

Victor Harbor & Southern Fleurieu



The programs below can be accessed via:

Victor Harbor Community Mental Health Team, Southern Fleurieu Health Service

Location: Southern Fleurieu

Contact Person: Duty Worker or Rural and Remote ETLs

Phone 08 8552 0600 (business hours) or 131 465 (24 hours)

Community Mental Health Services

Referral Requirements: Comprehensive referral preferably from a GP or tertiary medical service accompanied by a risk assessment.

Community Mental Health Service providing general public mental health services to people with major mental illness with significant risk and disability. Access to visiting psychiatry for case managed clients.

The service does not provide a targeted BPD program at this time.

Individual and group services are available for case managed clients. Psychiatry services are bulk billed to Medicare.

There is no waiting list, however referrals are prioritised based on level of risk.

The program/s below can be accessed via:

Mental Illness Fellowship of South Australia

Location: 5 Cooke Terrace, Wayville SA 5034

Contact Person: Paula Smith

Phone 08 8378 4100

Email paulas@mifsa.org

Carer Support Program

Length: 7 weeks **Frequency:** Weekly , 3 hours **Waiting Time:** Nil **Cost:** Single \$40 (\$15 conc) or Couple/family \$60 (\$25

The Carer Support Program offer various options to the person experiencing mental illness and to their families and friends through peer to peer education. The program uses research evidence and the first hand knowledge of facilitators who share their experience and wisdom. There is nothing more powerful than hearing about the impact of mental illness from those who have lived it.

No referral required, maximum 15 per group.

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The program/s below can be accessed via:

Skylight

Contact Person/s: Judy Burke

Email: info@bpd-carers-sanctuary.org

Website: www.bpd-carers-sanctuary.org

Phone: 0410 507 998

Sanctuary Support Group

When: 2nd Tuesday of each month see website.

For carers of people with Borderline Personality Disorder (BPD), to increase awareness of BPD, recognise challenges, and share with others experiencing similar journeys. Advice about ways of engaging with loved ones as well as sources of information and treatment are also on the agenda.

Borderline Personality Disorder Collaborative (BPD Co)

Website: <https://tinyurl.com/BPDcollaborative>

The BPD Collaborative (BPD Co) state-wide service has been developed in response to the demonstrated need for enhanced, evidence-based BPD service development in South Australia, tailored to the needs of consumers, carers and clinicians.