## **Second collection** AEDC collections are linked **First Nations** & transition to to Australian Government The CCCH & The adaptation study government administrative data through **Testing the EDI Kids partnership** ownership The cultural Person Level Integrated in Australia The CCCH and The validity of the AEDI Data Asset to inform policy AEDI program is Kids establish the for First Nations Two small pilots of owned and led by and research. Linkage and children is the Canadian EDI are **AEDI National Support** the Australian trends from 3 collections conducted in Centre, with support examined resulting facilitate deeper exploration Government from the Australian of children's development, in adaptations to Western Australia Department of (4,500 children). government. the Instrument. Education. strengthening policy impact. 2025 2004-2007 2004-2007 2009 2014 2004-2007 2012 2015 2001-2003 2007-2009 **Community** Research & **First national** Name change **AEDC** embedded in implementation development data collection policy & practice The AEDI is A range of validation Centre for Community The AEDI is conducted renamed the The AEDC is used as a Child Health (CCCH) studies and analyses nationally for the first Australian Early progress measure in ensure the AEDI is a and The Kids Research time, capturing data Development national and jurisdictional Institute Australia reliable measure of for over 260,000 Census (AEDC). strategies and planning, from children. The 2009 implement a child development. school and community level government-funded AEDI is linked to the to government. pilot in 60 communities Longitudinal Study of The AEDC is increasingly across Australia Australian Children. used by schools, communities (70.000 children). and state and territory governments to identify and respond to children's developmental needs.

Strengthening impact through linkage with other

data sets