
Stay Well, Stay Home Chronic Conditions, Breakthrough Series Collaborative

Expression of Interest information

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Safer Care Victoria (SCV) is excited to invite health services to participate in the Stay Well, Stay Home Chronic Conditions Breakthrough Series (BTS) Collaborative, focusing on the management of Asthma, COPD and Diabetes. The BTS Collaborative is part of the 100,000 Lives program which aims to reduce harm and improve health outcomes for 100,000 Victorians over five years. Please see our [website](#) for further information about SCV and 100,000 Lives.

Who is eligible to apply?

- Health services across Victoria who provide care for people with asthma, COPD and diabetes, including Community Health Services, Primary Health Networks, public and private Hospitals.

What will the collaborative accomplish?

The Stay Well, Stay Home Chronic Conditions BTS Collaborative will work with health services to test changes within their health service that will reduce variation in the management of asthma, COPD, and diabetes across Victoria.

The aim for this collaborative is: By the end of December 2023, we will improve the lives of people living with asthma, COPD, and diabetes in Victoria by reducing avoidable disease specific related complications by 20%. *

Our goal is to reduce preventable COPD readmissions, asthma emergency presentations, and improve the stability of HbA1C in diabetic patients. *

We will achieve this by focusing on the primary drivers: evidence informed care, timely communication, and patient self-management, to enable people to Stay Well and Stay Home.

**The aim and goals will be refined as we test our theory of change and analyse health services baseline data.*

What does participation in the collaborative involve?

This collaborative is designed for health services that are committed and ready to improve the management of asthma, COPD and diabetes. Participation is free and open to all public, private and community health services.

A health service can sign up for one condition or for all three to meet the capacity and needs of their service.

Participation requires the support of an executive / senior sponsor and commitment from a multidisciplinary team from across the continuum of care. Please refer to the project charter for further detail on selecting your team.

Time dedicated to do the work will be required. In our experience, optimal results are achieved when the team can devote time across team members to:

- Complete a health service charter; setting aims and goals for the project team
- Hold regular team meetings and engage with your Executive/Senior Sponsor often
- Test change ideas using rapid Plan-Do-Study-Act cycles
- Collect data over time to inform changes
- Share ideas and learnings with others
- Complete and share reports monthly
- Attend monthly virtual calls
- Attend and participate in-person learning sessions with other participating services

Please refer to the project charter for further details on selecting your team, key dates and events.

Where can I find more information?

Information session

An information session was held on 7 November 2022, the recording can be viewed here: [Information Session Recording](#)

How can I apply?

Applications close **Tuesday 17 January 2023**. We recommend the application is completed by the project lead with the executive sponsor.

Step 1 - Review this document and the [project charter](#) for details about the opportunity.

Step 2 - Confirm who will be in your team, including your executive sponsor.

Step 3 - Complete the online expression of interest form here: [Expression of Interest Form](#)

Any Questions

Please contact the Stay Well Stay Home Team

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