies from across Australia and Aotearoa New Zealand, building trusted professional networks.

Integrity in action

Explore ethical leadership, stewardship and trust, and how these shape decision-making in senior public roles.

