



SOUTHERN SERVICES
REFORM GROUP

SSRG Social Programs Workgroup
Thursday 14 July 2022
Online

Chair: Maria Shialis (SSRG)

Present: Justine Jackson (Housing Choices SA), Lisa Elder (City of Onkaparinga), Sandy Johnson-Jones (City of Onkaparinga), Lauren English (City of Mitcham), Jude Lowe (City of Onkaparinga)

Apologies: Janine Callegari (Care and Share), Mel Kazerani (City of Marion), Denise Menzies (City of Holdfast Bay), Carol Ganley (City of Marion), Cathy Wiseman (City of Marion), David Jacquier (Volunteering SA-NT), Fay Millington (RSB), Helen Carmichael (Eastern Collaborative Project), Helen Sims (Anglicare), Penny Hickman (In Home Care SA), Joanne Blaess (City of Unley), Mark Kruszynski (Housing Choices SA), Sadie Goddard-Wrighton (City of Mitcham), Deb Whitford (City of Mitcham), Mitch Fox (Simple Healthcare Solutions)

| Agenda Items | Discussion |
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| Welcome, apologies, introductions | Welcomed group members |
| Loneliness Project | <p>City of Unley - To address this social disconnection "Reach out for a richer life" was generated by the City of Unley's Active Ageing Alliance and aimed to encourage non users and current users of Council services over the age of 65 to establish richer connections with the community.</p> <p>The workgroup discussed the use of different strategies to identify loneliness living in the community.</p> <p>Campaign to End Loneliness website has a range of resources, such as Measuring Your Impact on Loneliness in Later Life.</p> |
| Information sharing on current social programs and events | <p>Meeting attendees discussed during the meeting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Current and upcoming programs and events.• Brainstorming on how to get information out to the community.• Measuring impact tools. |

Next Meeting: Thursday 11 August

Time: 2.00 – 4.00pm

Venue: Online