SER VICE MAPPING PROJECT FOR PARRAMATTA R EG 10 N HOMELESSNESS INTERAGENCY

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Organisations:

Adele House

Anglicare (Anglicare Street Outreach, Carramar and Reconnect)

Centrelink (Western Sydney)

Cumberland Women's Health Centre

Grandview Lodge

Granville Multicultural Community Centre

High St Youth Health Services, Sydney Western Area Health Service

Hillsong City Care

Holroyd Youth Services, Holroyd City Council

Homeless Outreach Team, Sydney Western Area Health Service

Housing NSW (Western Sydney)

Jesus Cares 4 U

Mission Australia (Gateway, Men's Accommodation and Referral Service and Brokerage Service, and Michael's Intensive Supported Housing Accord)

Parramatta Baptist Church

Parramatta City Council

Parramatta Mission (Kelly's Cottage, Thelma Brown Cottage, Leigh Transitional Rehabilitation, Hope Hostel, Meals Plus, Val Cottage, Koompartoo, Parrahouse and May Hills Bed Sit)

Pendle Hill Crisis Centre

Pingaree House

Salvation Army (Parramatta)

St Vincent De Paul (Cardinal Freeman Centre and Our Lady of Way)

Stepping Stone

Street Level Christian Community

Telopea Family Services

Wesley Mission – Assistance with Care and Housing for the Aged (Sydney West)

Western Housing for Youth

Youth Accommodation Association

Youth Off The Streets

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Service Mapping Project BACKGROUND

This project was developed and produced as part of the student placement with the Parramatta Region Homelessness Interagency. Students were based at Parramatta City Council which provides a secretariat role to the Interagency.

The processes of this project involved background and desktop research and interviews with service providers that work with the homeless community. Students organised visits with service providers to gather information about their service including what they provided (workshop programs, case management, meals, counselling etc.), their connections with other services, and their criteria/eligibility of who they provide services to. Follow up phone calls and emails were sent to clarify information. The information gathered from service providers were collated into tables and a service map.

This project does not include recommendations; however a summary of the findings has been included. Students acknowledge that information provided will change and people may want to alter information in the future. This can be done by contacting the Parra Region Homelessness Interagency.

Service Mapping PROJECT

AIMS:

- To improve service delivery/quality/consistency of services for people affected by homelessness
- To resource services regarding other agencies/services
 - To identify which agencies provide specific types of services (e.g. Accommodation, Workshops, Counselling etc.)
 - To make it easier for services to refer clients
- To help the Interagency see where there are strong partnerships between agencies
 - To show where there are opportunities for agencies to collaborate or establish strong links with each other
- To provide services with the opportunity to learn from each other
- To gather information about the gaps in services for homeless people that services may have encountered
 - To raise awareness of services that appears to be isolated or not to be as well connected as others
- To assist the Interagency to identify where additional resources/services are needed

TARGET GROUPS:

- Individual service providers
- The Interagency
- Peak bodies
- Funding bodies
- People who are homeless

Abbreviations

ACHA: Assistance with Care and Housing for the Aged

AOD: Alcohol or Drugs

DV: Domestic Violence

EAPA: Energy Accounts Payments Assistance

ECCA: Ecumenical Catholic Church of Australia

HCC: Holroyd City Council

HSYHS: High St Youth Health Services

MA: Mission Australia

MARS: Men's Accommodation and Referral Service

MH: Mental Health

MISHA: Michael's Intensive Supported Housing Accord

NILS: No Interest Loan Scheme

PM: Parramatta Mission

SAAP: Supported Accommodation Assistance Program

SVDP: St Vincent De Paul

SWAHS: Sydney Western Area Health Services

WHY: Western Housing for Youth

YOTS: Youth Off The Streets

DEFINTIONS

Accommodation: Service or agency that provides accommodation for homeless people

Case Management: The identification and coordination by staff member/s of an agency of services

a person affected by homelessness may need

Connection/Partnership: Most agencies/services, whether government or not for profit, have

connections with each other. In some instances these are limited whilst in others they describe rich

relationships. It can be said that connections between agencies/services can be described using a

continuum: at one end are limited links and connections and at the other end are rich relationships.

In this resource, only two definitions are used describing the links between agencies/services, as

follows:

Connection: this includes limited links/relationships e.g. agencies/services connected

through funding provided/received, one agency delivering services at the site of another, some

agencies distributing resources/referral information of other services etc.

