

Northern Sydney Joint Regional Mental Health, Suicide Prevention and Alcohol and Other Drugs Plan 2021-2026

Thank you for taking the time to provide feedback on the draft priorities and actions identified for inclusion in the Northern Sydney Joint Regional Mental Health, Suicide Prevention and Alcohol and Other Drugs Plan (Joint Regional Plan).

Northern Sydney Primary Health Network and the Northern Sydney Local Health District have undertaken extensive consultation with local stakeholders to develop the priorities and actions for inclusion in the Joint Regional Plan.

The Northern Sydney Joint Regional Plan has a five-year focus (2021 - 2026) and will guide high quality decision making ensuring that resources are targeted to best respond to local mental health, drug and alcohol, and suicide prevention needs.

This draft plan reflects the priorities, gaps and opportunities identified through the consultation undertaken throughout 2019 and 2020. To date, more than 400 local stakeholders have contributed to the development of the Northern Sydney Joint Regional Plan.

The draft priorities and actions are consistent with those identified in the 5th National Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Plan and the recommendations from Living Well: A Strategic Plan for Mental Health in NSW.

Instructions

The following questionnaire seeks your feedback on the draft priorities and actions identified for the Joint Regional Plan. It also allows for general comments or feedback that may not have been captured in the specific responses.

Please complete this form and send it to regionalplan@snhn.org.au by **5pm, Thursday 26th November**.

About You

Please indicate if you are completing this form from the perspective of a:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Consumer/Participant Carer | <input type="checkbox"/> NSLHD/NSPHN employee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GP | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-government organisation employee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allied Health Practitioner | <input type="checkbox"/> Government Agency employee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community member | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

If you answered other above, please describe:

Which of the following best describes your current gender identity?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Male | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-binary/ gender fluid |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Female | <input type="checkbox"/> Different identity |

If you answered "different identity" above, please describe:

Do you identify as being a member of a priority population listed below?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander | <input type="checkbox"/> Older person |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Young person | <input type="checkbox"/> Culturally and Linguistically Diverse community member |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LGBTQI person | |

About the priorities and actions

Q1. Are the priorities and actions easy to understand?

- Yes
 Mostly
 No

Q2. Please provide any suggested changes to PRIORITY AREA ONE: Addressing fragmentation of service delivery, through regional planning, co-design and partnership

Q3. Please provide any suggested changes to PRIORITY AREA TWO: Building community capacity to prevent and respond to suicide attempts and deaths

Q4. Please provide any suggested changes to PRIORITY AREA THREE: Improving the physical health of people living with mental health and alcohol and other drug issues

Q5. Please provide any suggested changes to PRIORITY AREA FOUR: Improving health literacy through establishing and implementing opportunities to increase consumer and community awareness of services and improve access

Q6. Please provide any suggested changes to PRIORITY AREA FIVE: Improving mental health and drug and alcohol outcomes of population priority groups

Q7. Please provide any suggested changes to PRIORITY AREA SIX: Enhancing coordination and service access for people with drug and alcohol issues



General comments for draft priorities and actions identified for the Northern Sydney Joint Regional Mental Health, Suicide Prevention and Alcohol and Other Drugs Plan 2021 - 2026:

Would you like to receive information about the progress of the plan?

Yes

No

If yes, what is your email address?
