

Vision

We are the voice for quality mental health services shaped by lived experience

Purpose

Foster the capacity of ACT community managed mental health services to support people to live a meaningful and dignified life

Goals



Strong services

To support providers to deliver quality, sustainable, recovery-oriented services, we will:

Ensure lived experience is at the heart of service development and provision

Promote evidence-based innovation in service design and delivery

Foster strong partnerships between services

Advocate for viable, sustainable funding for community sector organisations



Influential

To represent our members and provide advice that is valued and respected, we will:

Proactively participate in agenda setting with evidence-based advocacy

Represent the views of our members and people with lived experience

Build and maintain our networks of influence

Promote the role of community sector providers in health care reform



Valued sector

To showcase the role of community managed services in supporting people's recovery, we will:

Build understanding of the sector's contribution to health and wellbeing

Strengthen collaboration between clinical and community services

Promote a whole of person approach to recovery

Encourage initiatives that support recovery in the community



Effective workplace

To ensure MHCC ACT is well governed, ethical and has good employment practices, we will:

Support a mentally healthy workplace that honours diversity

Recognise and develop the roles of staff and Board members

Model transparency and innovation in how we work

Encourage a culture of collaboration and inclusion