Partnership: this includes strong links/relationships not only at a service level but between

people in agencies/services e.g. agencies/services sharing services, resources, making regular

supported cross referrals etc.

Counselling: The provision of counselling services to clients provided at an agency

Employment: A range of programs provided at an agency that assist people to find employment, or

provide resources (e.g. computer) to look for employment

Health (medical and/or mental health): Includes direct provision of a range of health services

(physical and mental) e.g. providing services such as visits from the Homeless Outreach Team,

running clinics or accompanying clients to medical appointments

Meals: The provision of meals at the agency or the provision of meal vouchers/parcels, or provision

of free meals in public space (e.g. Prince Alfred Park, food van)

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Outreach: Involves strategies that increase people's access to services that they need where the primary ways of working are building relationships with clients in a range of external places to connect to service providers and also building relationships with other services to increase client's access to them

Workshop programs: Agencies either directly provides workshop programs on site or at other premises, or staff from other agencies run their workshops at the agency. Workshop programs run over a period of time and cover a range of issues including improving and maintaining people's living skills, independence, social skills, and emotional development etc.

SERVICE MAPPING PROJECT SUMMARY OF RESULTS

- * According to the information gathered by students from services that have been visited by them between August-September 2010:
 - Youth services have the most diverse range of services (accommodation, health service, street outreach)
 - High St Youth Health Service has the most connections with other services
 - There are 73 beds available for young people who are homeless
 - The majority of beds in the area for homeless people are for men (95¹)
 - All of the men's services are accommodation based
 - Adele (male accommodation service) is the only service that targets males who have alcohol/drug issues
 - Half of the women's services are for women surviving domestic violence
 - Only a small portion of women's services allow children to reside in their service
 - Of the services that take in children, the eldest male child that is accepted is 12 years old
 - There are 57 beds available for homeless women
 - Most services are run by larger organisations (e.g. Anglicare, Mission Australia, Parramatta Mission, St Vincent De Paul)
 - Most of the services are part of larger religious organisation
 - Most services are well located near public transport
 - Most services are in close proximity to each other
 - There are two secure and confidential accommodation houses, one for young females (15-19 years), the other for young people (16-18 years) with complex needs such as mental health, alcohol or drug issues, or dual diagnosis
 - Only a few services support clients with employment in terms of accessing a computer to search for employment, or being connected to employment services
 - Most accommodation services are medium-long term (6-24 months)

The bed count has not included Michael's Intensive Supported Housing Accord (MISHA)

^{*} Accommodation services that provide units have been counted as 1 bed per unit (e.g. 1 unit = 1 bed)

- Most services require residents to participate in programs² be studying/employed or looking for employment
- There are a limited number of services that take in complex needs clients who may have alcohol/drug issues or mental health issues
- Most workshop/programs are only available to clients who are staying in the service, i.e. a resident
- There are a limited number of homeless services for people who are Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, from Culturally and Linguistically Diverse backgrounds, are elderly, Gay, Lesbian, or Transgender
- All services report that access to permanent housing is severely limited
- There are limited accommodation services for families
- Most services in the Parramatta region are members of the Parra Region Homelessness
 Interagency
- There are limited connections with corrective services and legal services
- Only a few services have a connection with TAFE

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² Programs such as living skills, parenting groups, educational programs etc.

CHECKLIST OF THE SERVICES AGENCIES PROVIDE

		Case		Workshop					
	Accommodation	Management	Health	programs	Counselling	Employment	Outreach	Meals	Other
Adele House	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Anglicare Street Outreach									
(Anglicare)		✓					✓	√(vouchers)	
Assistance with Care and Housing									
for the Aged (WM)		√(short term)					✓		
Cardinal Freeman Centre (SVDP)	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	
Carramar (Anglicare)	✓	✓		✓	✓				
Centrelink					✓(short term)		✓		Information and assistance with forms and payments
Cumberland Women's Health									
Centre		\checkmark		✓					
Dunlea (YOTS)		✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	
Gateway Program (MA)	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	
Grandview Lodge	✓							✓	
Granville Multicultural Centre				•	referrals				
High Street Youth Health Services (SWAHS)			✓	✓	√		√		
Hillsong City Care				✓	✓			√ (vouchers, Blacktown LGA only)	vouchers
Holroyd Youth Services (HCC)	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
Homeless Outreach Team(SWAHS)			✓						
Hope Hostel (PM)	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	
Housing NSW	·								Provide information about housing
Jesus Cares 4 U								√	Blankets, clothing, linen

