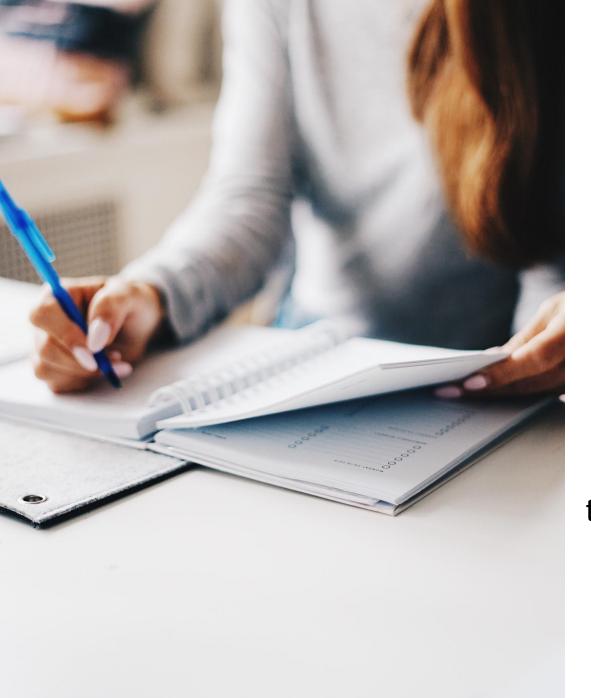
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# Taking your Google Ads to the next level as an NFP Webinar

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# WHAT WE WILL ACHIEVE TODAY

Learn about how to assess your existing Google Ads campaigns, ad sets and ads as well as keywords with the help of tools such as Google Analytics and Keyword Planner inside the Google Ads interface itself.





# BEFORE WE START...

What you'd like to learn in today's session?

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### **ABOUT ME: GINA NOVOA**



- A BA in Industrial Engineering might seem like an unusual qualification for a Digital Marketing Specialist, but the parallels are striking.
- Optimising complex systems by improving and implementing integrated systems of information is what Gina is all about.
- Originally from Bogota, Colombia, she has over ten years' experience in Product Development and Project Management.
- She moved to Australia and studied Digital
   Marketing with certification direct from Google for
   Google Analytics and Google Ads. Have worked
   for digital agencies as well as small and medium
   business in digital.
- Joined The Creative Collective in early 2020.
- She's also a digital nerd.
- She eats big data for breakfast washed down with a cup of Colombian single origin.





# WHAT WE WILL ACHIEVE TODAY

- 1. What is Google Ads, Orientation around the Google Ads interface, basic concepts.
- 2. Key metrics to look out for in Google Ads and what they mean
- 3. Conversion tracking and tools to use: Google Analytics and Keyword Planner
- 4. Specific guidelines for NFP Google Ads and how to manage them.

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1. What is Google Ads **Orientation** around the **Google Ads** interface, basic concepts.

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## 1. Google Ads Basics

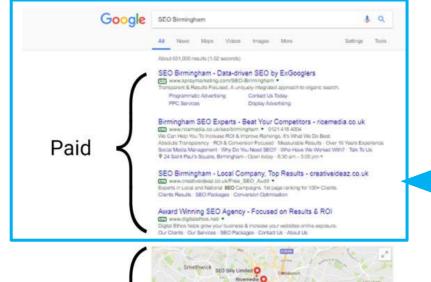
## Google Ads interface, basic concepts

- Google Ads is a paid advertising platform that falls under a marketing channel known as pay-per-click (PPC), where you (the advertiser) pays per click on an ad.
- With Google Ads, you can boost your website traffic, receive more phone calls, and website enquiries.



- The advertising platform came on the scene in October 2000 as Google Adwords, but after some rebranding in 2018, it was renamed Google Ads.
- Your organisation will show up on the search engine results page (SERP) at the moment your ideal customers are looking for products and services like yours via Google Search or Google Maps.





