

Central Queensland, Wide Bay, Sunshine Coast - Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

2022/23 - 2026/27

Activity Summary View



AOD - 150201 - Drug and alcohol service access for priority populations



Activity Metadata

Applicable Schedule *

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

Activity Prefix *

AOD

Activity Number *

150201

Activity Title *

Drug and alcohol service access for priority populations

Existing, Modified or New Activity *

Existing



Activity Priorities and Description

Program Key Priority Area *

Alcohol and Other Drugs

Other Program Key Priority Area Description

Aim of Activity *

Increase the availability and access to appropriate drug and alcohol treatment services by improving service capacity, pathways of care and integrated assessment processes.

Description of Activity *

This activity aims to remove the barriers to treatment experienced by many disengaged and often marginalised community members and increase access to drug and alcohol case management, care coordination, treatment, counselling and outreach to underserved and high need communities.

The DATS activity will be implemented as part of CCQ's MHAODSP Reform project, noting substantial recent investments by the

State and Commonwealth in key AOD treatment infrastructure in the regions. Services scheduled to begin in the 2024-25 financial year are intended to leverage these investments, enhancing access and improving outcomes for community members. Importantly, AOD services will evolve from being a standalone stream to being part of a newly integrated stream titled Psychosocial and AOD.

This new service stream not only aligns community-based, recovery-oriented models of care but also bridges the gap between mental health and substance use treatments. It acknowledges the complex interplay among dual diagnoses, such as mental health issues, suicide risk, and AOD misuse. This holistic approach is vital for addressing the interconnected nature of these issues, promoting better health outcomes and supporting long-term recovery.

A key requirement of services being delivered in this activity include innovative approaches to the use of technology and workforce development, which the MAHDOSP Reform consultations weighted considerably as barriers to service improvements among priority populations.

Needs Assessment Priorities *

Needs Assessment

2021-24 Health Needs Assessment

Priorities

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Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health	79



Activity Demographics

Target Population Cohort

Priority populations experiencing challenges with alcohol and other drugs, including but not limited to:

- Youth
- Women
- Men
- Families with children
- Culturally and linguistically diverse communities
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities
- People experiencing homelessness
- People who identify as LGBTIQ+

In Scope AOD Treatment Type *

Screening and brief intervention, Case management, Counselling, Aftercare / Post rehabilitation support.

Indigenous Specific *

No

Indigenous Specific Comments

Coverage

Whole Region

Yes



Activity Consultation and Collaboration

Consultation

In 2024 the PHN will undertake region wide consultation.

Identification of opportunities and co-design of services have been and will continue to be jointly undertaken with key stakeholders including (but not limited to) the Hospital and Health Services (HHSs), GPs, non-government organisation service providers, PHNs, peak bodies, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health services, social welfare services and consumer organisations.

Collaboration

General practice
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Service Providers
Allied health professionals
Hospital and Health Service
Primary health care providers
NGOs
QNADA
Peak bodies
Consumers and carers



Activity Milestone Details/Duration

Activity Start Date

28/06/2019

Activity End Date

27/06/2025

Service Delivery Start Date

29/06/2019

Service Delivery End Date

Other Relevant Milestones



Activity Commissioning

Please identify your intended procurement approach for commissioning services under this activity:

Not Yet Known: No

Continuing Service Provider / Contract Extension: Yes

Direct Engagement: No

Open Tender: Yes

Expression Of Interest (EOI): No

Other Approach (please provide details): No

Is this activity being co-designed?

Yes

Is this activity the result of a previous co-design process?

No

Do you plan to implement this Activity using co-commissioning or joint-commissioning arrangements?

Has this activity previously been co-commissioned or joint-commissioned?

No

Decommissioning

Yes

Decommissioning details?