^{*} MEN'S SERVICES WOMEN'S SERVICES YOUTH SERVICES

^{*} Ticks show services that are provided directly by agencies

^{*} Information gathered August – September 2010

CHECKLIST OF THE SERVICES AGENCIES PROVIDE

		Case		Workshop					
	Accommodation	Management	Health	programs	Counselling	Employment	Outreach	Meals	Other
Kelly's Cottage (PM)	✓	✓		✓	✓				
Koompartoo (PM)	✓	✓					✓	✓	
Leigh Transitional Rehabilitation									
(PM)	✓		✓	✓					
Mays Hill (PM)	✓	✓							
	√(temp. through								
MARS Brokerage (MA)	motels)	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	√(vouchers)	
Meals Plus (PM)		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
Men's Accommodation and									
Referral Services (MA)	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		
Michael's Intensive Supported									
Housing Accord (MA)	✓	✓					✓		
Our Lady of Way (SVDP)	✓	✓	✓		✓			✓	
Parrahouse (PM)	✓	✓		✓	✓				
Parramatta Baptist Church			✓	✓	✓			✓	Vouchers (EAPA)
Pendle Hill Crisis Centre	✓	✓		✓			✓	✓	
Pingaree House (ECCA)	✓							✓	
Reconnect (Anglicare)		✓		✓	✓				Mediation, home visits
Salvation Army								✓ (parcels)	Vouchers (EAPA)
Stepping Stone								✓	
Street Level / PSYP					✓		✓		
Telopea Family Services								√(vouchers)	Toys, Clothes, NILS
								(123211210)	Private dental once
Val Cottage (PM)	√	√							a year
Western Housing for Youth	✓	✓		✓	<u> </u>	✓			

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	ACCOMMODATION	HEALTH	MENTAL HEALTH	CASE MANAGEMENT	WORKSHOP PROGRAMS	MEALS
YOUTH	CRISIS: PARRAHOUSE (6 BEDS) (16-18, does take young people with complex needs) MEDIUM-LONG: GRANDVIEW LODGE (4 BEDS) (females 15-19 in full time school with no AOD or severe MH issues, compulsory program) HOLROYD YOUTH SERVICES (8 INDIVIDUAL UNITS) (16-25 who have their own income, its compulsory to be studying, working or looking for work) KOOMPARTOO (6 BEDS) (17-24, can take people with mental health and AOD issues but have to be in treatment) MAYS HILL (12 BEDS) (17-24, transitional low needs service) WHY (31 BEDS & 7BEDS FROM COMMUNITY HOUSING) (16-21, doesn't provide 24 hr intensive support)	HSYHS (SWAHS) (clinic) PARRAHOUSE (clinic)	HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM (SWAHS) HSYHS (SWAHS)	PARRAHOUSE RECONNECT WHY	HOLROYD YOUTH SERVICES (HCC) HSYHS (SWAHS) PARRAHOUSE RECONNECT WHY	PARRAHOUSE (rent includes cost of meals)

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	ACCOMMODATION	HEALTH	MENTAL HEALTH	CASE MANAGEMENT	WORKSHOP PROGRAMS	MEALS
MEN	CRISIS: HOPE HOSTEL (21 BEDS AND 4 EMERGENCY BEDS) (men 18+) MARS BROKERAGE (TEMP ACCOMMODATION THROUGH MOTELS) MEDIUM-LONG: ADELE HOUSE (FOR PEOPLE WITH DRUG AND ALCOHOL ISSUES) (14 BEDS STAGE 1, 5 BEDS STAGE 3) (men 18-65, total abstinence from drug and alcohol, compulsory program) CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE (15 BEDS) (men 18+ with no AOD issues) GATEWAY (55 BEDS) (men 18+) LEIGH TRANSITIONAL REHAB (10 BEDS) (men 25+) MARS (11 BEDS) (men 18+)	ADELE HOUSE (accompany to medical appointments) CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE HOPE HOSTEL LEIGH TRANSITIONAL REHAB	ADELE HOUSE HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM (SWAHS) HOPE HOSTEL LEIGH TRANSITIONAL REHAB	ADELE HOUSE CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE HOPE HOSTEL LEIGH TRANSITIONAL REHAB MARS BROKERAGE	ADELE HOUSE CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE HOPE HOSTEL LEIGH TRANSITIONAL REHAB	ADELE HOUSE (rent includes cost of meals) CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE (rent includes cost of meals) GATEWAY (rent includes cost of meals) HOPE (rent includes cost of meals) LEIGH TRANSITIONAL REHAB (rent includes cost of meals) MARS BROKERAGE (vouchers)

