

Liaison on Alcohol and Other Drugs LOAD

Ashburton

Meeting Record Tuesday 10 February 2009

Apologies: Chris Clark
Welcome: Char Macpherson, ADANZ
Attendance: See at end of record

Presentation

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➤ Regional Consumer Advisor Service

Margaret Bates, SI Regional Consumer Advisor Service

Discussion re New Zealand Standards and recent changes

- Changes have seen a modified version of section 9 included; initially when the standards were reviewed it had been left out.
- Consumer involvement is based on early Mental Health Consumer movement and the Recovery Model.
- It was pointed out that the 5 Star Model was good as it brought the Mental Health and Addiction Treatment together.
- **Research / Report Updates:**
- The Alcohol Drug Helpline is to start a call back Pilot Service from 16th February 2009. For further information email: mel.johns@adanz.org.nz. <http://www.adanz.org.nz/Helpline/Home>
- Talking Therapies reports <http://www.tepou.col.nz>
 - o We need to Act
 - o Action Plan
- Getting it Right for People with co-existing and Mental Health Problems: <http://www.alcohol.org.nz>
- Opioid Treatment Guidelines <http://www.moh.govt.nz>.

Service News

- *Mt Hutt High School:* Don McLeod has been replaced as head teacher. There is only one policeman now the other has been transferred. Year 11's have been more involved with alcohol than other years. *ACADS:* Advisors invited to attend IOP to meet consumers. Dr Rob Adams reduced hours, new Clinical Team Leader, Lorraine Bennett.

Clinical News

- IOP started.
- Driving Whilst Impaired Course

Health Promotion

- CMP Health Day coming up
- Diabetes
- Driver Licensing – upgrade to New Zealand licensing helping people to integrate into the community.
- For this year a lot of club licences up for renewal.
- Provide training for managers licensing.
- Drive Sober Advertising Panda campaign success.

Attendance: 6. Meeting dates available on www.adanz.org.nz. Suggestions for agenda to Char Macpherson email: 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