

**Senate Community Affairs Legislation Committee**

**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**

**SOCIAL SERVICES PORTFOLIO**

**Inquiry into the Social Services Legislation Amendment (Welfare Reform) Bill 2017**

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**Question No: 5**

**Topic: Department of Health information about alcohol and other drug services**

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**Senator Watt** asked:

Could you please provide the committee with the information the Department of Health has given you about the availability of drug and alcohol services?

**Answer:**

The following attachments contain information about relevant health services in the Drug Testing Trial locations and surrounding areas. These were provided to the Department of Social Services by the Department of Health.

**Attachment A:** Relevant Health and Alcohol and Other Drug Services in Logan and Surrounding Areas

**Attachment B:** Relevant Health and Alcohol and Other Drug Services in Canterbury-Bankstown and Surrounding Areas

**Attachment C:** Relevant Health and Alcohol and Other Drug Services in Mandurah and Surrounding Areas

## Relevant Health and Alcohol and Other Drug Services in Logan and Surrounding Areas

Service Type	Service Name	Service Location or PHN where available
Holistic health program for young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, including early intervention to reduce at risk AOD behaviour, brief interventions, case management, counselling and referrals to internal and external support services.	Accoras (headspace Inala)	Brisbane South PHN region
Social emotional wellbeing services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people including culturally responsive AOD counselling, case management and care planning. Additionally, workforce development activities to build capability of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Workforce in the AOD sector will be provided.	Gallang Place	Brisbane South PHN region
Social emotional wellbeing services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people including culturally responsive AOD counselling, case management and care planning.	Institute of Urban Indigenous Health (IUIH)	Brisbane South PHN region
Counselling, post-rehabilitation support and relapse prevention, and case management, planning and coordination	Queensland Injectors Health Network (QuIHN)	Brisbane South PHN region
Counselling, post-rehabilitation support and relapse prevention, and case management, planning and coordination	Lives Lived Well	Brisbane South PHN region
Support clients to re-engage with their communities and address their misuse of alcohol and other drugs by delivering evidence based group interventions in both custodial and community settings	Lives Lived Well Ltd - Pre-Release Program	Brisbane South PHN region
A Midwife led perinatal substance use specialist service for women who use substances in & around pregnancy and their new born babies - consultation & alcohol & drug use assessment & education for ante-natal clients & in-patients, post-natal home visit.	Mater Misericordiae Health Services Brisbane Limited - National Illicit Drug Strategy and CHAMP Services	Brisbane South PHN region
Home-based relapse prevention and parenting enhancement program, harm minimisation education and information sessions for pregnant and parenting women, their children and families. Direct counselling and support to children (up to 18 years) affected by parental substance use and/or dual diagnosis.	The Corporation of the Synod of the Diocese of Brisbane (Anglicare Southern Queensland) - Assisting Mothers End the Need for Drugs (AMEND), Relapse Prevention and Parenting Enhancement Program (RPPE), and Caring For Kids (CFK)	Brisbane South PHN region

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Detoxification service that seeks to create an environment where opportunities for recovery from drug and alcohol addiction and personal empowerment exist.	Ozcare - South Brisbane Drug & Alcohol Detoxification Service	
Day to Day Living Program - Structured and socially based activities that increase the ability of people with severe and persistent mental illness to participate in social, recreational and educational activities.		
The aims of the project are to identify current and emergent needs/issues of concern to the individual and ensure these are addressed. Ensure ex-residents are optimally resourced to successfully and sustainably reintegrate into the community. And to increase the parenting skills of residents of Logan House and hence, strengthen positive parent/child relationships.	Lives Lived Well Ltd - Logan House Assessment and Aftercare Program	
Establishment of a BSPHN AOD Collaborative to identify, address and reduce barriers and issues facing clients seeking AOD support in the region. Specifically, to enhance communication, coordination and information sharing amongst service providers, strengthen sector capacity re treatment and referral, improve workforce capacity.	QNADA	Brisbane South PHN region
Undertake needs analysis of; provide service delivery grants to; and to develop practice guidelines for the specialist women's alcohol and other drug services sector and to provide support to services through partnership, organisational and workforce development activities.	NADA - Women's Alcohol and other Drug Services Development	
Funding to employ staff to embed dual diagnosis policies and practices into the organisation's services state-wide, staff supervision, professional development and partnership development.	Lives Lived Well Ltd - Improved Services Project	Brisbane South PHN region
Capacity building support to staff working with clients with a co-occurring alcohol and other drug misuse issues and mental health, including youth, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, culturally and linguistically diverse people, families with children, homeless (and/or at risk of), and comorbidity.	Drug Arm Australasia - Improved Services Project	Brisbane South PHN region

