

SWSLHD VAN Redesign

Dear Member,

Attached is a copy of correspondence received from South Western Sydney Local Health District regarding the redesign of SWSLHD services responding to Violence, Abuse and Neglect (VAN).

Your HSU Organiser Peter Mason has been in contact with the LHD and has a firm commitment that the HSU will be invited to the first all staff meeting to discuss this matter.

Following this meeting, Peter will call for the formation of a Union-Specific Consultative Committee (USCC) and will be calling on members that wish to be involved in this process to join him at meetings.

Please review the correspondence and email any questions or concerns to Peter via email peter.mason@hsu.asn.au using subject line *VAN Redesign*.

Do you know someone who is not yet a member of the HSU? Encourage them to join and be part of their Union. Being a union member gives you a voice in workplace change such as this. New members can join at www.hsu.asn.au/join or by calling the union on 1300 478 679.

In unity,



Gerard Hayes
Secretary, HSU NSW/ACT/QLD



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Mr Gerard Hayes
Secretary
Health Services Union (HSU)

Email: secretary@hsu.asn.au

Dear Mr Hayes,

I am writing to inform you of a redesign project currently being undertaken by South Western Sydney Local Health District (SWSLHD).

The project is a part of a broader State wide-redesign led by the Ministry of Health called the Violence, Abuse and Neglect (VAN) Redesign Program (also known as the PARVAN State-wide Redesign). It is focused on increasing the governance, integration and capabilities of the services and staff that respond to VAN across SWSLHD.

The Primary and Community Health Directorate within SWSLHD is taking the operational lead in the redesign, however, Mental Health, Drug Health and Hospital Services are also part of the overarching project.

Consultation with staff has commenced and will continue throughout the project which is expected to continue over the next twelve months.

Should you require any further support or assistance please do not hesitate to contact myself by phone (02) 4621 8766 or by email wendy.geddes@health.nsw.gov.au

We will keep you informed of our progress.

Kind Regards,

Wendy Geddes
A/General Manager
Primary and Community Health
South Western Sydney Local Health District

Date: 7/1/2020

South Western Sydney Local Health District acknowledges the traditional owners of the land.