

# LOAD

## Dunedin

### Meeting Record Thursday 23 October 2008

- Apologies:** Scott Blair and Andrea Moore, Adventure Development; Martin Burke, Consumer Council; Barbara Bennett, Public Health South; Toni Pelasio
- Welcome:** Cate Kearney, ADANZ
- Attendance:** See at the end of record

#### Service News

*Salvation Army Bridge:* staffing levels have increased with two new appointments. Programmes are going well. New staffing will allow for service to women in rural areas. Starting to plan for refurbishment. Multi-venue exclusion initiative – invited managers from venues to attend a meeting, 4 to 7 venues attended – Good cooperation. Plan to be started in December. *Youth Speciality Service CADS* – now has a full team. Biggest issue is the waiting list, it was 130 – 140 when new manager arrived – general list now down to 30 with 30 on Methadone list. Increasing the work in Milton Prison from 1 day a fortnight to a week. Referrals are increasing dramatically (about 80 a month). Pattern appears to be across mental health and AOD. *CAYAD* – for the past 4 months has been caught up in the contracting process. Attempts are now being made to standardise CAYAD across the country. *Problem Gambling Foundation:* policy and politics continue to drive the sector. Gambling commission last year bought in host responsibility standards for Casinos – Dunedin Casino about to sign up. *Mirror Counselling:* Discussion about maintaining DAPAANZ competencies especially in smaller or rural areas. Referrals are steady. The Day programme has had the last intake for the year. Moving towards applying for accreditation. *Moana House:* Internships via Te Rau Matatini. *Dunedin City Council:* attended a meeting looking at ALAC's strategy for Pacific People. The Youth Action Committee is planning gig for the end of the year. .

#### Updates

- Moana House Training
- Pacific Competencies training on Moana House Website
- Investing in Addiction Treatment book from NCAT

#### PRESENTATIONS

##### ➤ **Te Rau Matatini, Deb Fraser**

Discussion about awareness of Scholarships and utility of scholarships.

##### ➤ **National Alcohol Action Plan, Cate Kearney**

- Labelling on cans / bottles etc – FASD – advertising the risks of drinking during pregnancy
- Responsibilities of parental supply – supervision
- Language
- Individualize focus from the industry – marketing has normalised; regulation around advertising
- Blanket Breath Alcohol Content for young people – nil no drink and driving
- Increasing purchasing age to 20
- Connects to other Health Policy Oranga Korawai Whānau
- Specific to Māori and Pacific Island Peoples
- Stronger penalties to people who supply to young people with improvement to (no policing of this) how this is enforced
- Loss leader trading addressed. Access to where, hours of opening, how many outlets, price cutting addressed.
- Sale of Liquor Act review without influence from the industry
- Access to treatment when alcohol related crime occurs. AOD worker available in court.
- Changing the culture education offered earlier in schools.
- Binge drinking legislation enforced.
- Non drinking venues promoted.

*Meeting closed at 12.00pm; Attendees: 11*

Meeting dates available on [www.adanz.org.nz](http://www.adanz.org.nz). Suggestions for agenda to Char Macpherson [char.macpherson@adanz.org.nz](mailto:char.macpherson@adanz.org.nz) Please note: These notes are a summary of opinions expressed by meeting attendees. If anyone would like further information please email [reception@adanz.org.nz](mailto:reception@adanz.org.nz)

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