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### **WHAT IS SERP?**

Search Engine Results Page

**PAID ADS - GOOGLE ADS**Around 3-4 paid ads results. Very competitive.

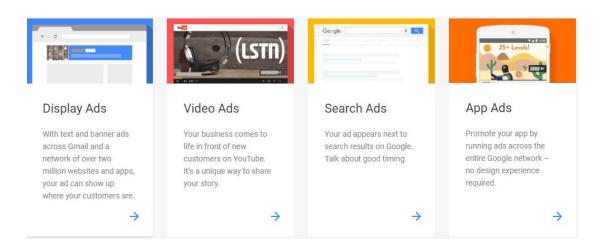
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Google My Business is another great free way to get high visibility on Google. Your ads can also appear here.

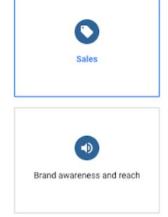
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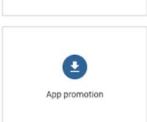


# 1. Google Ads Basics - Type of Google Ads

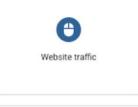


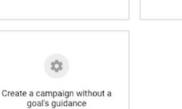
NOTE: Your daily budget will need to be set at \$329 (\$10,000 per month) and you cannot have keywords with a Max CPC over \$2.00. Plus, your ads can only appear on Google.com – you cannot use Search Partners and since you can only be on Google.com with text ads, you are not eligible for the Display Network either..





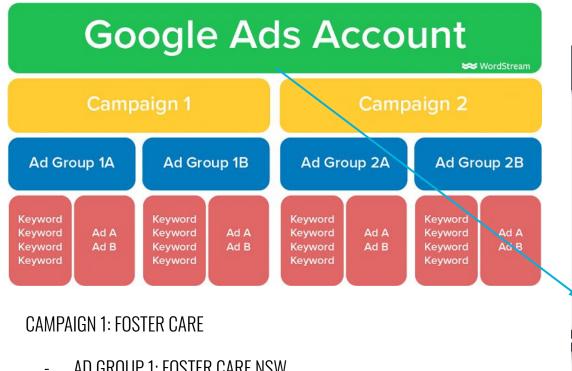
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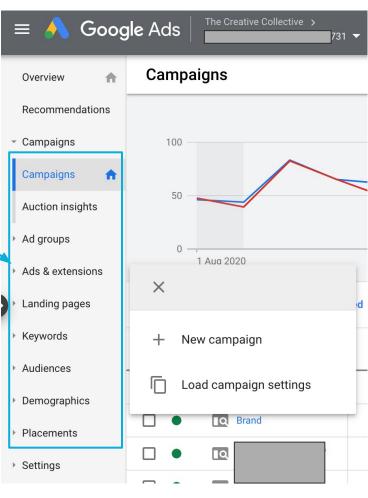
## 1. Google Ads Basics - Campaign plan



- AD GROUP 1: FOSTER CARE NSW
  - **AD VARIATION 1**
  - AD VARIATION 2
  - **AD VARIATION 3**
- AD GROUP 2: FOSTER CARE OLD

#### CAMPAIGN 2: DISABILITY SERVICES

- AD GROUP 1: DISABILITY SERVICES NSW
- AD GROUP 2: DISABILITY SERVICES OLD



NOTE: Must have at least 2 ads per ad group and at least 2 sitelink ad extensions.

## 1. Google Ads Basics - campaign plan

- 1. Identify your goals: Is your goal to drive direct response traffic and generate clicks?
  Or is your goal to promote your brand and measure user engagement?
- 2. **Optimise your landing page**/website for conversions.
- 3. Do a proper **keyword research** to find the right set of keywords, search volume and average CPC to determine budget.
- 4. Select a **campaign type**: search, display, video, shopping, etc.
- 5. Select **ad groups**: Let's say you own a furniture business. You might create an ad group named "Couches" where you'd target keywords like "leather couches," "sofas," and "loveseats." You'd then create ads about couches and link to the couches section of your website.
- 6. Select your location targeting, audiences (if apply) and extensions.
- 7. Monitor, measure and optimise your ads actively.

