



**MHACA**



## MHACA Referral/Intake Form

This document relates to the referral of persons to services and programs of the Mental Health Association of Central Australia (MHACA).

### Details of Person Being Referred

**First name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Last name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Skin/preferred/other name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of birth:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Gender:** \_\_\_\_\_ Prefer not to say  **Pronouns:** he/him  she/her  they/them  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of accommodation:** Homeowner  Rental  Public Housing  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Who does the person live with:** Self  Partner  Children  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Preferred communication method:** Phone  Text  Email

**Citizenship:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Ethnicity:** \_\_\_\_\_

Aboriginal  Torres Strait Islander  Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Relationship Status:** Single (never married)  Partnered  Married  Divorced  Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Accessibility

**Preferred language(s):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Interpreter required?** Yes  No

**Name of interpreter:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Agency:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Preferred gender of worker:** \_\_\_\_\_ *Note: accommodating for this will depend on staff availability*

**Specific access requirements (e.g., physical, cultural, sensory impairment):** \_\_\_\_\_

### Referral Information

**Type of referral:** Self-referral  Case manager  Service provider  Family member  Significant other

Other \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of referral:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

If not a self-referral, please provide your details below (where applicable):

**Referrer name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Role title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Service Provider / Agency name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Reason for referral:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Program for referral:** Pathways to Recovery (individual support)  Group Activities  Housing and Homelessness Support  National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) Support Coordination  Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Support People and Services

### Personal support people (e.g., Family, Carers, Guardianship)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### Other services/practitioners working with the referred person (e.g., CAMHS, GP, DASA)

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**Current NDIS plan:** Yes  No  If yes, does the referred person have a Support Coordinator? Yes  No

**Support coordinator contact details:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Relationship:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Mental and Physical Health History

**Primary mental health condition(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**How long has the person been impacted by this condition(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Is the person on any medication for this condition(s):** Yes  No  If yes, please list type(s):  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Secondary mental health condition(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**How long has the person been impacted by this condition(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Is the person on any medication for this condition(s):** Yes  No  If yes, please list type(s):  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Physical health condition(s):**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**How long has the person been impacted by this condition(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Is the person on any medication for this condition(s):** Yes  No  If yes, please list type(s):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Is the person on any other medications, if yes please describe and list reasons:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Does the person take their medication as prescribed?** Yes  No  If no, please provide details below.  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Is there a chronic disease management plan for the person?** Yes  No  If yes, please provide details below.  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Current mental health state:**

**Recent hospitalisation(s):** Yes  No  If yes, please provide detail and include date of admission(s):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Does the person have any allergies?** Yes  No  If yes, please describe:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Risk Indicators

**History of self-harming behaviours?** Yes  No  Unsure  If yes, please provide details below

**Main method/s and most recent occasion:**

**Currently at risk of self-harm?** Yes  No  Unsure

**History of suicide attempts?** Yes  No  Unsure  If yes, please provide details below

**Main method/s used and most recent attempt:**

**Currently at risk of suicide?** Yes  No  Unsure

**History of harming others?** Yes  No  Unsure  If yes, please provide details below

**Type of harm and to whom:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Was a weapon involved?** Yes  No  Unsure  If yes, please provide details below:

**History of having choked someone?** Yes  No  Unsure

**History of damage to a property?** Yes  No  Unsure

**History of using fire/petrol to harm others or property?** Yes  No  Unsure

**History of harm to animals?** Yes  No  Unsure

**History of inappropriate sexual behaviour?** Yes  No  Unsure  If yes, please describe below

**Has the person received treatment to address their inappropriate sexual behaviours?** Yes  No

If yes, please provide details \_\_\_\_\_

**History or current substance use?** Yes  No  Unsure  If yes, please provide details.

**If yes, is the person receiving treatment or support?**

## Forensic History

**Does the person have a criminal record?** Yes No Unsure if yes, please describe type of offence(s):

**Has the person ever been convicted for use of serious violence?** Yes  No  Unsure

**Has the person ever been convicted for sexual assault?** Yes  No  Unsure

If yes to the above please provide details of dates and rehabilitation programs the person has been involved in:

**Is the person current on bail/parole or a community order?** Yes  No  Unsure  If yes, please provide details

**Does the person have a current Domestic Violence Order in place?** Yes  No  Unsure  If yes, please provide details

**Type:** Non-Contact DVO  Non-Intoxication DVO  **Expiry date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Protected person/s:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Are there any other current orders in place?** (e.g., Guardianship, Treatment) Yes  No  Unsure

If yes, please describe:

**Other information**

**Does the person currently have any other worries/stresses?** (e.g., children, unemployment, legal, substance misuse)

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**Supporting Documents**

**Please indicate which relevant supporting materials are attached (if applicable):**

- Criminal record
- Risk Management Assessment/Plan
- Individual Care Plan or similar (last 6 months)
- Health of the Nation Outcome Scales (HoNOS)
- Bail/Parole conditions
- Hospital Discharge Summary
- Allied Health reports (last 18 months)
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Declaration**

If the referral is being made by anyone other than the participant themselves, the participant must sign below to acknowledge that they are aware of and consent to the referral.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, consent to this referral being made on my behalf. By signing this declaration, I agree that the personal information contained in this referral may be shared with MHACA if it is relevant to my care.

**Signature of person or representative being referred:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, declare that all the information provided in this document is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I have made every reasonable effort to provide correct information myself (if making a self-referral) OR I have obtained correct information from the participant and/or other parties involved.

**Signature of referrer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

*If unable to obtain a signature, verbal consent has been provided.*

**Date:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ **Time:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Location:** \_\_\_\_\_

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