

NCOSS regional visits in Deniliquin, Wagga Wagga and Albury 20-22 March 2012

Invitation: Speak up for regional NSW!

Who we are

The Council of Social Service of NSW (NCOSS) is the peak body for the non-government social and community services sector in NSW. NCOSS works on behalf of disadvantaged people and communities towards achieving social justice in NSW.

The purpose of our visits

Each year, NCOSS visits different rural and regional locations across NSW and holds community consultations. Our consultations are an opportunity to share information and discuss “big picture” issues such as the NSW State Budget, the Equal Remuneration Case and the NCOSS Pre Budget Submission to the NSW Government. We also seek your feedback about key local issues and potential solutions to address them. NCOSS Director Alison Peters and NCOSS Senior Policy and Project Officers will facilitate the consultations.

The aim of the NCOSS Regional Visits is to:

- Gather information on critical social issues important to non-government organisations and disadvantaged people in regional, rural and remote areas to inform NCOSS policy and advocacy
- Inform NCOSS members and others of the work that NCOSS does; and
- Build relationships between NGO services providers and NCOSS and amongst NGO services providers.

Who should attend?

Our consultations are aimed at workers, managers and board members of non-government not-for-profit human services. Community services workers in local government are also welcome.



NCOSS advocates for the right to self determination, autonomy and representation for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community services workers are encouraged to attend our consultations.

Deniliquin

Community consultation

20 March 2012

10am-2pm

Intereach
Cnr Napier and Trickett Street
Deniliquin

Wagga Wagga

Community consultation

21 March 2012

10am-2pm

Wagga Wagga Council
Cnr Baylis & Morrow Street
Wagga Wagga

Albury

Community consultation

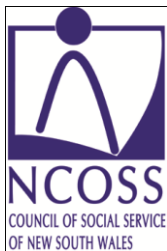
22 March 2012

10am-2pm

Mirambeena Community Centre
19 Martha Mews (off Moore
Street), Lavington

Morning tea and lunch will be provided. There is no cost to attend.

Please complete the Registration and Feedback Form overleaf and return it to Wendy Hall at NCOSS on wendy@ncoss.org.au, ph 02 9211 2599, ext 118 or fax to 02 9281 1968, or mail to NCOSS, 66 Albion Street, Surry Hills, 2010. **Please register by 13 March 2012.**



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Registration	
Which consultation will you attend? <i>(Please tick)</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Deniliquin 20 March <input type="checkbox"/> Wagga Wagga 21 March <input type="checkbox"/> Albury 22 March	
Your name	
Organisation	
Address	
Email	
Phone:	
Are there any additional requirements you need to assist with your attendance (eg, disability access)?	
Special dietary requirements?	
Feedback: What would you like to talk about?	
What are your Top 3 Issues? (either for your organisation, your clients, or in the local area). Your answers will help us get a sense of your discussion priorities and what issues you would like to ask questions about.	

What social policy or community sector issues would you like more information on? *(Please tick)*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> NSW State Budget
<input type="checkbox"/> Aged Care reforms
<input type="checkbox"/> Disability reforms
<input type="checkbox"/> National Health Reform
<input type="checkbox"/> Equal Remuneration Case
<input type="checkbox"/> Housing/homelessness
<input type="checkbox"/> Transport issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Sector reform
<input type="checkbox"/> Services to Aboriginal People
<input type="checkbox"/> NCOSS Community Cover
<input type="checkbox"/> NCOSS Management Support Unit
<input type="checkbox"/> Associations Incorporation Act
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
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