

**Human Research Recruitment Advertisement
Re-design of the CESP HN GP Mental Health Shared Care Program**

Help improve physical health care for people with mental illness by improving Shared Care between GPs and Mental Health Services

Researchers at the International Centre for Future Health Systems UNSW are conducting a research project to inform the redesign of the CESP HN GP Mental Health Shared Care program.

The research study is looking to recruit people who meet the following criteria:

1. People who use (or have previously used) Adult Community Mental Health Services in Sydney Local Health District (SLHD), South Eastern Sydney Local Health District (SESLHD) or St Vincents Health Network (SVHN)
2. Family members or other carers of people who use Adult Community Mental Health Services in SLHD, SESLHD or SVHN.
3. Health services providers or other stakeholders who have had some engagement or interest in shared care between GPs and mental health services in the Central and South Eastern Sydney region

Participants will be excluded from the study if they are:

1. unable or unwilling to provide informed consent to participate.
2. under 18 years of age.

Participants will be asked to participate in a Focus Group.

Focus groups are scheduled for:

Date & time	Stakeholder Group	Mode/venue	Facilitators	Time
Weds 22 nd Jan 25 7:00pm -7:45pm	GPs, Mental Health Service Providers and other Stakeholders	Online NSW Teams	Dr Peri O'Shea Em. Prof Mark Harris	45 mins
Thurs 23 rd Jan 25 10:00am - 10:45am	GPs, Mental Health Service Providers and other Stakeholders	Online NSW Teams	Dr Peri O'Shea Em Prof Mark Harris	45 mins
Thurs 23 rd Jan 25 2:00pm - 2.45pm	GPs, Mental Health Service Providers and other Stakeholders	Online NSW Teams	Dr Peri O'Shea Dr May Su	45 mins
Mon 27 th Jan 25 2:00pm – 2:45pm	GPs, Mental Health Service Providers and other Stakeholders	Online NSW Teams	Dr Peri O'Shea Dr May Su	45 mins

Please contact the following person via email or phone to register your interest in taking part in a focus group, to discuss other ways to participate if none of the above dates work for you or if you have a question about the research:

Name	Dr Peri O'Shea
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This study has been approved by the Ethics Review Committee ([RPAH Zone](#)) of the Sydney Local Health District. Any person with concerns or complaints about the conduct of this study should contact the Executive Officer on [02 9515 6766 RPA](tel:0295156766) and quote protocol number X24-0363

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