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	ACCOMMODATION	HEALTH	MENTAL	CASE	WORKSHOP PROGRAMS	MEALS
			HEALTH	MANAGEMENT		
WOMEN	CRISIS:	OUR LADY OF	HOMELESS	CARRAMAR	CARRAMAR	OUR LADY OF THE
	OUR LADY OF THE WAY (5 BEDS + 2	THE WAY	OUTREACH			WAY (rent includes
	EMERGENCY BEDS)	(initial medical	TEAM (SWAHS)	CUMBERLAND	CUMBERLAND	cost of meals)
	(single women 50+ with no AOD or gambling addictions)	appointments are made)		WOMEN'S	WOMEN'S HEALTH	DENIDLE LIIL
		are made,	OUR LADY OF	HEALTH CENTRE	CENTRE	PENDLE HILL CRISIS CENTRE
	PENDLE HILL CRISIS CENTRE		THE WAY		WELLY 0.00 1.050	WOMENS
	WOMENS REFUGE (12 BEDS)			KELLYS COTTAGES	KELLYS COTTAGES	REFUGE (rent
	(women with children up to 12 years of age)			OUD LADY OF THE	OUD LADY OF THE WAY	includes cost of
	THELMA BROWN COTTAGES (7			OUR LADY OF THE	OUR LADY OF THE WAY	meals)
	INDIVIDUAL UNITS WITH 2-5 BEDS			VVAT	PENDLE HILL CRISIS	
	in each)			PENDLE HILL	CENTRE WOMENS	
	,			CRISIS CENTRE	REFUGE	
	MEDIUM-LONG:			WOMENS		
	CARRAMAR (9 INDIVIDUAL UNITS			REFUGE	THELMA BROWN	
	WITH 2-3 BEDS in each)				COTTAGES	
	(women under 26 with children aged 0-5, compulsory attendance to group work)			THELMA BROWN		
	compaisory attendance to group work)			COTTAGE		
	KELLYS COTTAGES (11 BEDS)					
	(women 18+ with no dependent children, must be in					
	a program if there's an AOD issue)					
	PENDLE HILL CRISIS CENTRE					
	WOMENS REFUGE (8 INDIVIDUAL					
	UNITS)					
	(women with children up to 12 years of age)					
	VAL COTTAGE (5 BEDS)					
	(women 17-24)					

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	ACCOMMODATION	HEALTH	MENTAL HEALTH	CASE MANAGEMENT	WORKSHOP PROGRAMS	MEALS
FAMILIES	CRISIS: PINGAREE HOUSE (8 INDIVIDUAL UNITS) (18+ with no AOD issues, can take couples but no children, all residents must be referred through Housing NSW)					PINGAREE HOUSE (rent includes cost of meals)
	MEDIUM-LONG: PINGAREE HOUSE (20 INDIVIDUAL UNITS) (18+ with no AOD issues, can take couples but no children, all residents must be referred through Housing NSW)					
ELDERLY	OUR LADY OF THE WAY (5 BEDS + 2 EMERGENCY BEDS)	OUR LADY OF THE WAY (initial medical appointments are made)	HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM (SWAHS)	ACHA OUR LADY OF THE WAY	OUR LADY OF THE WAY	OUR LADY OF THE WAY (rent includes cost of meals)
ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDERS						
CALD						

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CRITERIA/ELIGIBILITY OF SERVICES

