

NSW Workforce Development Update: Community Management of Eating Disorders

In 2017, the roll out of training for Community Management of eating disorders commenced.

On the 9th May 2017, InsideOut (formerly CEDD) in partnership with Mental Health Professional Network (MHPN), delivered a webinar titled: *Providing care in the community for people with eating disorders – a specialist insight into engagement and treatment.*

The webinar attracted 496 registrations and a total of 268 health professionals across NSW participated on the night.

A total of 142 webinar participants (57%) completed the exit survey. Seventy-four percent (74%) of survey respondents said that the webinar would assist them to improve their current practice. Thirty-three percent (33%) said they would have more confidence in providing meaningful engagement for people who are living with an eating disorder, and thirty-two percent (32%) said they would have better referral and pathway (care) planning for people with an eating disorder.

The Management of Eating Disorders in the Community eLearning course was launched to coincide with the webinar. To date 64 people have completed the online course. Ninety-one percent (91%) of participants who completed the online module identified that their completion of the course would improve their practice.

For more information about InsideOut's eLearning courses please visit the eLearning section at our Website.

