2019 Submission - Royal Commission into Victoria's Mental Health System

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What are your suggestions to improve the Victorian communitys understanding of mental illness and reduce stigma and discrimination? better management

What is already working well and what can be done better to prevent mental illness and to support people to get early treatment and support? better management

What is already working well and what can be done better to prevent suicide? better management

What makes it hard for people to experience good mental health and what can be done to improve this? This may include how people find, access and experience mental health treatment and support and how services link with each other. a lack of personal management

What are the drivers behind some communities in Victoria experiencing poorer mental health outcomes and what needs to be done to address this? better self management

What are the needs of family members and carers and what can be done better to support them? better self management

What can be done to attract, retain and better support the mental health workforce, including peer support workers? self management betterment

What are the opportunities in the Victorian community for people living with mental illness to improve their social and economic participation, and what needs to be done to realise these opportunities?

as above

Thinking about what Victorias mental health system should ideally look like, tell us what areas and reform ideas you would like the Royal Commission to prioritise for change? Establish trials of my system Life Engineering TM or other Engineering = evidence based risk management currently undergoing a test run in Victoria.

What can be done now to prepare for changes to Victorias mental health system and support improvements to last?

as above

Is there anything else you would like to share with the Royal Commission? I am establishing a NFP organisation as above.