

Special Youth Health Forum in Broken Hill

Community Connections Yarn up for Healthy Youth

22 September 2010



Chairperson for the day is Mr Jamie Billings

Session 1: Setting the scene

8.30 - 9.00	Registration
9.00 - 9.10	Welcome to country Ms Lisa Kickett
9.10 - 9.15	Welcome and introduction Mr Jamie Billings
9.15 - 9.30	Opening address Mr Rod Wyber-Hughes, General Manager, Remote Services, Greater Western Area Health Service
9.30 - 10.30	<u>'Whispers of the voiceless' - Insights from the frontline</u> Mr Mark Hankin, Youth Development Counsellor, Cabramatta Community Centre, South West Sydney

10.30 - 11.00 MORNING TEA

Session 2: Positive programs that work

11.00 - 11.05	Thankakali Aboriginal Corporation dance group performance
11.05 - 11.25	<u>Getting It Together service (GETs)</u> and unveiling the <u>Aboriginal Community Service Directory</u> (by Chris Lawson, a young person); Ms Joyce Williams, Coordinator/Case Manager Youth Program, Thankakali Aboriginal Corporation
11.25-11.40	<u>The LoveBites Program- Time to draw a line in the sand and break the cycle of domestic violence and sexual abuse</u> Ms Gail McFeeters, Clinical Nurse Specialist 2, Women's Health, Broken Hill Service
11.40 - 11.55	<u>Sex in the Outback</u> Ms Jo Lenton, Clinical Nurse Specialist, Broken Hill Health Service
11.55 - 12.10.	Young people's positive journey Ms Samantha Riley and Ms Corinna Flentjar; Broken Hill Youth College; <u>Mr Chris Stevens</u> , a young person
12.10- 12.30	Panel discussion - joined by all speakers

12.30 - 1.30 LUNCH

Session 3: Showcase of services in our area and beyond

1.30 - 2.35	Showcase of services <u>Agency for Clinical Innovation (ACI)</u> , Broken Hill City Council Youth Services, Broken Hill Health Service, Broken Hill Youth College Inc, Drink Safe Community Initiative (Community Drug Action Team), Drought Mental Health Assistance Project and NSW Police Department
2.35- 2.50	<u>Maari Ma Health Aboriginal Corporation</u> Ms Nola Whyman, Director of Operation, Maari Ma Health Aboriginal Corporation
2.50- 3.20	Collaboration for success: The National Centre of Indigenous Excellence Mr Jason Glanville, Executive Director, National Centre of Indigenous Excellence
3.20 - 3.30	Closing remark and thank you

3.30 - 4.30 AFTERNOON TEA and a YARN

Information on the day

Venue

Barrier Social Democratic Club, 218 Argent Street, Broken Hill

This special Youth Health Forum is proudly sponsored by Youth Health Forum Organising Committee

Speakers' notes

The speakers' presentations will be available for downloading from CAAH website (under Resources) approximately 2 weeks after the Forum

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The YHF Organising Committee includes representatives from Academic Department of Adolescent Medicine, University of Sydney; Agency for Clinical Innovation, Children's Hospital School, The Children's Hospital at Westmead (CHW); Department of Adolescent Medicine, CHW; High Street Youth Health Service; NSW Association for Youth Health; NSW Centre for the Advancement of Adolescent Health, CHW; Parramatta City Council and Transcultural Mental Health Centre.

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