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# Privacy Commissioner's Update

**Presentation to Practitioners' Network Forum**

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NSW Privacy Commissioner



# Privacy Awareness Week NSW 2020



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# Privacy Awareness Week Forum

This event will explore identity theft within a NSW context and in a Q&A session, look at cyber security initiatives within the NSW government.



**When:** Tuesday 5 May 2020, 8:30am – 10:35am

**Location:** Parliament House Theatrette, Sydney

**Guest speakers:** Professor David Lacey, IDCare  
Tony Chapman, Cyber Security NSW

# Privacy Awareness Week Champions



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# Privacy Code of Practice for Local Government

- **Revised 20 December 2019**
- **Updated to:**
  - Reflect contemporary drafting practices
  - remove examples & explanatory notes
  - remove references to repealed or out dated legislation



# Privacy – Case management

- **100% of reviews completed within 40 working day timeframe**
- **Oct-Dec Quarter - 99 privacy internal reviews & 46 complaints finalised**
- **Complaints - 50% concluded within 90 days**
- **13 voluntary breach notifications received, 42 for the year to date**







# IPC Resources & Publications

## Recently updated

- ✓ *Fact Sheet – Providing access to health information – guidance for health care providers*
- ✓ *Statutory Guidelines – Guidance: Transborder Disclosure Principle – the new section 19(2)*
- ✓ *Guidance – Guidance on the preparation and assessment of Privacy Codes of Practice under the PPIP Act and HRIP Act*
- ✓ *Fact Sheet – Accessing your health information in NSW*

## Upcoming

- ✓ *Data sharing guidance*

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