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Clinical Case Support and Consultation with CADS Dual Diagnosis Service

Dual Diagnosis is a specialist service for people adversely affected by substance use and mental illness. We provide clinical case support to people who:

- have been diagnosed as having a severe chronic Axis I mental illness
- are current clients of mental health services (community mental health team or inpatient)
- have an identified psychiatrist and key worker within the referring service (including Older Adult services)
- are seen by their key worker at least monthly
- are dependent on or are misusing alcohol and/or other drugs
- require assertive, mobile, long term follow-up

We support a collaborative approach and have regular contact with the referring service.

Dual Diagnosis is available for consultation about treatment planning for clients of mental health services who have co-existing substance use, abuse or dependence. Consultation includes direct client contact. We will assess the client and make recommendation/s regarding treatment.

It is our preference that clients are aware of and have given consent for referrals to the Dual Diagnosis service.

Referrers of tangata whai or a should refer directly to Te Ātea Marinō and of Pacific peoples to Tuþu. (Note: clients have a choice and if they wish can remain with the Dual Diagnosis service).

http://www.cads.org.nz/services/te-atea-marino/

http://www.cads.org.nz/services/tupu/

The Dual Diagnosis Team operates Mon-Fri during normal business hours.

Client and referrer need to be available during these times

(Please note: the walk in clinic is not available for the Dual Diagnosis service)