

Services Offered

- Assessment and referral
- Counselling
- Court referral counselling
- Crisis support
- Drug withdrawal service
- Pharmacotherapies service
- Drink Driver Education Program (Accreditation No. 92/008)
- Needle and Syringe Program
- Drug Diversion Programs
- Parent and Carer Support Program
- Parent and Carer Support Group
- Acquired Brain Injury Consultancy
- Secondary consultations
- Work-based programs
- Education sessions.

Appointment details:

Date:

Time:

With:



Alcohol, Tobacco & other Drug Services



Contact Us
Monday to Friday
9am to 5pm

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Philosophy

To raise awareness and reduce the harm associated with alcohol, tobacco and other drug use in the community.

We do this in a confidential and professional environment through:

Referral

People can contact our service directly by phone or in person, and/or through other service providers.

Outreach Service

Our staff provide an outreach service to rural areas including Corryong, Tallangatta, Mt Beauty, Beechworth, Yackandandah, Rutherglen and surrounding districts.

To organise an appointment, contact our office on (02) 6022 8888.

General Information

Before entering treatment, an assessment is done to establish the most appropriate treatment program for each person.

Having a mental health disorder as well as drug-related needs does not exclude you from these services.

Counselling

Counselling support, information and resources are available to individuals, couples and families. This can assist in rebuilding relationships, establishing social and employment networks and developing healthier lifestyles.

Drug Withdrawal

Our withdrawal nurse will provide support to individuals and families either at home or in hospital. Referrals to specialised units are also available. The withdrawal nurse works closely with local doctors, hospitals and mental health services.

Pharmacotherapies

Pharmacotherapy is the use of medication (Methadone, Buprenorphine) to help treat drug addiction. Our nurse and counsellor work with the prescribing doctor and the dispensing chemist to provide support for people in this treatment program.

Drug Diversion

These programs for young people and adults provide a link between the police, courts and drug treatments. Counselling and education are provided for young adults with substance related offences or for young people whose drug use puts them at risk of criminal activity.

Needle and Syringe Program

Needles, syringes, swabs, disposal containers, condoms and a range of written resources are available free from our office during our regular opening hours.

Families and Friends

Parent and Carer Support Program: This is a structured program to provide help to carers of young people with problematic substance use.

Oasis Support Group: This is a supportive, non-judgemental and confidential group run by carers to support other parents and carers of young people with problematic substance use and/or mental health issues.

Education and Information

Secondary consultation is available to other services. Educational sessions are available for schools, industry, professional and community groups.

Drink Driver Education

For people who have been convicted of a drink-driving offence. Assessment and courses are available on a regular basis.

Cost

There is no charge for many of our services. However, a fee is charged for Drink Driver Education, some work-based programs and some educational sessions.