

Planning and Funding

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Dear Provider

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE PROVISION OF IMPLEMENTATION OF PRIMHD THE PROGRAMME FOR THE INTEGRATION OF MENTAL HEALTH DATA

The Canterbury District Health Board (CDHB) invites applications, from appropriately skilled individuals or organisations for the provision of implementation of PRIMHD, the Programme for the Integration of Mental Health Data.

The PRIMHD programme will integrate the existing Mental Health Information National Collection (MHINC) with the Mental Health Standard Measures of Assessment and Recovery initiative (MH-SMART) to form a single national data collection for mental health and addiction. The PRIMHD collection will collect both service activity data (such as the number of community contacts made by providers with unique consumers) as well as information on outcomes at local, regional and national levels.

Please find attached a hard copy of the Request for Proposal (RFP) that includes:

- RFP Information
- Service specifications these are intended as a guide only; providers are not to be constrained by the specifications and Canterbury DHB welcome innovative ideas.
- RFP Application form (Sections A, B, C, D and E)

The required forms must be completed and returned within the required timeframe if you wish to RFP in delivering these services.

Forms must be received no later than **12 noon Monday 30 November 2009** and addressed to:

PRIMHD – Planning & Funding RFP
Business Assurance
PO Box 1600
Level 5, Princess Margaret Hospital
Cashmere Road
Christchurch

Please ensure that your organisation reads the attached paper carefully and completes the requirements listed.

If you have any **questions about the RFP process**, please contact Lisa Tumahai on 03 364 4150 or email: lisa.tumahai@cdhb.govt.nz.

We look forward to receiving your RFP in the delivery of this service.

Yours sincerely



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