## 1. Google Ads Basics - campaign plan

#### **Keyword Research**

Locations Period

Source: Google Keyword Planner

Keyword	Avg. monthly searches	Competition	Top of page bid (low range)	Top of page bid (high range)
keyword 1				
keyword 2				
keyword 3				
keyword 4				
keyword 5				
keyword 6				
keyword 7				
keyword 8				
keyword 9				
keyword 10				



#### Campaign 1

Please add the suggested headlines and descriptions

Final URL (service/product page Url)

Ad group 1	Headline 1 (Keyword)	Headline 2	Headline 3 (CTA or Brand Name)	Description 1	Description 2
Ad variation (option 1)					
Ad variation (option 2)					
Ad variation (option 3)					

**Residential Aged Care** 

See what the ad looks like

AD 1

C A Brown Lodge - Booragul | Residential Aged Care | Anglican Care

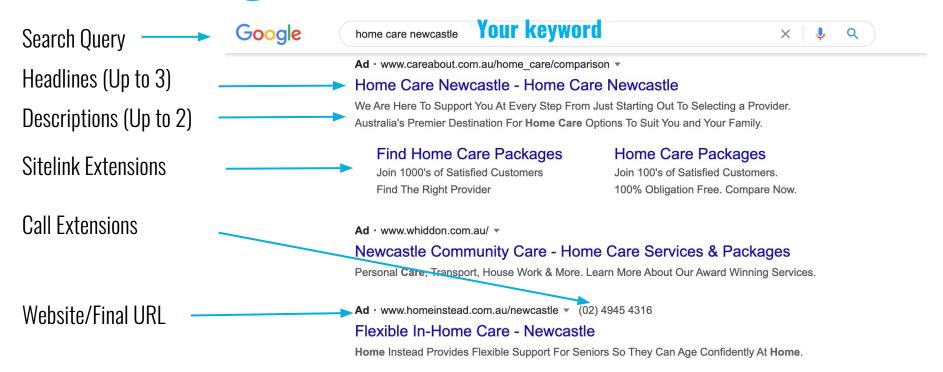
NEW purpose built home, designed for comfort & family moments with a lovely Cafe & Salon. Dementia secure areas, 24/7 RN care, married couple rooms, library and doctors clinic.

AD 2

Anglican Care C A Brown Lodge | Residential Aged Care Booragul | Book a Tour Today!

NEW architecturally designed home with dedicated & caring staff PLUS Cafe and Salon. Dementia secure areas, 24/7 RN care, married couple rooms, library and doctors clinic.

## 1. Google Ads Basics - structure

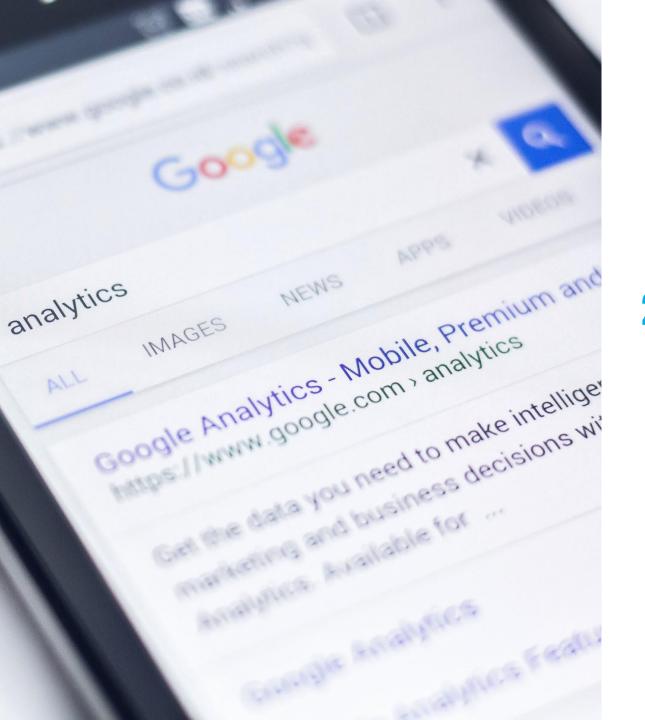


The Google Ads **auction is focused around keywords** – advertisers choose a list of keywords to target that are relevant to their business offerings, the words that people are most likely to use when searching for their product.

They then bid on these keywords, basing each bid on how much they are willing to pay for a Google user to click on their ad. This bid, combined with a Quality Score assigned by Google based on the quality of your proposed ad, determines which Google ads appear on the SERP.



