

Consumer and Community Advisory Network

Do you have feedback on your local health service?

Want to be involved in health service planning in your town?

Do you have suggestions, ideas or information to be shared concerning the development and delivery of public health services in your community?

If so, we encourage you to join your local Consumer and Community Advisory Network.

The South West Hospital and Health Service covers a vast area of Queensland, from Wallumbilla and Mungindi in the east to Thargomindah and Quilpie in the west. To keep the Hospital and Health Board engaged with local communities, 15 separate Community Advisory Networks (CANs) have been established.

Your local CAN meets with the Board every three months to discuss issues and ideas from your community. These networks help to identify local health needs to the Board. They allow information about service delivery to be shared and to give health clients an input in health service planning and delivery.

If you have suggestions or comments on the health service in your town, contact your local CAN Chair through your local facility to ensure your voice is heard in the boardroom.

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| Bollon | Alexandra (Alex) Donoghue | 4625 6105 |
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| Roma | Heather Geary | 4624 2792 |
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