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Mental Health Commission and WA Primary Health Alliance - Kimberley Collaboration

The Mental Health Commission and the WA Primary Health Alliance are committed to finding opportunities to work together in a coordinated and collaborative way to help progress system-wide improvements across mental health, alcohol and other drugs (AOD) and suicide prevention services and programs.

The Mental Health Commission and the WA Primary Health Alliance have been exploring ways to address the growing concern expressed by stakeholders across the Kimberley regarding consultation fatigue and the desire for increased collaboration across Government. An immediate opportunity has been identified to integrate the consultation processes for the co-design of the Kimberley Youth AOD Service and development of headspace Kununurra. This collaboration will also help inform the transition activities of the National suicide prevention trial sites.

The integration of this work allows the Mental Health Commission and the WA Primary Health Alliance to demonstrate their shared commitment to collaboration and integration where ever possible. Opportunities to work in partnership across projects within the Kimberley, and more broadly across Western Australia, will continue to be explored into the future. Both the Mental Health Commission and the WA Primary Health Alliance are committed to continuing to engage stakeholders to ensure voices are heard and considered to strengthen the mental health and AOD system across the State. Your continued support and commitment is vital to the role we all have, and the outcomes we aim to achieve collectively.

Thank you for your support.



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