NAME OF AGENCY	CRITERIA/ELIGIBILITY
ACHA	Male & Female 60+
	 Homeless or living in insecure accommodation or on
	government pension
Adele House (A)	• Males 18-65
	 Total abstinence from drug and alcohol
	Compulsory program
Anglicare Street Outreach	 Male & Female 12 – 25 years
Parramatta Baptist Church	 Anyone is able to access the service
Cardinal Freeman (A)	 Men 18+ who do not have any AOD issues
Carramar	 Mothers aged 26 and under with children 0-5 years
	 Compulsory attendance to group work
Cumberland Women's Health Centre	 Women escaping domestic violence or those who are refugees
Dunlea	Male & Female 14-18 years
Gateway (A)	• Men 18+
Grandview Lodge	Females 15-19 years
	Must be in full time school
	 Compulsory participation is independent skills program
	 Do not take people with AOD or severe Mental health issues
Granville Multicultural Community Centre	 Anyone can access the centre who is at risk of being homeless,
	the centre doesn't focus on people who are already homeless
High St Youth Service, SWAHS	 Male & Female 12-25 years of age that live, work or study in
	the Auburn, Parramatta, Holroyd and Baulkham Hills LGA
Holroyd Youth Services, HCC (A)	 Male & Female 16-25 years who have their own income
	 It's compulsory to be studying, working, or looking for work

^{* (}A) Accommodation services

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CRITERIA/ELIGIBILITY OF SERVICES

NAME OF AGENCY	CRITERIA/ELIGIBILITY
Hope Hostel (A)	• Men 18+
Housing NSW	 Anyone who needs housing or those eligible to receive housing assistance
Kelly's Cottage (PM) (A)	 Women 18+ with no dependent children Must be in a program if there's AOD issues
Koompartoo (A)	Male & Female 17 - 24
Leigh Transitional Rehabilitation Service (A)	• Men 25+
MARS (A)	• Men 18+
Mays Hill (A)	Male & Female 17 - 24
Our Lady Of The Way (A)	Single women 50+
	 Don't take women with AOD or gambling addictions
Parrahouse (A)	 Male & Female 16 - 18 years of age (takes complex needs
	young people)
Pendle Hill Crisis Centre (Women's refuge) (A)	Women with children
	No boys 12+
Pingaree House (A)	Male & Female 18+
	 Can take couples but no children
	No AOD issues
	 All residents come from referrals through Housing NSW
Reconnect	Male & Female 12-18 years
	 Male & Female 12-21 years who are newly arrived to Australia
Val Cottage (A)	• Women 17 – 24
Western Housing for Youth (A)	 Male & Female 16 - 21 years of age

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SUPPORT PROGRAMS / WORKSHOPS

Agency	Support programs/workshops
Adele house	* Only for accommodation clients
	- Living skills
	- Personal objectives
	- Relapse prevention
	- Criminal thinking
	- Communication skills group
Carramar	* Open to everyone
	- Parenting group
	- Living skills
	- Personal development
Cardinal Freeman Centre	* Only for accommodation clients
	- Beyond the Link (living skills, health, financial management, employment etc.)
Cumberland Women's Health	* Open to everyone
	- Group work (D.V and Anger Management)
	- Legal workshops
Dunlea	* Open to everyone
	- Drug and alcohol day program
	- School and communication support program
Hillsong City Care	* Open to everyone
	- Sexual abuse program
	- Self esteem program
	- D.V program
	- Budgeting workshops
	- Grief and loss workshops
High St Youth Health Services,	* Open to everyone
SWAHS	- Group work (Rock and Water)
	- Workshops depend on the issues that the young people are experiencing at that particular time

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SUPPORT PROGRAMS / WORKSHOPS

Agency	Support programs/workshops
Holroyd Youth Services, HCC	* Open to everyone
	- Building self esteem through music and production workshops
Kelly's Cottage	* Only for accommodation clients
	- Self esteem seminars
Leigh Transitional Rehabilitation	* Only for accommodation clients
	- An educational program focusing on particular issues such as gambling/ AOD
Our Lady of Way	* Only for accommodation clients
	- Living skills
Parrahouse	* Only for accommodation clients
	- In house program twice a week depending on the issues that the residents are experiencing at that
	particular time (can range from AOD to social skills etc.)
Parramatta Baptist Church	* Open to everyone
	- Parenting courses
	- Budgeting workshops
Western Housing for Youth	* Only for accommodation clients
	- Living skills
Reconnect	* Open to everyone
	Group work:
	- R.A.G.E (Renavigating Anger and Guilty Emotions)
	- M.A.A.D (Managing Angry Adolescents Differently)
	- Family Harmony
	- Managing the Bull (coping with Bullying and Building Social Resilience)
Telopea Family Support Services	* Open to everyone
	- Parenting groups
	- Self esteem groups
	- Stress management
	- Autism support program

