



Royal Commission into Victoria's Mental Health System

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Introduction

Gippsland Women's Health (GWH) welcomes the opportunity to contribute to the Royal Commission into Victoria's Mental Health System. GWH is the lead organisation for gender equity, women's health, prevention of violence against women, and family violence system leadership in Gippsland. Our vision is for an equal and respectful Gippsland for all women. Based in Sale in the geographic centre of Gippsland, Victoria, GWH services all of Gippsland. This includes a catchment area of 41,556 square kilometres, a population of 271,416 and six local government areas.

GWH endorses the submission by the Women's Health Victoria and Gippsland Family Violence Alliance.