Decommissioning Partial. As a result of the reform open tender, existing providers will enter a transition period during Q1 of 24-25FY

Co-design or co-commissioning comments



Activity Planned Expenditure

Planned Expenditure

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Social and Community Services Award (SACS) Component	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$1,791,078.41	\$1,709,557.26	\$1,735,202.10	\$0.00
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$677,745.28	\$554,657.27	\$564,086.44	\$0.00
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services Maintenance	\$0.00	\$104,902.65	\$104,902.65	\$0.00	\$0.00

Totals

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27	Total
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$1,791,078.41	\$1,709,557.26	\$1,735,202.10	\$0.00	\$5,235,837.77
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$677,745.28	\$554,657.27	\$564,086.44	\$0.00	\$1,796,488.99
Drug and Alcohol	\$0.00	\$104,902.65	\$104,902.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$209,805.30

Treatment Services Maintenance						
Total	\$0.00	\$2,573,726.34	\$2,369,117.18	\$2,299,288.54	\$0.00	\$7,242,132.06

Funding From Other Sources - Financial Details

Funding From Other Sources - Organisational Details



Activity Comments

Activity Status

Submitted

PHN Comments

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AOD - 150301 - NIAS mainstream - access for priority populations



Activity Metadata

Applicable Schedule *

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

Activity Prefix *

AOD

Activity Number *

150301

Activity Title *

NIAS mainstream - access for priority populations

Existing, Modified or New Activity *

Modified



Activity Priorities and Description

Program Key Priority Area *

Alcohol and Other Drugs

Other Program Key Priority Area Description**Aim of Activity ***

Increase the delivery of culturally responsive whole of person trauma informed alcohol and other drugs (AOD) counselling services to directly support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals

Description of Activity *

This activity seeks to provide culturally responsive, best practice drug and alcohol treatment services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals, families and communities across the region; reduce drug related harm for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals, families and communities in the region; and provide linkages with broader health services (including mental health services) to better support culturally safe integrated/coordinated treatment and referral pathways to support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals (including children, families and significant others impacted by problematic/dependant drug use) with comorbid mental health disorders in the area.

Culturally responsive social and emotional wellbeing programs will continue to be established and supported to address health and lifestyle factors that contribute to alcohol and drug use concerns.

Needs Assessment Priorities ***Needs Assessment**

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Priorities

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Activity Demographics

Target Population Cohort

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities and individuals

In Scope AOD Treatment Type *

Indigenous Specific *

Yes

Indigenous Specific Comments

Direct approach to Aboriginal Elders, Aboriginal Medical Services and Aboriginal community leaders.

Coverage

Whole Region

Yes



Activity Consultation and Collaboration

Consultation

As part of mental health, AOD, and suicide prevention reforms, CCQ will engage with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander service stakeholders in 24/25FY to co-define and develop service model enhancements. One key consultation outcome is expected to be clear pathways between First Nations services and those services considered more broadly for the whole-of-community. Additionally, the process of consultation will identify localised health needs and solutions to ensure a responsive suite of integrated services are available.

Collaboration

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Elders, leaders, communities and individuals
Hospital and Health Service
Mainstream and Indigenous mental health care providers and drug and alcohol treatment service providers
Tertiary education and research sectors
State government
Education and health sectors
Peak bodies

ACCHOs
PHN and regional councils, networks and advisory groups
Community and social services



Activity Milestone Details/Duration

Activity Start Date

28/06/2019

Activity End Date

28/06/2024

Service Delivery Start Date

Service Delivery End Date

Other Relevant Milestones



Activity Commissioning

Please identify your intended procurement approach for commissioning services under this activity:

Not Yet Known: No

Continuing Service Provider / Contract Extension: Yes

Direct Engagement: Yes

Open Tender: No

Expression Of Interest (EOI): No

Other Approach (please provide details): No

Is this activity being co-designed?

No

Is this activity the result of a previous co-design process?

No

Do you plan to implement this Activity using co-commissioning or joint-commissioning arrangements?

No

Has this activity previously been co-commissioned or joint-commissioned?

No

Decommissioning

No

Decommissioning details?