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Service Type	Service Name	Service Location or PHN where available
<p>NUAA: volunteer extension, support groups for women</p> <p>SESLHD: DBT informed groups (three twelve week programs)</p> <p>SES Recovery College: Delivery of 5 courses for those who have comorbid mental health and AOD concerns</p>	<p>ACON, Community Restorative Centre, Odyssey House, WHOS</p> <p>Capacity building funds have been contracted to NUAA, SESLHD and SES Recovery College</p>	<p>Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region</p>
<p>Provide capacity building strategies covering the Haymarket Foundation.</p>	<p>The Haymarket Foundation Ltd - Enhanced Capacity Building Project</p>	<p>Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region</p>
<p>Enhance the capacity of Recovery Services to identify and treat coinciding mental illness and substance misuse</p>	<p>Salvation Army - Enhancing comorbidity knowledge and skills</p>	<p>Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region</p>
<p>Staff development, training and education opportunities</p>	<p>Salvation Army - OASIS Trauma Informed Care</p>	<p>Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region</p>
<p>Mental Health Nurse Coordinator to address mental health needs; provide workforce training and education; and forge partnerships with local mental health services.</p>	<p>UnitingCare - Mental Health Nurse Coordinator at the Sydney Medically Supervised Injecting Centre (MSIC)</p>	<p>Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region</p>
<p>Capacity Building project including Data Collection and Management, Front Line Service Delivery, Workforce Development, Partnerships and linkages</p>	<p>Weave Youth Family Community Inc - Weave Clinical Support and Capacity Building Project</p>	<p>Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region</p>
<p>Improve capacity to assist clients with mental health issues.</p>	<p>Ted Noffs Foundation Improved Services Project</p>	
<p>Build capacity to improve the health and social outcomes of clients with substance use issues</p>	<p>We Help Ourselves (WHOS) - Increasing Organisational Capacity (IOC) Project</p>	
<p>Developing DAMEC Counselling's capacity to manage clients with mental health and psycho- social issues.</p>	<p>DAMEC Complex Client Development Project</p>	<p>South Western Sydney PHN region</p>
<p>Improve treatment and client outcomes by decreasing waiting times and increasing access for women and children. Provide staff training and development for complex needs clients</p>	<p>Women's Alcohol &amp; Drug Advisory Centre - The Jarrah House Program Improved Services Project</p>	

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13 week day program to educate and inform clients, improve Maryfields capacity and raise Dual Diagnosis awareness	Society Of St Vincent de Paul - Maryfields Comorbidity Project	South Western Sydney PHN region
Supports NADA's NGO member organisations to improve their capacity to identify and respond to clients with drug and alcohol, mental health and complex health and social issues including building strategic partnerships and linkages.	Network of Alcohol and other Drug Agencies (NADA) - Sector Capacity Building Program	
Improve movement between services for Aboriginal people.	Community Restorative Centre	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Aftercare and case management	Odyssey House	South Western Sydney PHN region
Drug and alcohol harm reduction and treatment services including supervising injecting episodes. Crisis counselling, information and referral are also provided	UnitingCare - Mental Health Nurse Coordinator at the Sydney Medically Supervised Injecting Centre (MSIC)	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Outreach services targeting CALD clients, counselling services, research and short-term community development projects	DAMEC Bilingual Counselling Project	South Western Sydney PHN region
Residential alcohol & drug rehabilitation facility and aftercare program targeting women aged over 21 years who have a mental health diagnosis & that have children under 12 years of age in their care.	Alcohol & Drug Foundation of NSW - Kathleen York House - Residential Rehabilitation Facility	
Residential drug and alcohol treatment program for men together with outreach and aftercare services.	Glebe House Residential Drug and Alcohol Treatment Service	
Residential rehabilitation (4–6 month) utilising the - modified Therapeutic Community model of care for OST (opioid substitution treatment) clients with a treatment goal of abstinence.	Methadone to Abstinence Residential (MTAR)	
Residential rehabilitation (3–6 month) model of care for OST (opioid substitution treatment) clients with a treatment goal of Stabilisation.	WHOS - Residential Treatment for Opioid Dependence (RTOD)	