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AGENCY	PARTNERSHIPS	HOW THE AGENCIES ARE LINKED
ANGLICARE		
(A) CARRAMAR		
(A) RECONNECT	HSYHS	- RUN WORKSHOPS THERE
	HILLSONG CITY CARE	- IN THE PROCESS OF USING THE SHINE PROGRAM
(A) STREET OUTREACH	MARS BROKERAGE	- BROKERAGE
	HSYHS	- SHARE CLIENTS, MATERIAL AID, SHARED PROJECT
ECUMENICAL CATHOLIC CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA		
(ECCA) PINGAREE HOUSE	HOUSING NSW	- ALL REFERRALS COME FROM HOUSING NSW
PARRAMATTA MISSION		
(PM) HOPE	CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE	- TRANSITIONING ACCOMMODATION
	MENS ACCOMMODATION AND REFERRAL SERVICES	- TRANSITIONING ACCOMMODATION
	HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM	- REFERRAL FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
	HOUSING NSW	- RUN WORKSHOPS ABOUT HOUSING
	PROBATION AND PAROLE	- PLANNED EXITS FROM PROBATION AND PAROL
(PM) KELLYS COTTAGES	WOMEN'S PRISION (DILLWYNIA)	- AGREEMENT TO ACCEPT WOMEN BEING RELEASED INTO THE COTTAGES
	HOUSING NSW	- BROKERAGE
(PM) KOOMPARTOO	HSYHS	- HEALTH SERVICES, ART THERAPY, QUIT SMOKING PROGRAM
	HYS	- RESIDENTS COME FOR A MEAL AND GROUP WORK ONCE A WEEK
(PM) LEIGH TRANSITIONAL REHAB		

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AGENCY	PARTNERSHIPS	HOW THE AGENCIES ARE LINKED		
(PM) MAYS HILL	HSYHS	- HEALTH SERVICES		
	HYS	- RESIDENTS COME FOR A MEAL AND GROUP WORK ONCE A		
		WEEK		
(PM) MEALS PLUS	HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM	- REFERRAL FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES		
	HOMELESS PERSONS LEGAL SERVICE - LEGAL SERVICE			
(PM) PARRAHOUSE	HSYHS	- CROSS REFERRALS FOR HEALTH, ACCOMMODATION AND		
		SUPPORT PROGARMS		
(PM) THELMA BROWN COTTAGES	HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM	- REFERRAL FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES		
(PM) VAL COTTAGE	HSYHS	- HEALTH SERVICES		
MISSION AUSTRALIA				
	CARDINAL EDGENAAN CENTRE	TRANSITIONING ACCOMMAGRATION		
(MA) AAFAIS ACCOMMADD ATION AND	CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE	- TRANSITIONING ACCOMMODATION		
(MA) MENS ACCOMMODATION AND	НОРЕ	- TRANSITIONING ACCOMMODATION		
REFERRAL SERVICES (MARS)	CARDINAL EDGEMANI CENTRE	TDANICITIONING ACCOMMADDATION		
(NAA) AAABS BBOKEBASE	CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE	- TRANSITIONING ACCOMMODATION		
(MA) MARS BROKERAGE	STREET OUTREACH	- BROKERAGE		
ST VINCENT DE PAUL				
(SVDP) CARDINAL FREEMAN	HOPE	- TRANSITIONING ACCOMMODATION		
	MARS	- TRANSITIONING ACCOMMODATION		
	GATEWAY PROGRAM	- TRANSITIONING ACCOMMODATION		
	HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM	- REFERRAL FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES		
	TAFE	- BEYOND THE LINK PROGRAM		
	HOMELESS PERSONS' LEGAL SERVICE	- LEGAL SERVICE		
(SVDP) OUR LADY OF THE WAY	HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM	- REFERRAL FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES		
WESLEY MISSION				
(WM) ASSISTANCE WITH CARE AND				
HOUSING FOR THE AGED (ACHA)				

