

Seeking Expressions of Interest to recruit two consumer representatives for the NSW Statewide Eating Disorders Steering Committee

The Statewide Eating Disorders Steering Committee oversees the implementation of the [NSW Service Plan for People with Eating Disorders 2021-2025 \(Service Plan\)](#). The Steering Committee's functions include:

- monitoring statewide progress against measures of performance
- addressing the needs of the target population across the spectrum of care
- considering strategic issues and future service planning across NSW Health
- recommending the establishment of sub-committees, working groups or networks to progress key issues of implementation, which will report to the Steering Committee.

We are seeking two consumer representatives who can draw on personal experience of living with an eating disorder to join the Statewide Steering Committee and inform the implementation of the Service Plan. The role of the representatives is to provide a consumer perspective on issues discussed and recommendations made by the committee. They will be treated as a peer and receive all communication as per staff committee members.

The Steering Committee meets twice per year and the next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, 19 September 2024. Each meeting is approximately 90 minutes long and can be attended in person (1 Reserve Rd, St Leonards) or virtually (via Microsoft Teams). If you are interested in joining virtually you will require access to a computer with a working microphone and camera. The consumer membership will be reviewed annually.

Consumer representatives will be remunerated for their time at a rate of \$40 per hour. For further details on remuneration please see the [NSW Health website](#) or the attached Factsheet.

We welcome expressions of interest from people who:

- Have experience of NSW Health services, but are not a current employee of NSW Health
- Have an interest in improving consumer partnership within our health system
- Are willing to attend meetings and work with the Steering Committee to improve the health and wellbeing of people with or at risk of developing an eating disorder and the lives of their families, carers and communities.

Contact us

Interested? Please send a short personal bio and your CV to Jessica McLean, Senior Policy Officer, Mental Health Branch via MOH-MHB-ClinicalServices@health.nsw.gov.au

We will provide a copy of the Terms of Reference for the Steering Committee to you on request.

Expressions of Interest close on 30 July 2024

About NSW Health

NSW Health is the largest public health system in Australia, providing safe, high-quality healthcare to the citizens of NSW.

Our vision is for a sustainable health system that delivers outcomes that matter most to patients and the community, is personalised, invests in wellness and is digitally enabled.

Our CORE values encourage collaboration, openness and respect in the workplace, empowering our staff members to use their knowledge, skills and experience to provide the best possible care for patients, their families and carers.

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