Co-design or co-commissioning comments

These services are either placed based in communities and / or being delivered by ACCHOs or AMSs.

Is this activity in scope for data collection under the Alcohol and Other Drug Treatment Services?

No

**Activity Planned Expenditure****Planned Expenditure**

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27
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Social and Community Services Award (SACS) Component	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services Maintenance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Core Drug	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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Totals

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NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services Maintenance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Funding From Other Sources - Financial Details

Funding From Other Sources - Organisational Details



Activity Comments

Activity Status

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AOD - 150401 - Sector engagement and strategy development



Activity Metadata

Applicable Schedule *

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

Activity Prefix *

AOD

Activity Number *

150401

Activity Title *

Sector engagement and strategy development

Existing, Modified or New Activity *

Modified



Activity Priorities and Description

Program Key Priority Area *

Alcohol and Other Drugs

Other Program Key Priority Area Description**Aim of Activity ***

Strengthen collaboration, coordination and referral pathways across sectors and agencies to increase the early identification and early treatment of people impacted by substance misuse.

Improve and maintain the availability of and access to AOD services to ensure ongoing responsiveness to the needs of priority populations.

Description of Activity *

CCQ has established a single, region-wide governance structure as part of its reform commissioning approach. This structure integrates the management of services and capacity development across the healthcare spectrum, ensuring a cohesive approach. Further, it standardises service access and policy implementation across primary AOD services and tertiary healthcare providers, enhancing efficiency and effectiveness.

CCQ is also focusing on the strategic application of technology by AOD providers to increase service access and elevate care quality. This strategy extends beyond adding digital health options; it enhances care coordination and empowers the peer and lived experience workforce. By enabling these workers to operate within their local areas with greater clinical support, CCQ aims to optimise their effectiveness and community impact.

Furthermore, the unification of corporate governance at an operational level is expected to drive workforce development and overall sector engagement. This approach brings with it access to training and credentialing programs, along with robust organisational and administrative support. These measures are designed to build a capable and responsive workforce that can meet the dynamic needs of the community and the sector.

Through these actions, CCQ expects to work more closely with the AOD sector in refining the framework of MHAODSP services and ensuring a cohesive and regional strategic approach.

Needs Assessment Priorities *

Needs Assessment

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Priorities

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Activity Demographics

Target Population Cohort

Mental health, alcohol and other drug, and suicide prevention service planners, funders, providers and consumers.

In Scope AOD Treatment Type *

Indigenous Specific *

No

Indigenous Specific Comments

Coverage

Whole Region

Yes



Activity Consultation and Collaboration

Consultation

The Regional Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Advisory Group was established to engage with communities, community leaders and local ACCHOs.

Three regional forums were facilitated by the PHN, inviting key mainstream and Indigenous stakeholders from mental health, suicide prevention, alcohol and other drugs sectors across our region to gather input and feedback into our three-year Joint

Regional Plan and help guide our workforce development activities.

Collaboration

Hospital and Health Service
Mental health care providers
Drug and alcohol treatment service providers
Tertiary education and research sectors
State government
Peak bodies
ACCHOs
PHN regional councils, networks and advisory groups
Community and social services
People with a lived experience



Activity Milestone Details/Duration

Activity Start Date

30/05/2019

Activity End Date

28/06/2024

Service Delivery Start Date

01/07/2019

Service Delivery End Date

30/06/2024

Other Relevant Milestones



Activity Commissioning

Please identify your intended procurement approach for commissioning services under this activity:

Not Yet Known: No

Continuing Service Provider / Contract Extension: Yes

Direct Engagement: No

Open Tender: Yes

Expression Of Interest (EOI): No

Other Approach (please provide details): No

Is this activity being co-designed?

Is this activity the result of a previous co-design process?

No

Do you plan to implement this Activity using co-commissioning or joint-commissioning arrangements?

No

Has this activity previously been co-commissioned or joint-commissioned?

