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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE VACANCY**

Wimmera Health Care Group's Community Advisory Committee is calling for nominations from people to join the committee.

Community Advisory Committee Spokesperson, Tim Eagle said that the Community Advisory Committee plays an important role in linking Wimmera Health Care Group to the community.

"Apart from providing advice to the Board of Management, the committee also helps with planning and development of services, gives community input, involves the community and helps to make communication easier."

Mr Eagle said that since the committee was formed five years ago it had provided important advice and input on many issues.

"There is currently a vacancy on the committee and we are keen for this position to be filled as soon as possible. It is very rewarding and also provides a fantastic opportunity to learn more about the important services that Wimmera Health Care Group provides" he said.

Mr Eagle said that more information about the Community Advisory Committee was available on the Wimmera Health Care Group's website – [www.whcg.org.au](http://www.whcg.org.au). He urged anyone interested finding out more about the Community Advisory Committee and/or nominating for a position on the committee to contact Mrs Wendy James, Consumer Advocate at Wimmera Health Care Group on ph. 5381 9331 as soon as possible.



Wimmera Health Care Group's Kieran Loughran (third right) takes Community Advisory Committee members (from left), Bonnie Thompson, Dorothy McLaren, Nicole Timms and Gillian Vanderwaal on a tour of the Information Technology department whilst chief executive Chris Scott (second right) looks on.

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