

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

HEALTH PORTFOLIO

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OUTCOME: 11- Mental Health

Topic: Reviews

Type of Question: Written Question on Notice

Senator: McLucas Jan

Question:

- 1) When will the submission process open?
- a) Can any interested organisation or individual make a submission to the review?
- b) Can you provide the list of organisations and individuals you will request a submission from as part of the Commission's 'targeted consultation'?
- c) When and how will they be requested?
- d) Will submissions be published?

Answer:

- 1) The National Mental Health Commission (the Commission) opened a call for submissions to the Review of Mental Health Programmes and Services on 24 March 2014. Submissions closed on 14 April 2014.
- a) Yes, any interested organisation or individual can make a submission to the review. The Call for Submissions was promoted via a media release, the Commission's website and a dedicated e-newsletter to all Commission contacts.
- b) In addition to the promotion of the call for submissions as outlined in a) above, the Commission Chief Executive Officer sent 538 letters to people representing 459 organisations (see list at Attachment A) encouraging them to make submissions by 14 April 2014.
- d) The submissions form part of the review process and public release of information is a decision for Government. Those who make submissions are free to release them publicly should they choose to do so.

**Att A – List of organisations encouraged to make submission via letter from
CEO National Mental Health Commission**

Organisation Name
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community Health Service Brisbane Ltd
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Suicide Prevention Advisory Group
Aboriginal Hostels Limited
Aboriginal Medical Services Alliance Northern Territory - AMSANT
Accoras
ACT Ambulance Service
ACT Coroner
ACT Mental Health Consumer Network
Adults Surviving Child Abuse - ASCA
Aftercare
Aged and Community Care Australia
AIDS Council of NSW (ACON)
Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drug Associations ACT (ATODA)
All About Living Inc
Alliance for Forgotten Australians
Allied Health Professionals Australia
Alzheimer's Australia
Ambulance Service of NSW
Ambulance Service of SA
Ambulance Victoria
Amnesty International
Anglicare - Australia
Anglicare - Central QLD
Anglicare - Living Beyond Suicide
Anglicare - Northern QLD
Anglicare - NT
Anglicare - SA
Anglicare - TAS
Anglicare - VIC
Anglicare - WA
ANU Students Association Mental Health Committee
ARAFEMI Mental Health
Ascent Group Australia Ltd (The)
Aspire
Association of Alcohol and other Drug Agencies NT 08 8948 2665
Association of Catholic School Principals
Association of Relatives and Friends of the Emotionally and Mentally Ill (ARAFEMI) VIC
Association of Relatives And Friends of the Mentally Ill (ARAFMI)
Australasian Centre for Rural and Remote Mental Health (ACRRMH)
Australasian Society of Psychiatric Research
Australasian Therapeutic Communities Association
Australian and New Zealand School of Government (ANZSOG)
Australian Association of Social Workers - AASW
Australian Bureau of Statistics - ABS
Australian Centre for Human Rights Education (ACHRE) RMIT
Australian Centre for Posttraumatic Mental Health
Australian Child & Adolescent Trauma Loss & Grief Network

Australian Childhood Foundation
Australian Clinical Psychology Association
Australian College for Emergency Medicine
Australian College of Community Services
Australian College of Mental Health Nurses
Australian College of Nursing
Australian College of Psychological Medicine
Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine
Australian College of Trauma Treatment
Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care
Australian Council of Social Service - ACOSS
Australian Counselling Association
Australian Drug Foundation
Australian Dual Diagnosis Recovery Network Inc.
Australian Federal Police (Uniform Policing)
Australian Health and Hospitals Association
Australian Human Rights Commission
Australian Human Rights Commission ACT
Australian Indigenous Doctors Association
Australian Infant, Child, Adolescent & Family Mental Health Association
Australian Institute for Suicide Research and Prevention (AISRAP))
Australian Law Reform Commission
Australian Local Government Association
Australian Medical Association - AMA
Australian Medicare Local Alliance - AMLAlliance
Australian Mental Health and Outcomes Classification Network (AMHOCM)
Australian National Council on Drugs
Australian National University
Australian Private Hospitals Association
Australian Psychological Society
Australian Red Cross Blood Service
Australian Red Cross Society
Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth
Australian Suicide Prevention Advisory Council - ASPAC
Banyule Community Health
Baptist Community Services
Batyr Aus
Bayside Initiatives Group Incorporated
Benevolent Society
Bethlehem House Homeless Men's Assistance Centre Incorporated
beyondblue
Black Dog Institute
BlueVoices
Bondi Centre Youth Mental Health Programme
Bouverie Centre (The)
Bravehearts
Bridges Aligned Services Inc
Brisbane Youth Service
Brotherhood of St Laurence
Business Council of Australia
Buttterfly Foundation
Can Mental Health
Cancer Council Australia
Cantlie

