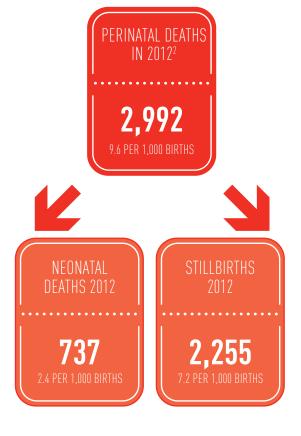


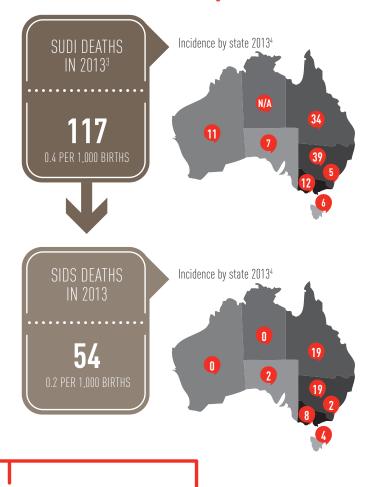
BIRTHS IN AUSTRALIA 2013<sup>1</sup> MONEY INVESTED IN RESEARCH TO DATE

\$16.5 million 308,065

## RESEARCH CURRENTLY BEING FUNDED

- Sudden Unexpected Early Neonatal Death or Collapse in Previously Healthy Term Infants in the First 7 Days of Life
  - Underlying Mechanisms of SIDS investigation in to the effects of intrauterine growth restriction on the heart and circulation
- SUDC (Sudden Unexpected Death in Childhood) International **Research Initiative**
- Reducing risk for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander babies: trial of a safe sleep enabler to reduce the risk of sudden unexpected deaths in infancy in high risk environments.





SUDI DEATHS 1989-2013<sup>5</sup>

4,695

**DECREASE IN** THE RATE OF SUDI DEATHS 1989-20135

80%

LIVES SAVED SINCE RISK REDUCTION CAMPAIGNS BEGAN<sup>5-6</sup>

8,480

## **DEFINITIONS**

SUDI

Sudden Unexpected Deaths in Infancy including SIDS.
All fetal and neonatal deaths of at least 400 grams birthweight or at least 20 weeks gestation Perinatal Neonatal Deaths within 28 days of birth

Fetal deaths (if the birthweight is at least 400 grams or the gestational age is 20 weeks or more)

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