

Chronic Conditions Model of Care Announcement

Process Timeline

Date	Activity
July 2015 - 30 March 2016	Baseline Needs Assessment prepared
Week beginning 8 August 2016	Western Victoria PHN published an overview of the current funding to rural health services and the process for procurement
25 August - 9 September 2016	Individual interviews with organisations receiving funding for services through Western Victoria PHN (via phone or video conference).
19 September - 7 October 2016	First round of stakeholder consultations within local communities to obtain input from a range of people working in health and community members within the local areas.
10 October - 14 November 2016	Evidence from multiple sources was reviewed to explore potential service delivery options that meet local health needs.
14 Nov - 2 December 2016	Second round of stakeholder consultations in local communities where Western Victoria PHN presented potential service delivery options to local communities that aim to meet local health needs and elicit feedback.
18 Jan 2017	Specifications and Request For Proposals (RFP) sent.
16 - 27 January 2017	Information sessions on specifications for service providers, and possible workshops to assist in preparing for tender.
20 February 2017	Request for Proposals (RFP) close.
Week beginning 24 March 2017	Negotiate contracts with successful applicants.
31 March 2017	Successful applicants notified.
April - June 2017	Provision of training and support for funding organisations.
1 July 2017	Services commence.