AUGUST 2026

Adult Mental Health Services North/North-West Reform

Mental Health Lived Experience Tasmania Consultation

SMHS has started a project to look at how community mental health services are provided across North and North-West Tasmania and how they can be improved.

We want to learn more about people's experiences of our services, to develop a new way of working that will:

- make services more consistent across Tasmania.
- make it easier to access care.
- strengthen support in the community.
- make the best use of clinical staff and resources.
- improve how services work together.

A Project Control Group started in August 2026 to guide this work. It includes representatives from Mental Health Lived Experience Tasmania and Mental Health Families and Friends Tasmania.

Listening to lived experience is a key part of this process.

We would really value your input. This consultation is an opportunity to share your experiences and perspectives on community mental health care, and what good support looks like.

Date: Monday, 28 September 2026

Time: 10:30am to 12:00pm

Location: Microsoft Teams

If you have questions, reach out to Deidre Tranter, Program Manager, Mental Health Strategy and Reform on deidre.tranter@ths.tas.gov.au or 0436 860 305.