Care Connect
Care Financial Counselling
Carer Assist
Carers Australia
Carinity Baptist Community Services
Catholic Care
Catholic Education Office Sydney
Catholic Health Australia
Catholic Healthcare Ltd
Catholic Social Services Australia
Centacare Brisbane
Central Australian Aboriginal Congress - CAAC Inc.
Centre for Community Child Health, Royal Children's Hospital
Centre for International Mental Health
Centre for Mental Health Research
Centre for Multicultural Youth
Centre for Remote Health, Alice Springs
Centre Health Policy, Programs and Economics
Centre of Excellence in Peer Support
Challenge Disability Services Ltd (Tamworth)
Child Inclusive Learning and Development Australia Inc
Citizen Advocacy South Australia (CASA)
CLAN WA Inc.
Clinical Research Unit for Anxiety and Depression
College of Nursing
Comcare
Commissioner for Children and Young People
Communify Queensland
Communities @ Work Ltd
Community Council for Australia
Community Mental Health Australia
Community Mental Health Australia/Queensland Alliance for Mental Health Inc
Community Services & Health Industry Skills Council
Community Solutions Incorporated
Companion House
Connexion P/L
Consumer Health Forum
Coroners Court of Victoria
Council of Ambulance Authorities
Council of Small Business of Australia
Council of the Aged
Country North Community Services Inc.
Crisis Support Services
Deakin University
Deputy Chairman at Mental Health Advisory Council WA
Diabetes Australia
Dietitians Association of Australia
Disability Employment Australia
Drummond Street Services
Early Childhood Australia
Emergency Care Institute
ERMHA
Evolve Housing
Exercise and Sports Science Australia - ESSA

Exodus Foundation
Families Australia
Family Advocacy Inc.
Family Life
Family Relationship Services Australia
Federation of Ethnic Communities' Councils of Australia
Financial Counselling Australia
First Peoples Disability Network
Footprints in Brisbane Incorporated
Forum of Australian Services for Survivors of Torture and Trauma - FASSTT
Freedom, Social Justice, Growth (FSG) Australia
Friends of Parents and Citizens Associations of New South Wales
Frontier Services
Gateway Community Health
GP, Lennox Heads
Grampians Community Health
Grapevine
Grow
Gurriny Yealamucka (Good Healing) Health Services Aboriginal Corporation
Harvester Clinic
Haven Foundation
Haystac
headspace
headspace: National Youth Mental Health Foundation
Healing Foundation
Health Direct Australia
Help Lines Australia
Homelessness Australia
House With No Steps (HWNS)
Hunter Institute
Hunter New England Local Health District
Illawarra Disability Trust
Improvement Foundation
Inala Aboriginal Medical Service
Independent Living Centre of Western Australia Inc
Independent Schools Council of Australia
Indigenous Business Australia
Inside Out and Associates Australia
Inspire Foundation
Institute for Aboriginal Development - IAD
Integrated Living Australia Ltd
Interchange Northern Region Inc
Interchange Shoalhaven Inc
Intereach
International Association of Infant Massage
Intework Inc.
Ipswich & West Moreton Clubhouse Association Incorporated
James Cook University
Jesuit Social Services
Jobfind Centres Australia
Jobs Australia
Justice Action
Justice Health & Forensic Mental Health Network
Karakan Hostels