No

Decommissioning

Yes

Decommissioning details?

Decommissioning Partial. As a result of the reform open tender, existing providers will enter a transition period during Q1 of 24-25FY.

Co-design or co-commissioning comments



Activity Planned Expenditure

Planned Expenditure

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Social and Community Services Award (SACS) Component	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug and	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Alcohol Treatment Services Maintenance					
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$572,747.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Totals

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27	Total
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Social and Community Services Award (SACS) Component	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services Maintenance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$572,747.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$572,747.00
Total	\$0.00	\$572,747.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$572,747.00

Funding From Other Sources - Financial Details

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Funding From Other Sources - Organisational Details

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Activity Comments

Activity Status

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AOD - 150601 - NIAS Operational and Mainstream



Activity Metadata

Applicable Schedule *

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

Activity Prefix *

AOD

Activity Number *

150601

Activity Title *

NIAS Operational and Mainstream

Existing, Modified or New Activity *

Existing



Activity Priorities and Description

Program Key Priority Area *

Alcohol and Other Drugs

Other Program Key Priority Area Description**Aim of Activity ***

The activity aims to enhance drug and alcohol treatment services by increasing service availability through regional coordination and targeted commissioning. It focuses on improving treatment effectiveness and efficiency by fostering integration across various sectors and promoting evidence-based, culturally appropriate approaches. This initiative is part of a broader response to the National Ice Taskforce's recommendations and seeks to address specific community needs through targeted planning and improved care coordination.

Description of Activity *

The activity involves the implementation of strategies to enhance the availability and effectiveness of drug and alcohol treatment services within CCQ's region. This includes increasing regional coordination, commissioning additional services targeting areas of need, and improving integration and efficiency across different sectors involved in treatment. The activity also entails conducting a comprehensive needs assessment to inform the development of an evidence-based work plan, which addresses both national and local priorities for drug and alcohol treatment, ensuring services are responsive to the evolving needs of the community. Additionally, it supports the establishment of partnerships and the sharing of innovative practices across the network to improve care coordination and access to treatment, especially for vulnerable populations such as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Needs Assessment Priorities *

Needs Assessment

2021-24 Health Needs Assessment

Priorities

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Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health	79



Activity Demographics

Target Population Cohort

The target population primarily includes individuals requiring support and treatment for drug and alcohol issues within the CCQ region. Special emphasis is placed on addressing the needs of vulnerable populations, including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, to ensure that services are culturally appropriate and linked to broader Indigenous health services. Additionally, the activity aims to support clients with comorbid mental health disorders by promoting integrated treatment and referral pathways.

In Scope AOD Treatment Type *

Behavioral Therapies
Medication-Assisted Treatments (MAT)
Support for Comorbid Conditions
Community-Based Support Groups
Culturally Appropriate Services

Indigenous Specific *

No

Indigenous Specific Comments

Coverage

Whole Region

Yes



Activity Consultation and Collaboration

Consultation

This activity has been subject to region wide consultations in 23-24 FY under CCQ's reform, and will be subject to further consultation in 24-25 FY as the service undergoes refinement.

Collaboration

General practice

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Service Providers
Allied health professionals
Hospital and Health Service
Primary health care providers
NGOs
QNADA
Peak bodies
Consumers and carers



Activity Milestone Details/Duration

Activity Start Date

30/06/2016

Activity End Date

29/06/2026

Service Delivery Start Date

Service Delivery End Date

Other Relevant Milestones



Activity Commissioning

Please identify your intended procurement approach for commissioning services under this activity:

Not Yet Known: No

Continuing Service Provider / Contract Extension: Yes

Direct Engagement: No

Open Tender: Yes

Expression Of Interest (EOI): No

Other Approach (please provide details): No

Is this activity being co-designed?

Yes

Is this activity the result of a previous co-design process?

No

Do you plan to implement this Activity using co-commissioning or joint-commissioning arrangements?

No

Has this activity previously been co-commissioned or joint-commissioned?

