



SOUTHERN SERVICES
REFORM GROUP

SSRG Workgroup Meeting
Workgroup: Dementia
Date: 5 August 2014

Present: Coral Sharp (Chair), Jordana Wilks, Helen Walkden, Andrew Ramsay, Melinda Olsson, Kate Kenning, Meredith McLeod, Sally Warnes (Project Officer), Bev Bannister (Minutes)

Apologies: Jenny Hayes, Krystyna Kahmann, Sharron Irwin, Gill Schulze, Terry Hales, Bridget Kempster

Agenda Items	Discussion	Actions
Welcome and apologies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• welcome and apologies• introductions were made around the table	
Previous minutes & business arising	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• previous minutes accepted• Alzheimer's Australia SA have new products available for purchase - Sally to look at these before looking at Wisdom website• actions complete• update on other actions to be done in project report• Sally explained about not putting in a funding application	

	<p>line</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • explore using results based accountability - RBA • Steering Committee having RBA training on 15 September - does anyone want to come along? Meredith and Mel to attend • have an on-line survey setup on the iPad for customers to use - Council to help with this • have a suggestion box for feedback • Andrew can offer help with marketing – possibilities include messenger, maybe TV and ‘boomers’ article, share with community forum and social media • City of Onkaparinga marketing – eg council face book – meet with marketing team to discuss • to be shared with all workgroup organisations to go in their newsletters etc • have a brochure/postcard made to go out to all organisations/clients • timeline for opening the hub - Dementia Awareness Week is September 13 – 26, aim for 22 September as the opening day but have items ready for borrowing on 1 September • official opening - explore having a guest speaker from AASA - book out the community room on level 1 - library promotions person to advertise the opening • do we have a local author or celebrity living in the local area who we could invite to open the memory hub? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sally to email Meredith & Mel re RBA • Sally and Alison to have talks with council marketing team • Helen to talk with her team leader about marketing
Project Officer Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ignite Your Spark poster - mail out completed to medical clinics – film on you-tube & USB, plus postcards • The Seniors Southern Services Directory app - SAHA 100 day project – promoting the app to the health sector - new postcards and jotter pad shown • SASMA Symposium - this conference is focusing on innovative and inspirational ways to promote wellness and enablement. The day will incorporate holistic approaches, practical activities and exploration of the life journey. Common perceptions and attitudes will be 	

	<p>challenged. The spotlight will be on strengths, empowerment and change. Participants will be leaving with a toolbox of strategies - 17 September – Morphettville Racecourse -fully booked -180 attendees - have a wait list</p>	
<p>Information Sharing</p>	<p>Mel - Anglicare</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • level 2 packages available • level 1 packages available • no level 3 or 4's available • have HACC packages in south available • have not received referrals for younger onset dementia – lots of barriers for people under the age of 65 • HACC transport service in south up and running - package clients can utilise this service under certain circumstances <p>Jordana - City of Mitcham</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • funding for taxi trips available • funding for home maintenance - for bushfire prevention strategies <p>Meredith - Carer Support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • drop in morning cuppa and card making – 13 August, 11 September, 9 October and 19 November - promoting centre as a place to come and enjoy yourself • winter pamper day at Stirling was a success • need more people for the HACC Aged Care program which has been developed to provide services with a focus on supporting the aged person to continue their current community involvement or assist them to reconnect with their local community – more information in the Winter Sharing Sheet <p>Coral - Alzheimer's SA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Living with Memory Loss program - 4 November - Woodcroft Neighbourhood Centre 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Give it a Go! - Regal Theatre - Kensington Park - 15 September 2pm • Living with Memory Loss program - Fullarton Park Centre - 23 September • Brought possible brochures for memory hub - brochure for younger key worker program - good brochure to introduce services – ‘start to talk’ brochures – ‘talk to me’ brochure • recruiting for link worker in the south • <p>Kate - ECH</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • vacancies in Day Program – received extra HACC funding earlier in year so can increase numbers in Day Program • vacancies in In Home Respite Program 	
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Next meeting date: 2 September 2014

Time: 2.00 - 4.00pm

Venue: Meeting Room 2, City of Onkaparinga