Karingal Inc
Kids Help Line / Boystown
Kimberley Stolen Generation Aboriginal Corporation
Knowledge Community
LAMP Incorporated
Legal Aid NSW
Legal Service & National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Women's Network
Lifeline Australia
Lifeline Darling Downs and South West QLD
Link In Association Sunshine Coast Inc
Link-Up - NSW
Link-Up - QLD
Lowitja Institute
Marymead Child and Family Centre
MATES in Construction
Medibank Private
Medicines Australia
Menslink
Mental Health & ATODS, Cape York Hospital Health Service
Mental Health Association NSW
Mental Health Association of Central Australia
Mental Health Carers Arafmi Australia
Mental Health Coalition of South Australia
Mental Health Community Coalition ACT
Mental Health Coordinating Council of NSW
Mental Health Council of Australia - MHCA
Mental Health Council of Tasmania
Mental Health Foundation - ACT
Mental Health Foundation Australia
Mental Health in Multicultural Australia - MHIMA
Mental Health Professionals Network (MHPN)
Mental Health Tribunal
Mental Illness Fellowship of Australia
Mental Illness Fellowship of Victoria
Menzies School of Health NT
Mercy Foundation
Micah Projects
Mind Australia
Mind Australia
Mindframe National Media Initiative
Mission Australia
Monash University
Monash University - Southern Synergy
Monash University - Department of Forensic Medicine
Multicultural Centre for Mental Health & Well Being
National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Healing Foundation
National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Workers Association
National Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation - NACCHO
National Association for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect - NAPCAN
National Catholic Education Commission
National Centre for Indigenous excellence - NCIE
National Congress of Australia's First Peoples
National Drug and Alcohol Research Centre
National Drug Research Institute

National Employment Services Association - NESA
National Farmers Federation
National Health and Medical and Research Foundation
National Indigenous Drug and Alcohol Committee (NIDAC)
National Indigenous Health Equality Council
National LGBTI Health Alliance
National Mental Health Consumer and Carer Forum - NMHCCF
National Stolen Generations Alliance
National Union of Students
National Youth Coalitions for Homelessness (NSW state orgs)
National Centre for Epidemiology & Population Health, ANU
Neami Ltd
New Horizons
New Horizons Enterprises Ltd
Newcastle Family Support Services
Nexus Primary Health
National Mental Health Consumer & Carers Forum
Northern Forensic Mental Health Service
Northern Territory Mental Health Coalition
Northern Territory Remote Clinical Schools
Northside Community Forum Incorporated
Norwood Association Inc
NSW Aboriginal Mental Health Workforce Program
NSW Consumer Advisory Group Mental Health
NSW Council on Intellectual Disability
NSW Farmers Association
NSW Institute of Psychiatry
NSW Mental Health Commission
NSW Police Force
NT Ambulance Service
NT Coroner
NT Council of Social Service (NTCOSS)
OARS Community Transitions
Occupational Therapy Australia
Odyssey House Victoria
Offenders Aid and Rehabilitation Service
Office of the Public Advocate
On The Line
On Track Community Programs
One Legacy
Open Minds
Orygen Youth Health (OYH)
Ostara Australia
OstaraPRA
Out Doors Inc.
Oz Help
Ozcare
Palliative Care Australia
Paramedics Australasia
Peer Support Australia
People & Development, King & Wood Mallesons
Pharmaceutical Society of Australia
Pharmacy Guild of Australia
Phoenix Place Inc

