

A SCOPING STUDY TO IDENTIFY KEY ISSUES FOR THE MENTAL HEALTH OF OLDER PEOPLE

INTERVIEW PARTICIPANTS NEEDED

Older people with experience of mental illness

Researchers at the National Ageing Research Institute are working with the National Mental Health Commission to understand the key issues for older adults to maintain mental health and support those living with mental illness and their carers.

We are looking for older people living with a personal experience of mental illness to participate in an interview to share their experiences with mental illness, mental health service use, and how the mental health of older people can be better supported in the future.

The interview will take approximately 1 hour and will be conducted at a location convenient to participants or online subject to COVID-19 restrictions.

To participate you must be

- an adult aged 65 years+ OR 50 years+ if from an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders background, living with HIV/AIDS, or have an experience of chronic homelessness
- Have used mental health services in the past 12 months

Participants will receive an AUD\$75 gift card for their contribution.

Contact our team to learn more! Email: p.feldman@nari.edu.au or j.antoniades@nari.edu.au

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Ethical aspects of this study have been approved by Bellberry Human Research Ethics Committee (HREC) HREC2021-07-856



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