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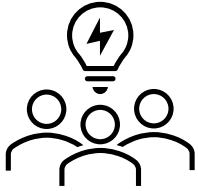
ACTHD ATOD Commissioning

ACT Health Directorate, AOD Policy Section

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The journey

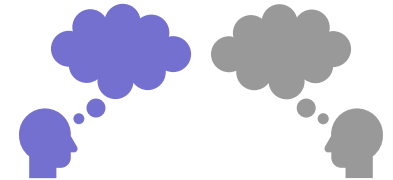
Strategise Phase



- Workshops with partners and stakeholders
- System-wide needs assessment
- DSAP Review and Progress Report
- New ACT Drug Strategy Action Plan draft

Design Phase

- Workshops with partners and stakeholders
- System-wide needs assessment (to guide investment phase)
- Service specification (to guide investment phase)
- Outcome indicators and measures



Invest Phase

- Procurement is anticipated to take place with partners in April/May 2023
- Notification of outcomes by the end of July 2023, allowing contracting prior to current expiry in December 2023.

Why commissioning?

- The AOD service system in the ACT is working well.
- Commissioning will help identify incremental ways to help ensure now, and into the future, service design and delivery is collaboratively developed with service providers, and meets the needs of service users.
- Commissioning is an ongoing cyclical process to inform government priorities and funding investment.
- The iterative and incremental nature of Commissioning will ensure there is minimal disruption to the service system.
- Collaborative design is client centred and outcomes focused.
- Collaborative commissioning gives service providers and people with lived experience greater influence on the services people want and need and the way they are provided.

What we've heard

- Co-occurring issues
 - Co-ordination across system, referral pathways, holistic support
- Navigation, pathways and access to services for clients
- Peer support/peer workers
- Support for family members
- Culturally secure services
- In-reach counselling for older people
- Women specific services
- Stepped care, post-treatment support
- Wrap around services
- Data collection and use

Design phase workshops

- **18 October:** Workshop 1 – Service system access, navigation, pathways and peer workers
- **20 October:** Workshop 2 – Co-occurring issues with a focus on AOD and Mental Health
- **27 October:** Workshop 3 – Methamphetamine treatment and family and carer support services
- **31 October:** Workshop 4 – Outreach and counselling

Where to from here... (Proposed)



Strategise Phase

- Commissioning Workshops
- Strategic Planning of ongoing ACTHD AOD plans and policy

Collaborative Design Phase

June - July

- Commissioning intentions paper - onto the CSD website (iterative/living document)
- Continued activities to consolidate data and evidence gathered in the Strategise phase

August - September

- Draft a consolidated commissioning intentions document
- Consulting on service priorities with stakeholders
- Finalising and circulating the needs analysis in Sept/Oct
- Public consultation on ACT Drug Strategy Action Plan

October

Workshops:

- Briefing (Outlining the process and initial findings. Highlighting steps to consolidate the evidence base)
- Continued collaborative design-focused stakeholder engagement activities to design services
- Debriefing the subsector on incremental changes identified in our needs analysis

Release of the Final Collaborative Design Report and agree on Commissioning Intentions



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Discussion on approach to collaborative design