Pilbara Mental Health and Drug Service, Northern and Remote Country Health Service
Practice Nurses Association
Prahran Mission
Prince of Wales Hospital
Principals Australia Institute
Private Healthcare Australia
Private Mental Health Alliance (PMHA)
Private Mental Health Consumer Carer Network (Australia)
Psychiatric Disability Services of Victoria (VICSERV)
Psychiatry, Concord Clinical School
Psychotherapy and Counselling Federation of Australia - PACFA
Public Health Association of Australia
QLD Ambulance Service
QLD State Coroner
Quality and Risk Manager at Alfred Psychiatry
Queensland Aboriginal & Islander Health Council
Queensland Association for Healthy Communities
Queensland Centre for Mental Health Research
Queensland Voice for Mental Health
R U OK?
Ramsay Health Care (SA) Mental Health Services
RANZCP
Ravenshoe Community Centre Inc
Reconciliation Australia
Refugee Resettlement Advisory Council
Relationships Australia
Remote Area Health Corps
Richmond Fellowship ACT
Richmond Fellowship of WA Inc
Richmond Fellowship QLD
Richmond PRA
Richmond PRA
Rio Tinto Iron Ore
Roman Catholic Trust Corporation for the Diocese of Cairns
Royal Australian & New Zealand College of Psychiatrists
Royal Australian College of General Practitioners
Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (RACGP)
Royal Flying Doctor Service of Australia (Queensland Section)
RSL LifeCare
Ruah Community Services
Rumbalara Aboriginal Co-op Ltd
Rural Alive & Well Inc
Rural Doctors Association
Rural Health Alliance of Australia
SA State Coroner
Salvation Army
Salvation Army - Mental Health Service
Samaritans
SANE Australia
Schizophrenia Fellowship - NSW
Scouts Australia
Share and Care Community Services Group Inc
Shelter
SIDS and Kids Australia

Sisters Inside Inc
SME Association of Australia
Social and Emotional Wellbeing Project at Congress
Social Firms Australia (SoFA)
South Australian Council of Social Service - SACOSS
SPERANZA (Australian Mental Health Suicide Consumer Alliance)
St George Community Housing
St John of God Health Care
St Luke's Anglicare
St Mary's House of Welcome
St Michaels Association Inc.
St Vincent de Paul Society
St Vincent De Paul Society NSW
St Vincent's Hospital
Stepping Stone Clubhouse Inc
Suicide Prevention Australia
Suicide Prevention Australia
Suncare Community Services Inc
SuperFriend
Support Link Australia
Supported Options In Lifestyle And Access Services Inc
Sydney Anglican Home Mission Society Council
Sydney South West Area Health Service
Sydney Westmead Hospital
Tableland Community Link
TAS Ambulance Service
TAS State Coroner
TEAMhealth Inc
Ted Noffs Foundation
Telethon Institute
The Song Room
Transcultural Mental Health Centre
Transform Australia's Mental Health Services
Trustees of the Society of St Vincent De Paul (NSW)
Turning Point Alcohol & Drug Centre
United Synergies
Uniting Care
Uniting Care Mental Health
Uniting Care Wesley Country SA
Uniting Care Wesley Port Adelaide
Uniting Care West
Uniting Church - Frontier Services
Uniting Communities
UnitingCare Community Brisbane
University of Canberra - Faculty of Health
University of Melbourne
University of Melbourne - Melbourne School of Population and Global Health
University of New South Wales - Faculty of Medicine
University of Newcastle - Faculty of Health
University of Newcastle - Faculty of Health / Centre for Rural and Remote Mental Health
University of South Australia
University of Sydney
University of Sydney - Brain and Mind Research Institute

University of Sydney - Sydney Medical School
University of Sydney Business School
University of Wollongong
VICSERV
Victorian Aboriginal Child Care Agency Co-operative Limited
Victorian Coroner
Victorian Mental Illness Awareness Council
Villa Maria Society
Vision In Mind
WA Ambulance Service
WA Mental Health Commission
WA State Coroner
Wesley Mission
Wesley Mission
Western Australia Association for Mental Health
We Help Ourselves (WHOs)
WISE
WISE Employment
Women's & Children's Healthcare Australasia
Working It Out Tasmania
Worklink Employment Support Group Inc
Young and Well CRC
Young Men's Christian Association - YMCA South Australia
Youth & Family Service (Logan City) Inc
Youth Coalition of the ACT
Youth Involvement Council Inc
Zaidee
University of Melbourne
Australian Human Rights Commission
Victoria Commission for Children and Young People
Victoria Commission for Children and Young People
NSW Commission for Children and Young People
QLD Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian
WA Commission for Children and Young People