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2. Key metrics to look out for in Google Ads and what they mean



# 2. Key Metrics - How to measure your Google Ads campaign Top 5 key metrics

#### 1. Quality Score

- Quality Score is Google's measure of the relevance of your keywords, used to ensure that searchers see relevant ads and have a positive experience.
- It measures the quality of your landing page.
- It's important to maintain good Quality Scores because Google uses them to determine your ad rankings as well as how much you pay per click.
- NOTE: No keywords with a quality score of 1 or 2 permitted

#### 2. Click-Through Rate

- It's one of the most important factors in determining your Quality Scores.
- It tells you whether or not your ads are relevant to searchers.
- Low click-through rates are a sign that either your keywords or your ad creative (or both) need improvement.
- NOTE: Must maintain a 5% click-through rate (CTR) each month



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#### 3. Conversion Rate

- Conversion rate tells you how many people who clicked your ad went on to complete the desired action on your landing page.
- Strong conversion rates mean that the money you spend per click is coming back to you in profits (that's what we call return on investment,

4. Cost Per Conversion

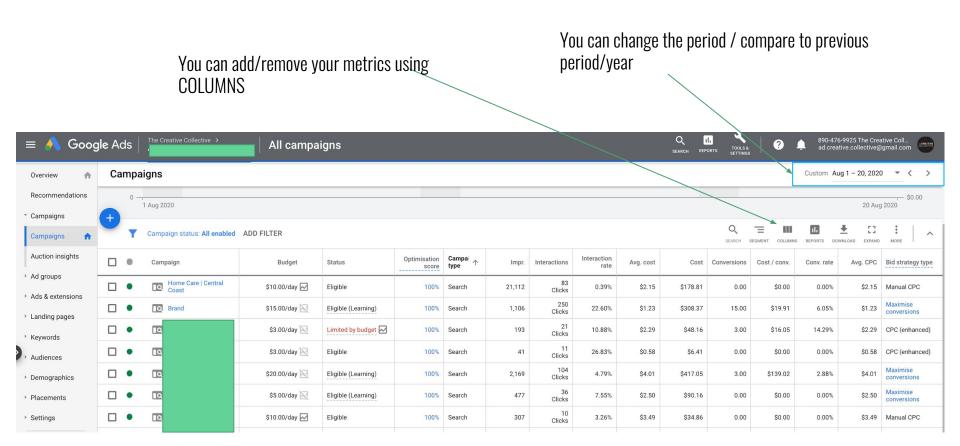
• If you have to pay more to gain a new customer than that customer is actually worth to your business, then your campaign is failing.

#### **5. Wasted Spend**

- The best way to reduce your wasted spend is through smart use of negative keywords. Negative keywords allow you to filter out traffic that is irrelevant to your business and unlikely to convert.
- Go to Keywords > Search terms and filter by conversions and clicks.



## 2. Key Metrics - How to measure your Google Ads campaign Top 5 key metrics





#### 2. Key Metrics - Best Practices for a successful campaign

#### **Ad Copy**

- Speak directly to your target persona
- Include the main keyword that you're bidding on
- Provide an actionable CTA so the searcher knows what to do next
- Make the offer appealing
- Use language that matches your landing page copy
- Perform A/B Split tests with your copy

### Landing Page Best Practices

- Strong headline that mirrors your search ad
- Clean design and layout
- Responsive form that is easy to use with a stand-out CTA button
- Copy that is very specific and relevant to your target keywords
- Presents the offer that was promised in your ad
- Your landing page should allow a user to easily complete the action highlighted in your ad (such as signing up to volunteer, giving a donation, or downloading an informational packet)



#### 2. Key Metrics - Best Practices for a successful campaign

#### **Maximising Your ROI**

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#### **Keyword monitoring**

- Don't let too much time pass before you check how your keywords are performing.
  NOTE: No single-word keywords permitted & No overly generic keywords permitted
  (i.e. "Free videos", 'e-books')
- You can place higher bids on the keywords that are creating the best results for your campaign, and eliminate others
- Nonprofits often have longer conversion cycles to take action after learning about an organization, especially on donations, so consider setting the window at its maximum, "90 days".
- Track a visitor that sees a 'thank you' page URL, one that's only reached when someone completes a meaningful action on your site.