No

Decommissioning

Yes

Decommissioning details?

Decommissioning Partial. As a result of the reform open tender, existing providers will enter a transition period during Q1 of 24-25FY.

Co-design or co-commissioning comments



Activity Planned Expenditure

Planned Expenditure

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Social and Community Services Award (SACS) Component	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services Maintenance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Totals

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27	Total
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
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NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services Maintenance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Funding From Other Sources - Financial Details

Funding From Other Sources - Organisational Details



Activity Comments

Activity Status

Submitted

PHN Comments

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AOD - 150701 - NIAS Aboriginal & TSI People



Activity Metadata

Applicable Schedule *

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

Activity Prefix *

AOD

Activity Number *

150701

Activity Title *

NIAS Aboriginal & TSI People

Existing, Modified or New Activity *

Existing



Activity Priorities and Description

Program Key Priority Area *

Alcohol and Other Drugs

Other Program Key Priority Area Description**Aim of Activity ***

This Activity is aimed at enhancing drug and alcohol treatment services specifically for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, focusing on increasing service availability and effectiveness through regional coordination and sector integration. It targets increasing access to culturally appropriate treatment services that link to broader Indigenous health services, improving care coordination at the local level, and supporting quality improvement in service delivery.

Description of Activity *

This activity focuses on enhancing drug and alcohol treatment services specifically for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities within the CCQ region. It aims to improve service availability and effectiveness through strategic commissioning and increased coordination among various sectors. Key efforts include undertaking a comprehensive needs assessment to identify local health needs and service gaps, planning and commissioning culturally appropriate treatment services, and ensuring integration with broader Indigenous health services. Additionally, the activity emphasizes strengthening linkages with mental health services and promoting education and training for health professionals to deliver culturally sensitive care. This initiative aligns with the Australian Government's response to the National Ice Taskforce Final Report, and aims to provide targeted, effective, and culturally safe treatment options that address the specific needs of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.

Needs Assessment Priorities *

Needs Assessment

2021-24 Health Needs Assessment

Priorities

Priority	Page reference
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health	79



Activity Demographics

Target Population Cohort

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people

In Scope AOD Treatment Type *

Culturally appropriate drug and alcohol treatment services
Integrated treatment and referral pathways for clients with comorbid mental health disorders
Education and training for health professionals on culturally appropriate care

Indigenous Specific *

Yes

Indigenous Specific Comments

Services are delivered by Indigenous led services across the region

Coverage

Whole Region

Yes



Activity Consultation and Collaboration

Consultation

This activity has been subject to region wide consultations in 23-24 FY under CCQ's reform, and will be subject to further consultation in 24-25 FY as the service undergoes refinement.

Collaboration

General practice
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Service Providers
Allied health professionals
Hospital and Health Service
Primary health care providers
NGOs
QNADA
Peak bodies
Consumers and carers



Activity Milestone Details/Duration

Activity Start Date

30/06/2016

Activity End Date

29/06/2026

Service Delivery Start Date

Service Delivery End Date

Other Relevant Milestones



Activity Commissioning

Please identify your intended procurement approach for commissioning services under this activity:

Not Yet Known: No

Continuing Service Provider / Contract Extension: Yes

Direct Engagement: No

Open Tender: Yes

Expression Of Interest (EOI): No

Other Approach (please provide details): No

Is this activity being co-designed?

Yes

Is this activity the result of a previous co-design process?

No

Do you plan to implement this Activity using co-commissioning or joint-commissioning arrangements?

No

Has this activity previously been co-commissioned or joint-commissioned?

No

Decommissioning

No

Decommissioning details?

