



# Inner North West

## PRIMARY CARE PARTNERSHIP

### WHO WE ARE

- Inner North West Primary Care Partnership is one of 28 Primary Care Partnerships across Victoria. Established in 2000, Primary Care Partnerships work towards strengthening relationships with local primary care, health and community sectors to support prevention, early intervention and equitable access to services.
- Like other Primary Care Partnerships across Victoria, The Inner North West Primary Care Partnership brings partners together to provide local solutions to local health and social issues.

WE FOCUS ON IMPROVING THE HEALTH AND WELLBEING OF THE INNER NORTH WEST COMMUNITY.....

SUPPORTING PARTNERS TO WORK TOGETHER BETTER, MAKING THE MOST OF AVAILABLE RESOURCES, AVOIDING DUPLICATION OF EFFORTS AND ACHIEVING OUTCOMES FOR THE COMMUNITY

THE INNER NORTH WEST PRIMARY CARE PARTNERSHIP...

IS COMMITTED TO COLLABORATION, EQUITY, INNOVATION AND COURAGE

HAS A VISION OF REDUCING INEQUITY AND PROMOTING DIVERSITY AND INCLUSIVENESS

ITS EFFORTS ARE EVIDENCE-BASED AND PREVENTION-FOCUSED

- The Inner North West Primary Care Partnership is made up of 40+ Health and Community services based in Moreland, Yarra, Moonee Valley and Melbourne.
- The Partnership employs a small team with the skills needed to help its partners work together and serve its community better.

### WHAT WE DO

- The Inner North West Primary Care Partnership responds to those most in need including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, refugees, asylum seekers and non-English speakers, as well as people with a disability and those experiencing homelessness.
- Partners work together to respond to the needs of the community, share their skills and align their efforts, ensuring limited resources provide significant outcomes over the long term.
- The Inner North West Primary Care Partnership turns theory into practice by using its expertise to create and lead effective partnerships that secure much needed sustainable systemic changes, providing better outcomes for its community.

### WHY WE MATTER

- The Inner North West Primary Care Partnership has a proven track record working with partner organisations to enhance access and equity for those most in need in our community.
- All partners benefit from the advisory, research and project management expertise the Inner North West Primary Care Partnership provides.
- The people who most benefit from Inner North West Primary Care Partnership's efforts are typically the most disadvantaged.

PRIMARY CARE PARTNERSHIPS ARE BASED ON THE PHILOSOPHY...

THAT TOGETHER PARTNER ORGANISATIONS CAN ACHIEVE MORE...

THAN CAN BE ACHIEVED WORKING ON THEIR OWN