#### **Conversion Tracking**



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3. Conversion tracking and tools to use: Google **Analytics and Keyword Planner** 

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# 3. Conversion Tracking - What is Google Analytics?



Created by Google in 2005. It is a tool you need to analyse data in one place.

Google Analytics is free and tells you about the performance of your website & where your traffic is coming from.

#### 1. Audience

Info about Gender, age, interests and location of website visitors.
Browsers and devices they use.

#### Acquisition

Detailed
information about
how people arrive at
your site.
Social, Direct,
Referral, Organic or
Paid.

#### **Behaviour**

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How people are interacting with your site. Which pages on your website are the most popular.

#### 4.

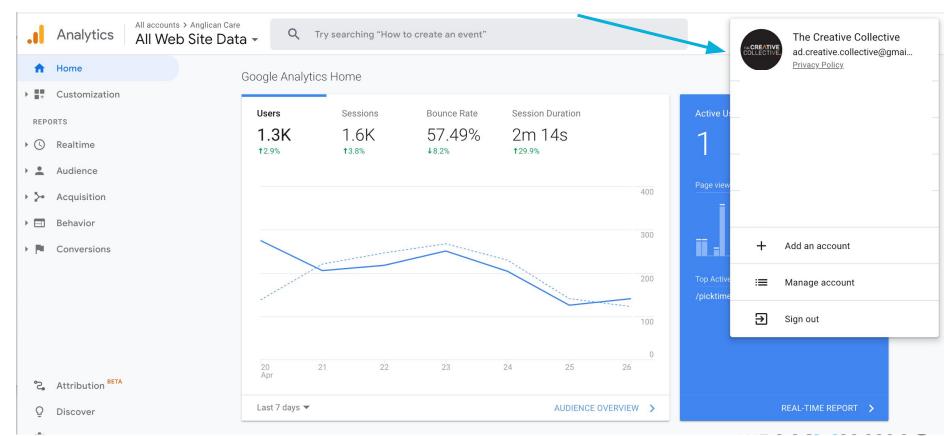
#### **Conversions**

Set up Conversion goal pages to review how many people engage to achieve your goals and which media support conversion best.

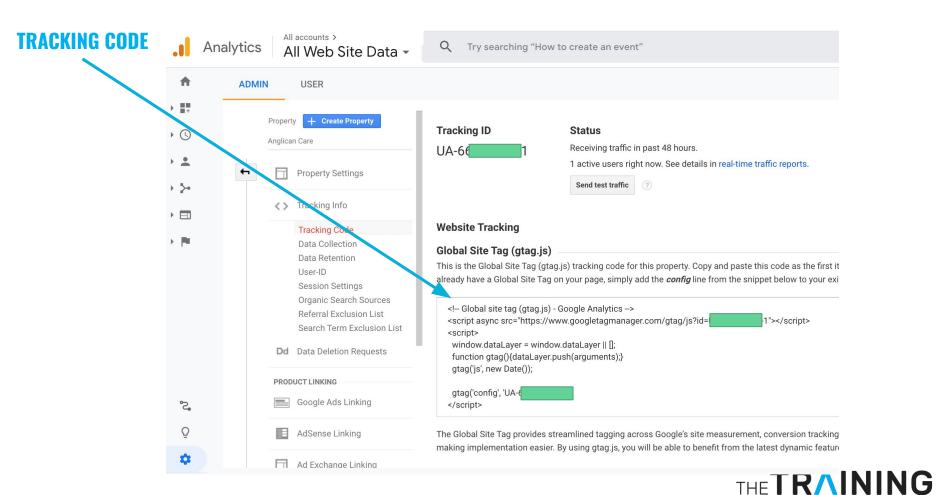


# 3. Conversion Tracking CREATE A GOOGLE ANALYTICS ACCOUNT TO SEE HOW MUCH TRAFFIC YOUR SITE IS GETTING AND WHERE IT IS COMING FROM (HOW MUCH IS COMING FROM ORGANIC SEARCH/SEARCH ENGINES