Decommissioning Partial. As a result of the reform open tender, existing providers will enter a transition period during Q1 of 24-25FY

Co-design or co-commissioning comments



Activity Planned Expenditure

Planned Expenditure

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NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$836,090.71	\$819,861.61	\$832,160.25	\$0.00

Totals

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27	Total
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Social and Community Services Award (SACS) Component	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Increasing Access to Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services in Regional, Rural and Remote Areas	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services Maintenance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Operational and Mainstream	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Core Drug and Alcohol and Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
NIAS Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People	\$0.00	\$836,090.71	\$819,861.61	\$832,160.25	\$0.00	\$2,488,112.57
Total	\$0.00	\$836,090.71	\$819,861.61	\$832,160.25	\$0.00	\$2,488,112.57

Funding From Other Sources - Financial Details**Funding From Other Sources - Organisational Details****Activity Comments****Activity Status**

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AOD-GPS - 150501 - General practice support for drug and alcohol treatment funding



Activity Metadata

Applicable Schedule *

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

Activity Prefix *

AOD-GPS

Activity Number *

150501

Activity Title *

General Practice Support for Drug and Alcohol Treatment Funding

Existing, Modified or New Activity *

Modified



Activity Priorities and Description

Program Key Priority Area *

Alcohol and Other Drugs

Other Program Key Priority Area Description**Aim of Activity ***

The aim of this activity comprises the following key elements:

- Assisting GPs and other health professionals enhance their knowledge and application of alcohol and other drug addiction referral pathways, supporting improved access to drug and alcohol treatment
- Increasing awareness of and support GPs in using the range of evidence-based resources available to improve drug and alcohol addiction treatment
- Enhancing GPs capacity to provide frontline services, such as screening and brief intervention for patients experiencing, or at risk of experiencing, harm from problematic alcohol or drug use, in the primary healthcare setting

Description of Activity *

CCQ actively supports General Practice (GP) engagement in drug and alcohol treatment through a series of strategic and integrated initiatives. This includes supporting the continuous professional development (CPD) of GPs and health practitioners by sponsoring Clinical Society events. These events provide a platform for free engagement and professional development, focusing on, among many health issues, the intersection of Alcohol and Other Drugs services (AOD) within the primary care sector.

Additionally, CCQ manages HealthPathways, which ensures that up-to-date service information and access are readily available to GPs. This program is key in maintaining accurate and efficient referral pathways, enhancing the overall treatment landscape.

CCQ also operates the Head to Health phone service, a central intake and referral hub tailored for GPs, other health practitioners, and community members. This service includes purpose-built GP smartforms, which streamline access for service users seeking support for substance misuse, thereby facilitating quicker and more effective treatment referrals.

In line with mental health reforms, CCQ is unifying its AOD service network under a single approach to corporate and clinical governance across the Central Queensland, Wide Bay, and Sunshine Coast regions. This unification aims to enhance referral pathways for primary care health practitioners, ensuring that they are equipped with the necessary tools and information to effectively manage and refer AOD-related cases.

Needs Assessment Priorities *

Needs Assessment

2021-24 Health Needs Assessment

Priorities

Priority	Page reference
Alcohol and other drugs	49
Workforce	147
System Integration and Collaboration	149



Activity Demographics

Target Population Cohort

General Practitioners and other health professionals

In Scope AOD Treatment Type *

Indigenous Specific *

No

Indigenous Specific Comments

Coverage

Whole Region

Yes



Activity Consultation and Collaboration

Consultation

In 2024 the PHN will undertake region wide consultation.

Collaboration

GPLO
Hospital and Health Service
Mental health care providers
Drug and alcohol treatment service providers
Primary care providers
Tertiary education and research sectors
Peak bodies
QNADA



Activity Milestone Details/Duration

Activity Start Date

29/04/2020

Activity End Date

29/06/2024

Service Delivery Start Date

Service Delivery End Date

Other Relevant Milestones



Activity Commissioning

Please identify your intended procurement approach for commissioning services under this activity:

Not Yet Known: Yes
Continuing Service Provider / Contract Extension: No
Direct Engagement: No
Open Tender: No
Expression Of Interest (EOI): No
Other Approach (please provide details): No

Is this activity being co-designed?

