

LET'S TALK ABOUT...

TALK ABOUT is a way for Darling Downs and West Moreton PHN to ask you about your experience with healthcare in your community.

From 10 January until 21 February 2024 we want to TALK ABOUT what you think is working well and what you think could be done better to improve your healthcare experiences.

Let's TALK ABOUT the health needs of....

PRIORITY POPULATIONS

MULTICULTURAL AND HOMELESS COMMUNITIES

DID YOU KNOW?

people in our region were born in predominantly non-English speaking countries.

Research suggests multicultural communities experience...



Health disparities



Unique health conditions



Language barriers





Discrimination



Racism

In this TALK ABOUT topic we are also discussing people experiencing homelessness.

The highest prevalence of homelessness in our region are within...



Ipswich





Toowoomba

People at greater risk of experiencing homelessness are...



Young people



Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples



People identifying as LGBTIQA+



People born overseas



Women experiencing family, domestic and sexual violence



Men

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What do you

think about.

Share your

experience.



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All consultation findings from our

online survey and Kitchen Table

Discussions will be distributed

inform future Primary Health

service delivery of programs

Needs Assessment.

and provide important updated

to external key stakeholders and

Network decision making, targeted

information for our region's Health

WHAT WE HEARD

TALK ABOUT is a way for Darling Downs and West Moreton PHN to ask you about your experience with health care in your community.

From 10 January until 21 February 2024, you talked about The Health Needs of Priority Populations within our region.

We received responses from...









In this campaign you talked about multicultural communities and homelessness...



identified as belonging to multicultural communities, such as South/East Asian, European, Pacific Islands, Middle Eastern and African.



people said they were experiencing housing stress, homelessness, or were concerned about their housing stability.

This is WHAT WE HEARD...

Overall, you rate your experience with primary health care services with a score of 7 out of 10.

Health care professionals rate the capacity to provide health care that meets your needs with a score of 5 out of 10.

What you thought works well



You mentioned...

- · You receive information about healthcare from your local general practice, as well as family and friends.
- · The services you needed most were mental health supports, general practice, and pharmacy.
- · You could access some services after hours, such as the hospital, urgent care clinics, and some general practices.

You value services for how they...

- · Listen to you, and you feel they believe you when you talk about your health.
- · Are open-minded and considerate, and you don't feel you are being judged.

· More education and promotion about health and wellbeing.

You also suggested...

What you thought could be done better

You would like to see...

disability services.

· Building cultural awareness and safety, such as resources about providing care to meet your needs.

· More services closer to home, including

online and home-visiting choices.

· Same-gender health workers with

your health and wellbeing.

whom you can sensitively discuss

· More affordable allied health and

· Mobile clinics or transport options, and longer opening hours for the services you need most.





Thank you to everyone who contributed to our survey! We look forward to hearing from you on our future topics.

