



David Littleproud MP

Federal Member for Maranoa

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More people receiving help for drugs and alcohol as regional support services expand

IT started off with Maranoa MP David Littleproud securing an additional clinical worker for the Kingaroy region to help tackle ice and addiction and today the MP was with Lives Lived Well to unveil its new and larger space to continue to help our community.

“The expansion of services offered by Lives Lived Well has meant almost 1000 people across the South Burnett received free support for problems with drugs or alcohol last year,” Mr Littleproud said.

“These services are free and you can access them over-the-phone or face-to-face.

“Last year I held a community ice forum in Kingaroy and it was clear the community needed more support. That’s why I made it my mission to secure Federal Government funding for an additional clinical worker for a better targeted approach in the Kingaroy region.

“As a father of three boys, the ice scourge scares me because I've heard the heart-breaking stories of parents who watch helplessly as their children suffer addiction – that’s why I’m so passionate about better services in the bush.”

The new larger Lives Lived Well space is located at 95 Youngman St, Kingaroy.

Mr Littleproud said Lives Lived Well offers free counselling in Kingaroy, Chinchilla, Warwick, Tara and Dalby in his Maranoa electorate as well as free outreach services to surrounding areas.

For more information about services, phone Lives Lived Well on 1300 727 957.

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