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Two residential rehabilitee programs (duration 3–6 months program). Gunyah is a men's only program targeting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People. New Beginnings is a women's only program targeting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	WHOs Gunyah and New Beginnings Enhancement Project	
Residential detoxification and rehabilitation treatment, counselling, aftercare, and referral services for women.	Women's Alcohol & Drug Advisory Centre - The Jarrah House Program	
Specialised treatment to clients with a dual diagnosis (of addiction and mental health)	Odyssey House McGrath Foundation - Janus Program - Dual Diagnosis Treatment	
The only service in NSW that provides for clients to have their dependent children living with them during their residential rehabilitation treatment.	Odyssey House McGrath Foundation - Parents and Children's Program	
Residential rehabilitation of up to three months for youth aged 13-18 years.	The Ted Noffs Foundation - Program for Adolescence Life Management (PALM) Program (NSW)	
Withdrawal management services, rehabilitation services, psychosocial counselling services and aftercare services.	ACON, Community Restorative Centre, Odyssey House, WHOS	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Withdrawal management services, rehabilitation services, psychosocial counselling services and aftercare services.	Community Restorative Centre	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Brief intervention, withdrawal management, psychosocial counselling, after care, relapse prevention, case management	Tharawal Aboriginal Corporation	
Intensive support for drug use and mental health incl. case management support, Counselling, Outreach support, Community development & Community Education	Weave Youth Family Community Inc - Speak Out Dual Diagnosis Program	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Psychosocial counselling, case management and support services for young people	Salvation Army	South Western Sydney PHN region

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Service Type	Service Name	Service Location or PHN where available
Non-residential after-care, outreach support service which assists young people (16 to 25 years) with drug and alcohol issues	Salvation Army - Follow On Youth Recovery Support Team (FYRST) Operating as FYRST Fairfield and FYRST Parramatta	South Western Sydney PHN region
Preventing the uptake and harmful effects of drug use by Truckies through information, education and counselling	St. Vincent's Hospital - TruckiesHelp	
Outreach and counselling service targeting people exiting prisons	Community Restorative Care - Straight Out – Transitional Drug and Alcohol Support for People Exiting Prison	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
GP Shared care withdrawal management	Odyssey House	South Western Sydney PHN region
Medically supervised withdrawal	Odyssey House McGrath Foundation - Medically Assisted Withdrawal Unit	
Non-residential substance abuse program for homeless and disadvantaged youth aged 16 - 25 years.	Salvation Army - Choices Program	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Identify AOD clients with mental health problems	The Haymarket Foundation Ltd - The Haymarket Clinic Drug and Alcohol Counselling Service	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Psychosocial counselling and care coordination	Odyssey House	South Western Sydney PHN region
Before and after care, psychosocial counselling, case management	St Vincent de Paul	South Western Sydney PHN region
Stepped, psychosocial counselling for LGBTIQI community	ACON	South Western Sydney PHN region
Culturally appropriate outpatient treatment service and comprehensive assessment service.	Aboriginal Medical Services Cooperative - AMS Drug and Alcohol Treatment Program	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Counselling, group support, aftercare program, referral and rapid response for HIV positive people and GLBT people	ACON Health Limited - Substance Support Service	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region

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Service Type	Service Name	Service Location or PHN where available
Drop-in and resource centre for homeless men and women over 21 years of age including drug and alcohol intervention	The Station Drug and Alcohol Service	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Bridge the gap between treatment and non-treatment of people who are recreational and occasional stimulant users. Provide assessments, education and referrals to appropriate services	St. Vincent's Hospital Limited - Early Intervention Program for Stimulant Users	
Educate and support clients post residential treatment, providing continuing care in a community based facility, focusing on relapse prevention education, employment and education needs.	Odyssey House McGrath Foundation - After Care Program	
Improve data collection from AOD services for Indigenous people.	CESPHN Commissioned Providers, pending outcome of contract negotiations	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Aftercare pathways mapping and gap/barrier analysis	NADA	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Develop more effective models of treatment for LGBTQI communities	AIDS Council of NSW (ACON)	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Plus training for GPs on AOD recovery and LGBTQI clients	ACON	South Western Sydney PHN region
Develop specialist counselling and peer support capacity; Develop staff knowledge and skills	ACON Health Limited - Comorbidity Capacity Building Program	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Improved access for CALD communities	Drug & Alcohol Multicultural Education Centre (DAMEC)	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region
Development of cultural guidelines for AOD treatment services	NADA	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region



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<b>Service Type</b>	<b>Service Name</b>	<b>Service Location or PHN where available</b>
Drug & Alcohol GP Shared Care Liaison Project	South Eastern Sydney Local Health District (lead), Sydney Local Health District, St Vincents Local Hospital Network.	Central and Eastern Sydney PHN region

