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MEDIA RELEASE

DISABILITY PLAN FOR WIMMERA HEALTH CARE GROUP

Members of the public are invited to a community forum to discuss improved accessibility for people with disabilities at Wimmera Health Care Group.

Care Continuum Co-ordinator Tracey Daffy said that Wimmera Health Care Group is in the process of developing a Disability Action Plan to ensure that people with disabilities have full access to services, infrastructure and employment opportunities. "We are very committed to improving and enhancing our services for people with disabilities and encourage anyone with experience and/or an interest in disability issues to come along and have their say" she said.

Mrs Daffy said that the Community Forum would be held on Wednesday 4th August from 10.00 to 11.30 a.m. at the Horsham Sports and Community Club with morning tea provided. For further information and to RSVP, people should contact Mr Tony Tuohey on ph. 5381 9338 or email tony.tuohey@whcg.org.au by Monday 2nd August 2010. "The venue is wheelchair friendly and people are urged to contact us if they require further support" she said.

"We need community input to help us develop strategies that take into account the needs of people with disabilities when we are planning and delivering our services. At Wimmera Health Care Group we encourage full participation and inclusion for people with disabilities" she said.

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