

Mental Health, Alcohol & Other Drugs Suicide Prevention

SUMMARY OF SERVICES

The Western NSW Primary Health Network (WNSW PHN) works to improve the quality and access to primary health care in our community. We commission a range of services to meet identified gaps and improve outcomes for patients and health care providers. Commissioning is a strategic approach to how services are designed and funded in a way that best meets the needs of the local community. These activities are funded by the Australian Government under the PHN Program.

People seeking immediate crisis support should contact the relevant crisis lines: Lifeline 13 11 14, Suicide Call Back Service 1300 659 467, Kids Helpline 1800 55 1800, MensLine Australia 1300 78 99 78, beyondblue 1300 22 4636.

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| • | | | | Strong Minds Western NSW - psychological services for children and adults with mild to moderate mental illness, targeting under-serviced groups. Services can be delivered face-to-face or via telehealth. Access to the program requires a GP Mental Health Treatment Plan | Children and adults with mild to moderate mental illness. Underserviced and hard to reach groups. | Whole of region | Marathon Health 1300 402 585 https://www.marathonhealth.com.au/strong-minds-western | |
| • | • | | | Mental Health Nursing Services This program funds mental health nurses to work with GPs and psychiatrists to provide specialist mental health care. | People who have severe or complex mental health issues who are managed in the community by their GP. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander focused and youth focused services available. | Bourke, Cobar, Walgett, Nyngan, Lightning Ridge Broken Hill, Dubbo | NSW Outback Division of General Practice (02) 6872 4777 www.outbackdivision.org.au Royal Flying Doctor Service (02) 9941 8859 www.flyingdoctor.org.au | |



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| • | | | | Headspace - youth mental health services. | People aged 12-25 years seeking support for mental health, physical health, drug & alcohol, work and study problems. | Bathurst | (02) 6338 1100 www.headspace.org.au/headspace- centres/bathurst/ | |
| | | | | | | Broken Hill | (02) 9393 9699 www.headspace.org.au/headspace- centres/broken-hill | |
| | | | | | | Dubbo | (02) 5852 1900 www.headspace.org.au/headspace- centres/dubbo/ | |
| | | | | | | Orange | (02) 6369 9300 www.headspace.org.au/headspace- centres/orange/ | |
| | | | | | | Cowra (Satellite Service) | (02) 6341 5800 | |
| • | | | | Rural Youth Mental Health Service (RYMHS) - free therapeutic services, group work and case management services within community centres, schools, homes, TAFE and other outreach settings | Young people between the ages of 12 and 25 in rural areas. | Cobar, Condobolin, Coonabarabran , Coonamble, Cowra, Forbes, Gilgandra, Mudgee, Narromine, Nyngan, Parkes, Walgett | The Benevolent Society www.benevolent.org.au | |
| • | | | | NewAccess – mental health coaching service that delivers 6 sessions of low intensity cognitive behavioural therapy. Available over the phone or face-to-face. | People over the age of 12 with mild – moderate anxiety or depression. | Whole of region | Marathon Health 02 6333 2838 https://www.marathonhealth.com.au/newaccess | |
| • | • | • | | GP Psychiatry Support Line – Provides free psychiatry consultation, liaison and assessment services, Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm to help GPs manage mental health consumers. | General Practitioners in the WNSW PHN region | Whole of region | ProCare Mental Health Services 1800 161 718 www.gpsupport.org.au | |



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| | • | | | Suicide Prevention - planning and delivery of local support services, workforce training and community awareness raising. | Service providers and community members interested in designing and evaluating local activities to prevent suicide. These are not crisis support services, but staff can provide general information including contact details for crisis and other support. | Bourke, Brewarrina Cobar, Walgett, | Bourke: Maranguka Community Hub (02) 5834 7900 Cobar: NSW Outback Division of General Practice (02) 6872 4777 www.outbackdivision.org.au | |
| | | | | | | Broken Hill, Dubbo, Orange/ Bathurst | Neami Limited (02) 5317 1921 www.neaminational.org.au/ | |
| | | | | | | Lachlan and Weddin | Western Plains Regional Development Inc. (02) 6895 3301 http://www.wprd.org.au/ | |
| | | • | | Mainstream Drug & Alcohol Services - Provision of evidence-based alcohol and other drug treatment services for clients using a range of substances, as well as flexible and stepped care models tailored to the individual's need and stage of change. Includes screening, counselling, brief intervention and education for families and carers. Provides integrated approaches to drug and alcohol treatment services based on the needs of clients locally, focusing on improving care coordination at the local level. | People with alcohol and other drug issues, their families and carers, a focus on methamphetamines. | Broken Hill, Cobar, Dubbo + outreach up to 200kms from each location | Royal Flying Doctor Service (02) 9941 8859 www.flyingdoctor.org.au | |
| | | • | | Indigenous Drug & Alcohol Services - referral-based drug and alcohol services for Aboriginal People including screening, counselling and brief intervention and education for families and carers. Capacity building for primary health organisations and social services. | Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People with alcohol and other drug issues, their families and carers, a focus on methamphetamines. | Bourke Parkes Walgett + outreach up to 200kms from each location | Orana Haven (02) 6874 4983 www.oranahaven.com.au | • |



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| | | • | | Roadmaps Mobile Drug and Alcohol Day Program – a 6-week intensive, non- residential rehabilitation program that rotates around rural and remote communities in Western NSW. The program includes structured therapeutic groups, support and education/information sessions. Interventions will vary based on client need but will include evidence-based therapeutic interventions. | Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal people with alcohol and other drug issues. | Bourke Coonamble Dubbo Gilgandra Nyngan Warren Wellington | Lives Lived Well. 0429 927 714 enquiries@liveslivedwell.org.au | • |
| | | | | Social and Emotional Wellbeing – In partnership with Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisations this program provides culturally responsive social and emotional wellbeing services including activities and workforce | Aboriginal people with a focus on promotion, prevention and increasing early intervention through access to culturally appropriate resources | Whole of region | Coomealla Health Aboriginal Corporation (03) 5027 4824 Covers: Balranald and Wentworth Shires Coonamble Aboriginal Health Service (02) 6822 0000 Covers: Bogan, Connamble, Dubbo, Gilgandra, Narromine, Warren and Warrambungle Shires Maari Ma Health Aboriginal Corporation (08) 8082 9777 Covers: Broken Hill and Central Darling Shires Orange Aboriginal Medical Service (02) 6393 9000 Covers: Orange, Blayney and Cabonne Shires Peak Hill Aboriginal Medical Service (02) 6869 1144 Covers: Parkes Shire Yoorana Gunya Family Healing Centre Aboriginal Corporation (09) 6850 1222 Covers: Cowra, Forbes and Weddin Shires | |



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| | | | | National Psychosocial Support Services | People with severe mental health illness that impacts on their psychosocial functional capacity but who are not more appropriately funded under the NDIS | Whole of region | Marathon Health 1300 402 585 Covers: Bogan, Bathurst, Blayney, Cabonne, Coonamble Dubbo, Forbes, Gilgandra, Lachlan, Narromine, Oberon, Parkes, Warren and Warrambungle Shires Catholic Care Wilcannia-Forbes (08) 8087 3477 Covers: Broken Hill, Balranald, Central Darling and Wentworth Shires and Unincorporated Far West NSW Flourish 1300 779 270 Covers: Bourke, Brewarrina and Cobar Benevolent Society 1800 236 762 Covers: Mid-Western Shire Centacare (02) 6817 9000 Covers: Walgett Shire | |

