

Consumers giving back, contributing ideas

Consumer Work roles at ReGen

As part of our enhancement of Consumer Participation, UnitingCare ReGen is seeking Consumer Workers.

If you are interested in participating in a leadership groups or committee then read on

ReGen is the lead Alcohol and Other Drugs (AOD) treatment and education agency of UnitingCare Victoria and Tasmania. ReGen has been operating since 1970, and provides a range of treatment and education services to the community.

ReGen is committed to **Consumer Participation**.

To advance their **Consumer Participation** Practice, UnitingCare ReGen is seeking three people who are able to undertake Consumer Work in accordance to the criteria and specifications below.

Purpose of Consumer Work

The Consumer Worker participates in specific projects designed to enable Consumer input.

Consumer Worker activities

- Report to the Consumer Participation Facilitator
- Assist with the development and implementation of objectives designed to gather Consumer input.
- Work with the Consumer Participation Facilitator to actively participate in working groups, decipher documents and provide feedback
- Complete education and training that will assist with your role as a Consumer Worker
- Actively participate in your supervision and professional development.

Selection Criteria

- A past or present user of ReGen services
- Demonstrated understanding of the issues experienced by consumers of AoD services
- Demonstrated oral communication, including the ability to participate in a group,
- Demonstrated ability in meeting preparation including the reading of documents
- Ability to collaborate with staff and other Consumers from backgrounds that may differ from your own.
- Some ability in Microsoft office programs or the willingness to learn.

Reimbursement

\$25.00 per hour

To apply

Contact Regina Brindle and she will set up a time to meet with her and a member for the **Consumer Participation Leadership Group**.

During this meeting questions will be asked regarding the criteria.

Regina will provide the talking points prior to the meeting, brief you on the process and follow up with a phone call after the meeting.