



Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Service Review Advisory Group

Closing Date: 13 August 2010

Information for Divisions

Dear Divisions

Department of Health Vic has asked GPV to obtain from Victorian divisions a GP interested in serving as the GPV representative on a Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Service Review Advisory Group.

Please forward nominations to Robyn Shaw by **4 pm on Friday 13 August 2010** so that GPV board can consider the nominations and select the representative on the basis of their experience and expertise in the area.

Please ensure the following documentation is included with the nomination:

- Nominee contact details (including telephone, fax, email, postal address)
- 1-2 page resume of the nominee, with emphasis on relevant experience
- Nominee expression of interest letter
- Divisional support letter for the nomination

Representative:	General Practitioner
Committee:	Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Service Review Advisory Group.
Committee membership:	See Terms of Reference
Purpose	The Department of Health is undertaking a review of the existing Chronic Fatigue Syndrome (CFS) services at Austin Health, The Royal Children's Hospital and Southern Health. Contractors have been engaged to lead the review which should be complete by October 2010. The review will identify the optimal model of care to best meet the needs of paediatric and adolescent patients diagnosed to be at the severe end of the spectrum of the disorder. The review will also map the transition from the existing public hospital services to the adult public hospital rehabilitation services, the community and/or private providers of services.
Requested by:	Andrea McGee, Senior Project Officer, Department of Health. Ph (03)9096 2088 if you require further information
Term of Appointment:	July – October 2010
Commitment required:	Estimated one meeting every 4-6 weeks – 2 hrs Teleconferencing facility available.
Next meeting:	13 September 2010
Close of nominations:	13 August 2010
Payment:	GPV pays according to the contract with DH Vic

Nominations to be forwarded to Robyn Shaw
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