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Access to services

We need more GP's, they change every three months and we have to keep telling our story.

We want someone to talk to in our schools or towns, but don't call them mental health, social worker or GP.

I couldn't get into the Dentist for two months, so I had to pay for a private appointment. As a foster carer, I can't access medication for children in my care.

Access to services

In Latrobe there was a six month wait to see a psychiatrist so I went to Warragul.

Services need to listen to people who are yelling out for help

I'd like to see diabetes education services in homes.

We need support for people who are struggling with stress and financial pressures

Support from Quantum and Anglicare has been quick and responsive.

I enjoy good services from Hazelwood GP and LHS Dental.

Aged care services in the area are pretty good.

I caught the bus to LRH, was met by a volunteer and received service straight away.

My husband volunteers at LCHS in Churchill and it is very good for him.

I'm on the way to visit my old neighbour with some magazines.

I go to the shopping centres for company and like to volunteer.

There is a lack of parenting groups in my area.

There are lots of activities but some people don't leave their house.

We need to engage young people. I don't see kids out and about any more.

Alcohol and Drugs | Community Safety

Sometimes I'm afraid to walk the streets by myself.

The home environment needs to be more stable and loving.

Drugs are an issue and Police need to do more raids.

We need more police. There are lots of drug buyers and sellers.

Some parents
have alcohol
and drug issues.
It comes from
the way they
were brought up.

Day 1 – Top Topics

- 1. Alcohol and drugs
- 2. Access to services
- 3. Mental health and wellbeing

Day 2 – Top Topics

- 1. Social inclusion
- 2. Access to services
- 3. Alcohol and drugs

Day 3 – Top Topics

- 1. Access to services
- 2. Community safety
- 3. Employment

Day 4 – Top Topics

- 1. Social inclusion
- 2. Access to services
- 3. Community safety

The Top Five

- 1. Access to services
- 2. Social inclusion
- 3. Alcohol and drugs
- 4. Mental health and wellbeing
- 5. Community safety

People have talked to me about...

People have talked to me about improving access to health services, alcohol and drugs, social inclusion, community safety, mental health and wellbeing, employment, the importance of exercise and healthy eating, concerns about smoking and lots more.