#### CREATE A GMAIL ACCOUNT AND GO TO GOOGLE ANALYTICS - SIGN IN

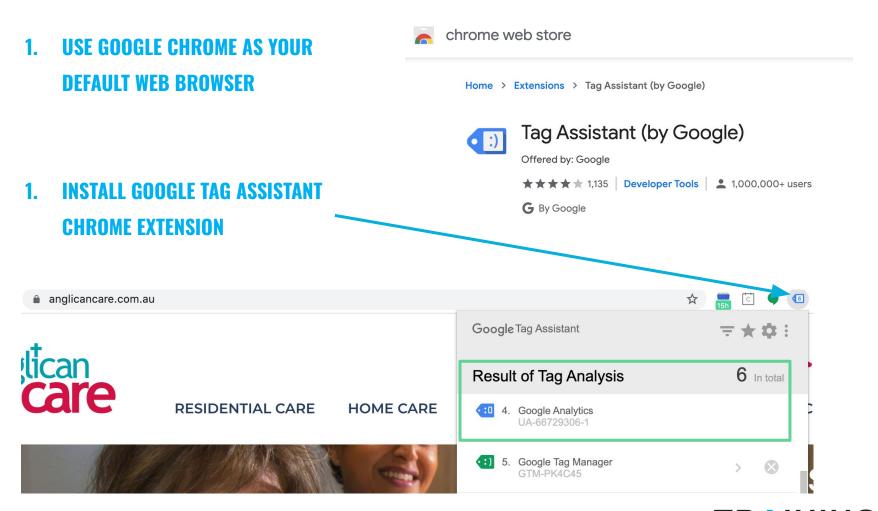


# 3. Conversion Tracking INSTALL GOOGLE ANALYTICS ON YOUR WEBSITE - GO TO ADMIN > PROPERTY > TRACKING INFO > TRACKING CODE



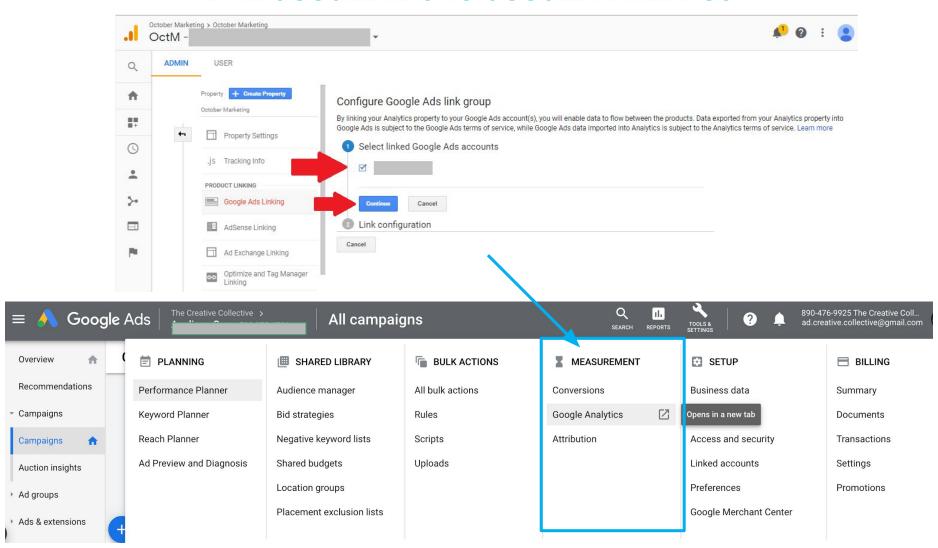
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# 3. Conversion Tracking HOW TO VERIFY THAT YOUR GOOGLE ANALYTICS HAS BEEN CORRECTLY INSTALLED ON YOUR SITE?