No

Is this activity the result of a previous co-design process?

No

Do you plan to implement this Activity using co-commissioning or joint-commissioning arrangements?

No

Has this activity previously been co-commissioned or joint-commissioned?

No

Decommissioning

No

Decommissioning details?

Co-design or co-commissioning comments



Activity Planned Expenditure

Planned Expenditure

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
General Practice Support for Drug and Alcohol Addiction Treatment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Totals

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27	Total
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
General Practice Support for Drug and Alcohol Addiction Treatment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Funding From Other Sources - Financial Details



Activity Comments

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AOD-Op - 150101 - Drug and alcohol treatment services



Activity Metadata

Applicable Schedule *

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

Activity Prefix *

AOD-Op

Activity Number *

150101

Activity Title *

Drug and alcohol treatment services

Existing, Modified or New Activity *

Existing



Activity Priorities and Description

Program Key Priority Area ***Other Program Key Priority Area Description****Aim of Activity *****Description of Activity *****Needs Assessment Priorities *****Needs Assessment****Priorities**



Activity Demographics

Target Population Cohort

In Scope AOD Treatment Type *

Indigenous Specific *

Indigenous Specific Comments

Coverage

Whole Region



Activity Consultation and Collaboration

Consultation

Collaboration



Activity Milestone Details/Duration

Activity Start Date

Activity End Date

Service Delivery Start Date

Service Delivery End Date

Other Relevant Milestones



Activity Commissioning

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Not Yet Known: No
Continuing Service Provider / Contract Extension: No
Direct Engagement: No
Open Tender: No
Expression Of Interest (EOI): No
Other Approach (please provide details): No

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Decommissioning

Decommissioning details?

Co-design or co-commissioning comments



Activity Planned Expenditure

Planned Expenditure

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Drug & Alcohol - Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Totals

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27	Total
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug & Alcohol - Operational	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Funding From Other Sources - Financial Details

Funding From Other Sources - Organisational Details



Activity Comments

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AOD-Op - 150801 - Core AOD and Operational Funding



Activity Metadata

Applicable Schedule *

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services

Activity Prefix *

AOD-Op

Activity Number *

150801

Activity Title *

Core AOD and Operational Funding

Existing, Modified or New Activity *

Existing



Activity Priorities and Description

Program Key Priority Area ***Other Program Key Priority Area Description****Aim of Activity *****Description of Activity *****Needs Assessment Priorities *****Needs Assessment****Priorities**



Activity Demographics

Target Population Cohort

In Scope AOD Treatment Type *

Indigenous Specific *

Indigenous Specific Comments

Coverage

Whole Region



Activity Consultation and Collaboration

Consultation

Collaboration



Activity Milestone Details/Duration

Activity Start Date

Activity End Date

Service Delivery Start Date

Service Delivery End Date

Other Relevant Milestones



Activity Commissioning

Please identify your intended procurement approach for commissioning services under this activity:

Not Yet Known: No
Continuing Service Provider / Contract Extension: No
Direct Engagement: No
Open Tender: No
Expression Of Interest (EOI): No
Other Approach (please provide details): No

Is this activity being co-designed?

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Decommissioning

Decommissioning details?

Co-design or co-commissioning comments



Activity Planned Expenditure

Planned Expenditure

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Drug & Alcohol - Operational	\$0.00	\$190,591.07	\$193,733.91	\$196,704.62	\$0.00
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Totals

Funding Stream	FY 22 23	FY 23 24	FY 24 25	FY 25 26	FY 26 27	Total
Interest - Drug & Alcohol Treatment Services	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Drug & Alcohol - Operational	\$0.00	\$190,591.07	\$193,733.91	\$196,704.62	\$0.00	\$581,029.60
Total	\$0.00	\$190,591.07	\$193,733.91	\$196,704.62	\$0.00	\$581,029.60

Funding From Other Sources - Financial Details

Funding From Other Sources - Organisational Details



Activity Comments

Activity Status

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