

# hepatitis *wa*

HepatitisWA (Inc) is a not-for-profit  
community-based organisation.



## *Our vision:*

To provide leadership in developing a world where people affected by viral hepatitis are able to maximise their health and well being; and where viral hepatitis will be eliminated.

## *Our purpose:*

To respond effectively to the needs of people affected by viral hepatitis, and to enhance community awareness, health and wellbeing through information dissemination, education, support and advocacy in relation to viral hepatitis.

*Visit us at*

134 Aberdeen St, Northbridge 6003

*Call us on*

(08) 9227 9802

## Our services include:

*Information and Support:* provides confidential information and support services for people at risk of, affected by or living with viral hepatitis. Appointments can be made with our Support Officer on (08) 9227 9806 or by email at: [support@hepatitiswa.com.au](mailto:support@hepatitiswa.com.au)

*Hepatitis Helpline:* provides a confidential telephone information and support service which is available to the general community during working hours Monday to Friday. Contact Metro: (08) 9328 8538; or Country: 1800 800 070.

*Health Promotion:* provides a range of information and education initiatives through seminars and workshops to the general community.

*Multicultural Services:* provides a range of health information and education services regarding hepatitis B to targeted culturally and linguistically diverse (CaLD) groups.

*Workforce Development:* provides a range of workshops aimed at any workforce or workplace. Workshops are tailored to client needs and may include: transmission and prevention, needle and syringe program enhancement or occupational health and safety issues.

*Needle & Syringe Program:* provides fitpacks free of charge to people who choose to inject drugs. The aim of the needle and syringe program is to ensure sterile injecting equipment is available in the community so that people who inject drugs are not obliged to share equipment, thereby reducing the risk of coming in contact with blood borne viruses.

*Prisoner Education:* provides sexual health and blood borne virus prevention education to assist people in prison or detention to stay safe.

*Resources & Website:* We have a comprehensive range of resources to download or order via our website at [www.hepatitiswa.com.au](http://www.hepatitiswa.com.au) along with an extensive range of information in relation to viral hepatitis as well as links to other reputable sites.

*Enquiries:* For information about how we can provide an information or education workshop for your community group, school or workplace, or for further information on our services contact us on (08) 9227 9802