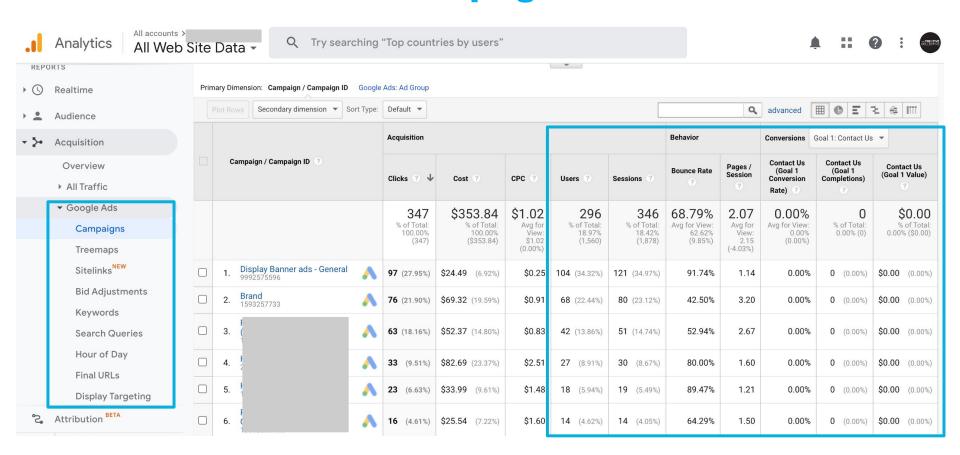


## 3. Conversion Tracking LINK GOOGLE ADS TO GOOGLE ANALYTICS





# 3. Conversion Tracking - How to measure your Google Ads campaign

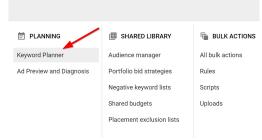


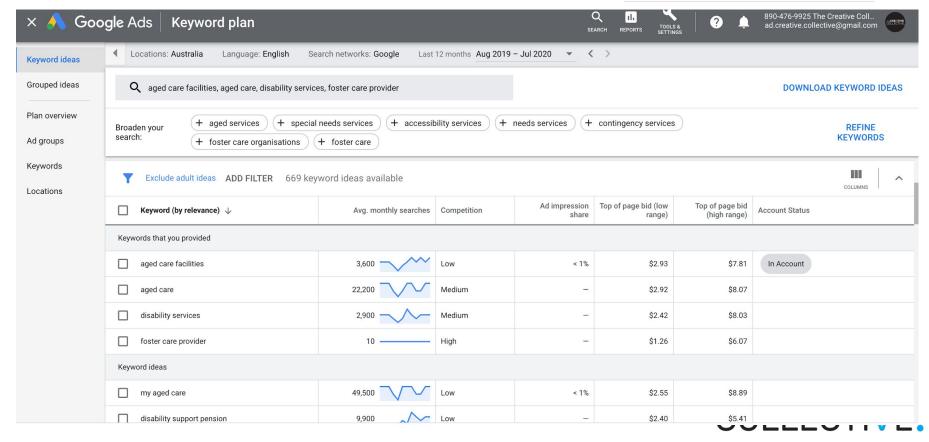


# 3. Conversion Tracking - Find the right keywords

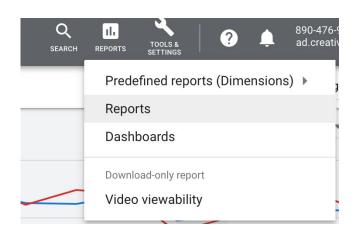






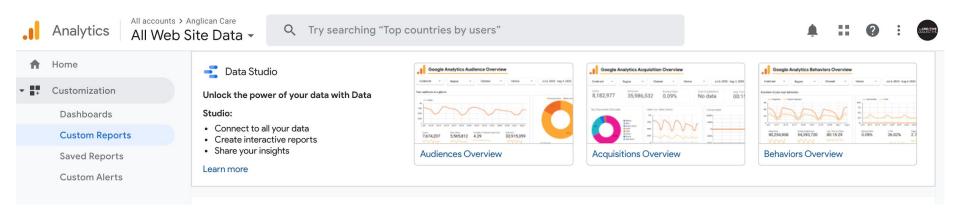


# 3. Conversion Tracking - Have clear reports in place



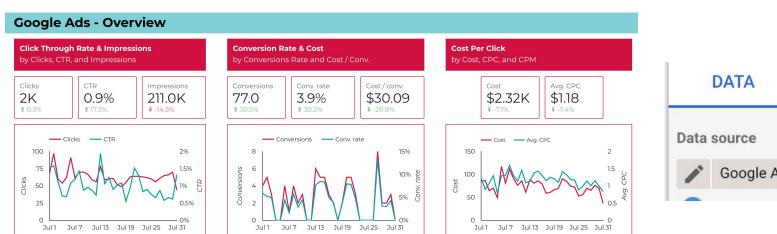
#### Report tools you can use:

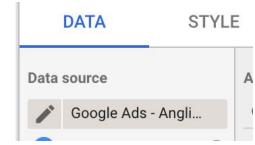
- Google Ads Reports
- Google Analytics custom reports
- Google Data Studio <a href="https://datastudio.google.com/">https://datastudio.google.com/</a>





### 3. Conversion Tracking - Have clear reports in place





#### **Campaigns Breakdown**

	Campaign	Daily Budget	Impressions	Clicks *	Avg. CPC	Cost	CTR	Cost / conv.	Conversions
1.	Display Banner ads - General	\$5.00	172,367	755	\$0.2	\$152.44	0.44%	\$76.22	2
2.	Brand	\$15.00	1,390	354	\$1.29	\$456.01	25.47%	\$18.24	25
3.	Residential Care   CA Brown (NEW)	\$10.00	3,518	301	\$1.01	\$303.31	8.56%	\$17.84	17
4.	Home Care   Newcastle	\$20.00	3,204	167	\$3.64	\$607.98	5.21%	\$43.43	14
5.	Residential Care   Kilpatrick Court (NEW)	\$5.00	12,013	120	\$1.26	\$151.48	1%	\$21.64	7
6.	Residential Care   Warnervale Gardens (NEW)	\$3.00	3,871	84	\$1.06	\$88.91	2.17%	\$29.64	3
7.	Home Care   Central Coast	\$10.00	13,212	78	\$3.67	\$285.92	0.59%	\$71.48	4
8.	Residential Aged Care   Toronto Nursing Home	\$5.00	765	59	\$2.57	\$151.92	7.71%	\$75.96	2
9.	Residential Care   Storm Retirement Village	\$3.00	340	36	\$1.77	\$63.59	10.59%	\$21.2	3
10.	Home Care   Taree	\$10.00	354	11	\$5.04	\$55.44	3.11%	\$0	0
		Grand total	211,036	1,967	\$1.18	\$2,317.14	0.93%	\$30.09	77





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4. Specific guidelines for NFP Google Ads and how to manage them

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#### 4. Specific guidelines for NFP Google Ads





#### 4. Specific guidelines for NFP Google Ads

#### The most pressing restrictions include:

- Ensure your organisation only targets keywords with a quality score of a minimum of 3/10
- Maintaining a click-through-rate of 5% for the entire account
- Not targeting single word or overly generic keywords
- Using at least 2 ad groups per campaign
- Using at least 2 sitelinks
- Only targeting relevant geographic areas.

- \* It's quite common to spend less than this because we are limited to targeting keywords that adhere to the above policies.
- \*It is often recommended having a Ad Grant account and a standard account so your organisation can make the most of other networks such as display, remarketing, YouTube and shopping.
- \*Ad Grants ads appear only on Google search results pages, either independently or in positions below paid ads.
- \*Consider bidding on branded keywords. Chances are that your organization already ranks high in the organic search results for searches of your organization's name, the name of your CEO, or other similar branded searches. Serving search ads for these keywords will likely have a high CTR as a result.
- \*Don't waste your time on broad keywords like "donation," "events," or "New York City." Most likely your ad won't be shown since there are already huge organizations and other companies that are bidding on that same keyword.

  Go for long-tail keywords such as 'aged care facilities newcastle'.

<sup>\*</sup> Use Maximise conversions as a smart bidding strategy.

### WHERE TO FROM HERE

- We will send the slides and any supporting resources out within the week
- We will also send a survey out please complete it!
- Talk to us if you need help!
- Do more training on other topics.



## **HOW WE CAN HELP**

Our team can help you with everything from:

- Google Ads Audit & Strategy
- Google Ads Management
- Consulting
- Training



For a range of budgets & have done lots of work in the not for profit space!

## **QUESTIONS?**

### **Book an explorative chat:**

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