



# Gender on the Agenda



## Action Plan 2017-2018

Overarching Action area: Gender Responsiveness				
Issue	Action	Milestones	Who	Timeline
Lack of gender responsive services for women	Provide training to the sector in Gender Responsive Models of Care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engage NADA to provide training</li> <li>Set date and venue</li> <li>Eventbrite</li> <li>Flyer</li> </ul>	DEN and ATDC NADA	Training in May
Action Area: Women with Children				
Issue	Action	Milestones	Who	Timeline
Lack of residential services for women and women with children	Research on other models of treatment for women	Research and distribute information on other models of care	DEN	Ongoing
	Teen Challenge opening Residential service for Women with Children	Continue to liaise with Teen Challenge and update Gender Action Group on progress(GAG)	DEN	Ongoing
Lack of accurate non-judgemental information on effects of ATOD in pregnancy and breastfeeding	Public Education Campaigns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continue FASD campaign including further focus group testing</li> <li>Identify other national campaigns that can be promoted and distribute to group</li> <li>Identify other issues that need public awareness raising</li> </ul>	DEN  DEN and ATDC and All Den, ATDC and All	
	Research with pregnant women	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establish partnership and methodology</li> <li>Undertake research</li> <li>Share findings</li> </ul>	DEN, UTas	
Child Safety involvement a barrier to getting help	Training with Child Safety workers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establish partnership with Child Safety</li> <li>Schedule 2 training per year in N.S and NW</li> <li>Evaluate training impact</li> </ul>	DEN	

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Online harassment	Support e safety training by the e health ombudsman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contact e safety commissioner to research any opportunities to provide this training to ATOD and women's sectors</li> </ul>	DEN, YFCC	
<b>Action Area: Violence</b>				
Issue	Action	Milestones	Who	Timeline
Fear of Child Safety involvement is a barrier to women seeking help for FV	Connecting with and supporting Community advocates through Colony 47 project in Ravenswood	Continue liaison and reporting of work done through this project	Colony 47, DEN	Ongoing
Family Violence intersection with drug and alcohol	Screening tool and training for FV in ATOD services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establish partnership with SHE and Yemaya</li> <li>Consult with ATOD sector</li> <li>Scope project</li> <li>Establish resource needs</li> <li>Grant application?</li> <li>Draft tool and training developed and delivered</li> </ul>	DEN, SHE, Yemaya, ATDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meetings in December</li> <li>Project to start in January</li> <li>Tool and training ready to be delivered to sector in October 2017</li> </ul>
Lack of ATOD support from women's crisis support workers	Brief intervention and harm reduction training for the women's sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consult with women's emergency services providers</li> <li>Draft training session</li> <li>Deliver and evaluate training</li> </ul>	DEN, Mara House	Commence early 2017
<b>Action Area: Stigma</b>				
Issue	Action	Milestones	Who	Timeline
Stigma facing users is a barrier to getting support	Work with TUSHL to get funding for a user organisation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meet with TUSHL to establish partnership</li> <li>Scope potential funding sources</li> <li>Apply for funds</li> </ul>	ATDC, DEN, TUSHL	

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Older women suffering greater homelessness and stigma	Wiser and Older project with CWA's			
Stigma from health care providers	Pharmacy Training Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Partnership established between TADC, DEN and Pharmacy Tasmania</li> <li>• Training drafted, delivered and evaluated</li> <li>• Results shared with GAG</li> </ul>	DEN, ATDC	
Women in and exiting prison	Harm reduction booklet project with women in prison	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consult with steering groups from Just Support Project</li> <li>• Develop project in consultation with steering group</li> <li>• Deliver and evaluate project</li> <li>• Share results with GAG</li> </ul>	DEN, WHT	
<b>Action Area: Other</b>				
Issue	Action	Milestones	Who	Timeline
Connecting with and supporting Community Services Students at TAFE in all of the information associated with Women and ATOD	Invite their input into this Action Plan	Meet with Community Services Staff in North and South Arrange meeting with students to talk about action Plan and invite their input and involvement	DEN	Early 2017