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Service Type	Service Name	Service Location or PHN where available
<p>Counselling and youth, adult and family programs to support people with problematic drug and alcohol use in the South Metropolitan area. The coordinators operate locally, and as a team, to deliver improved programs to clients and to develop an effective program for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People in the South Metropolitan area.</p>	<p>Palmerston Association Inc - South Metro Community Drug Service</p>	<p>Perth South PHN region</p>
<p>Early intervention targeting mothers and mothers to be with a history of substance use. The attachment building program is delivered by a team of art and drama therapists to mothers and children 'at risk'. Therapists work with both mother and child, and individual counselling is integrated into the service to provide mothers with the opportunities to address the issues underlying their substance misuse and for children to safely externalise their feelings. The Project will target mothers and mothers to be aged 16-40 years, with a history of substance use. Participating children are generally aged 0-10 years, however children aged 12 to 16 years may also engage in the program.</p>	<p>Holyoake Australian Institute For Alcohol And Drug Addiction Resolution Inc - Holyoake Art Therapy Project</p>	<p>Perth South PHN region</p>
<p>Prisoners who have drug related issues are provided with assessment and counselling, with the objective of engaging them in a drug treatment program in the community after release on parole. Counselling is provided for prisoners wishing to engage with the Program in the last four months of their sentence and continues for 8-12 weeks following release as part of their parole conditions or wish to complete further therapy.</p>	<p>Holyoake Australian Institute For Alcohol And Drug Addiction Resolution Inc - Holyoake Prison to Parole Program (PPP/Triple P)</p>	<p>Perth South PHN region</p>
<p>Counselling based service, including individual and family counselling, support and life-skills training for people affected by their own or others drug and alcohol problems. The Family Counsellor will provide these services to clients of the Bridge Program and residents of the Harry Hunter Centre. The Outreach Officer and Case Manager will provide a holistic approach to ensure clients have a smoother transition into the community upon completion of their treatment.</p>	<p>The Salvation Army (WA) Property Trust - Family Counsellor and Outreach Officer</p>	

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Service Type	Service Name	Service Location or PHN where available
<p>The Project will expand the capacity of the services offered to individuals in the Harry Hunter Centre Residential Rehabilitation Centre. The Project aims to increase self-awareness and encourage clients' participation to address alcohol and/or drug issues by providing counselling, while instilling positive life skills and relevant coping strategies to this target group.</p>	<p>The Salvation Army (WA) Property Trust - AOD Counsellor - Harry Hunter Centre</p>	
<p>Culturally secure alcohol and drug services (AOD) to the Peel Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community. It will complement allied services by providing reciprocal referral pathways, consultation and shared care for Aboriginal people. The Project will operate out of the Mandurah branch of the South Metro Community Drug Service.</p>	<p>Palmerston Association Inc - Baalap Kwobariny (People Getting Better) - Peel Aboriginal Peoples Project</p>	<p>Perth South PHN region</p>
<p>Treatment type to be determined based on need. Anticipated types to include early/brief intervention, counselling, post treatment support including relapse prevention, care planning and coordination, systems capacity.</p>	<p>Richmond Wellbeing</p>	<p>Perth South PHN region</p>
<p>Treatment type to be determined based on need. Anticipated types to include early/brief intervention, counselling, post treatment support including relapse prevention, care planning and coordination, systems capacity.</p>	<p>Richmond Wellbeing and Relationships Australia WA</p>	<p>Perth South PHN region</p>
<p>Counsellors are funded to assist and support families of clients prior to their entry to the Palmerston Farm Therapeutic Community, during the client's participation in the Therapeutic Community and during the transitional stage when clients re-enter the broader community.</p>	<p>Palmerston Association Inc - Palmerston Perth and Farm Therapeutic Community Family Support Program</p>	
<p>Alcohol Screening, brief intervention, system capacity (referral &amp; integration)</p>	<p>South Metropolitan Health Service</p> <p><i>Please note this service has not yet commenced service delivery with commencement expected to occur shortly.</i></p>	<p>Perth South PHN region</p>

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Service Type	Service Name	Service Location or PHN where available
Alcohol Screening, brief intervention, care planning and coordination, systems capacity such as referral & integration	Ruah	Perth South PHN region
Systems capacity (integration & referral), workforce development, early intervention, care planning & coordination	SJOG Raphael Centre	Perth South PHN region
Systems capacity (evaluation), Workforce development	Curtin University (National Drug Research Unit)	Perth South PHN region
Workforce Development	WANADA	Perth South PHN region
Workforce Development	Edith Cowan University	Perth South PHN region