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AGENCY	PARTNERSHIPS	HOW THE AGENCIES ARE LINKED		
YOUTH OFF THE STREETS				
(YOTS) DUNLEA				
OTHER:				
ADELE HOUSE				
CUMBERLAND WOMENS HEALTH CENTRE				
GRANDVIEW LODGE	HSYHS	- CROSS REFERRAL		
GRANVILLE MULTICULTURAL CENTRE				
HIGH ST YOUTH HEALTH SERVICES, SWAHS	PARRAHOUSE	- CROSS REFERRALS FOR ACCOMMODATION, SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND HEALTH		
	WHY	- CROSS REFERRALS FOR ACCOMMODATION, SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND HEALTH		
	RECONNECT	- SOME WORKSHOPS RUN BY RECONNECT		
	STREET OUTREACH	- SHARE CLIENTS, MATERIAL AID, SHARED PROJECT		
	HOLROYD YOUTH SERVICES	- PROVIDE RESOURCES FOR PROJECTS		
	GRANDVIEW LODGE	- CROSS REFERRALS		
	KOOMPARTOO	- HEALTH SERVICES, ART THERAPY, QUIT SMOKING		
		PROGRAM		
	MAYS HILL	- HEALTH SERVICES		
	VAL COTTAGE	- HEALTH SERVICES		

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AGENCY	PARTNERSHIPS	HOW THE AGENCIES ARE LINKED	
HILLSONG CITY CARE	CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE	- IN THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPING A COOKING PROGRAM	
		EVERY THURSDAY	
	MISSION AUSTRALIA HOSTEL IN GRANVILLE	- REPLACING KITCHEN (BEING FINALISED) - DELIVER SUPPORT PROGRAM BEFORE THEY'RE RELEASED	
	PARKLEA DRUG UNIT		
	RECONNECT	- IN THE PROCESS OF GETTING RECONNECT CLIENTS INTO	
		THE SHINE PROGRAM	
HOLROYD YOUTH SERVICES, HCC	KOOMPARTOO	- RESIDENTS COME FOR A MEAL AND GROUP WORK ONCE A	
, , , , ,		WEEK	
	HSYHS	- CROSS REFERRALS FOR SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND	
		WORKSHOPS	
	MAYS HILL	- RESIDENTS COME FOR A MEAL AND GROUP WORK ONCE A	
		WEEK	
HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM, SWAHS	HOPE	- PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	
	CARDINAL FREEMAN CENTRE	- PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	
	GATEWAY	- PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	
	THELMA BROWN COTTAGES	- PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	
	OUR LADY OF THE WAY - PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES		
	MEALS PLUS	- PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	
	LEIGH TRANSITIONAL REHAB	- PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	
JESUS CARES 4 U			
PARRAMATTA BAPTIST CHURCH	STEPPING STONE	- PROVIDE SUNDAY LUNCH MEALS	
	STREET LEVEL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY	- WORKING TOGETHER FOR THE PARRAMATTA STREET YOUTH PROJECT	

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PENDLE HILL CRISIS CENTRE	BURNSIDE	- FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS		
SALVATION ARMY				
STEPPING STONE	CORRECTIVE SERVICES	- PLACEMENTS (COMMUNITY SERVICE)		
	PARRAMATTA BAPTIST CHURCH	- SUNDAY LUNCH MEALS		
STREET LEVEL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY	PARRAMATTA BAPTIST CHURCH	- WORKING TOGETHER FOR THE PARRAMATTA STREET YOUTH PROJECT		
TELOPEA FAMILY SERVICES				
WESTERN HOUSING FOR YOUTH	HSYHS	- CROSS REFERRALS FOR ACCOMMODATION, SUPPORT PROGRAMS AND HEALTH		

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* This map illustrates connections without attempting to describe the level of that connection (some connections may be with little contact, others are much stronger)

Services member of the Interagency: the agency is a member of the Parramatta Region Homelessness Interagency

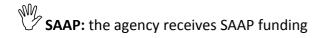


Connection with Housing NSW: the agency has a connection with Housing NSW



Connection with Community Housing: the agency has a connection with Community Housing

Centrelink: the agency has a connection with Centrelink



Community Services: the agency has a connection with Community Service

Homeless Outreach Team: Members of the Homeless Outreach Team make visits to the agencies and provide mental health services to the homeless people

Corrective services: the agency has a connection with corrective services (such as prisons, probation and parole, juvenile justice)

TAFE: agency is linked to TAFE through the provision of courses and/or student placements at the agency

Connection to legal services: agency has a connection to the Homeless Person's Legal Service