Brimbank Youth Services Directory



Healthworks

Street Address

4-12 Buckley Street, Footscray 3011

Phone

9362 8100

Website

https://www.cohealth.org.au/locations/healthworks

Service For

Drug and Alcohol

Service Area

Western Region-Victoria

Hours

Monday to Friday, 10am - 6.00pm Saturday, 10am - 2.00pm (NSP only)

Drop In Service

Yes

Service Description

Healthworks is a specialist health care and harm reduction service for people who use drugs. Healthworks offers a complete medical, nursing and specialised health care service for injecting drug users (current or past) in a confidential and non-judgemental environment. Specialised care offers support for often related issues such as homelessness, food deficiency, financial, child protection and family violence. Drop in spaces offer hot drinks and meals, shower, toilet, laundry, computer and phone. Also providing: - Medical and general health care-Injecting and safer sex equipment-Information on safer using and safer sex - Vein and wound care-HIV, Hepatitis and sexual health testing, treatment and vaccination- Care during pregnancy (antenatal care)- Social support-Information about injecting drug use including steroids- Counselling and support for both users and their family and friends- Community overdose prevention education- Referrals for other health services, support and treatment options- Needle and Syringe Program This is a no cost drop-in service for people who inject drugs. There is no need for a referral or appointments. 4-12 Buckley Street, Footscray.

Participation Length

Treatment dependent

Interpreters

Available on request

Costs

No cost

Service Type

INDIVIDUAL

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