

Liaison on Alcohol and Other Drugs LOAD

Nelson

Meeting Record Thursday 26th February 2009

- Apologies:** Ally Avery, Fay March, John Price, Stephen Farquhar, Jan Hope, Lois Millar, Jan Anderson, Thelma Earle, Matthew McMillan, Phil Townshend, Eileen Varley
- Karakia:** Char Macpherson
- Welcome:** Char Macpherson, ADANZ
- Attendance:** See at the end of record

Presentations:

To see the Power points used at this meeting go to:

<http://www.adanz.org.nz/ADANZ/Subnav/Coordination/LOAD> choose your region and scroll down past the meeting dates.

- **Consumer Advisors South Island Regional Service: The big picture**
Margaret Bates: Regional Consumer Advisor, South Island Regional AOD Consumer Services
- **Workshop: NSF Alcohol and Other Drug Service Specifications**
- **Discussion: CYPF (Youth Courts Jurisdiction and Orders) Amendment Bill**
Char Macpherson: Policy, ADANZ

National Addiction Sector Updates, Research & Report Hot Points & Diary Events

- Alcohol Drug Helpline Call Back Pilot, for further information email mel.johns@adanz.org.nz, www.alcoholdrughelp.org.nz
- Matua Raki now hosted by Te Rau Matatini www.matuaraki.org.nz
- Talking Therapies: two new documents, the Report and the Action Plan, are now available www.tepou.co.nz
- Getting it Right for People with Co-existing Addiction and Mental Health Problems: http://www.mhc.govt.nz/media_releases/topics/show/135-18-december-2008-getting-it-right-for-people-with-co-existing-addiction-and-mental-health-problems

Diary notes

- Addiction Treatment Leadership Day 12 March in Christchurch Hotel Grand Chancellor, Cashel St. Theme: Leadership, Advocacy and Innovation. *This is the last Leadership Day being organized by NCAT and the responsibility will then move directly to Matua Raki as the Addiction Workforce Development Programme.* Notes and further information on <http://www.matuaraki.org.nz/> click the *NCAT Sector Voice*

Local Service News

CAYAD working in Nelson. Pilot one year project. Planning for region to June 2010. Motueka High Education re AOD and Bullying Violence, focus community involved not just school. Meetings on 10 March and 12 March evening. Contact Alison, Health Action. Separate Focus Groups for families and consumers. Mental Health / Alcohol and Other Drug not specific.

Karakia: Char Macpherson

Meeting closed at 12.00pm Attendees: 10

Suggestions for agenda to Char Macpherson: email: char.macpherson@adanz.org.nz. Please note: These notes are a summary of opinions expressed by meeting attendees. If anyone would like further information please email reception@adanz.org.nz