



Seniors Lifestyle Victoria Collection notice



Seniors Lifestyle Victoria is a pilot program, that is being offered at Ballarat Community Health with the support of the Victorian Department of Health (the Department) and the Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Aged Care.

If you agree to receive Seniors Lifestyle Victoria services from Ballarat Community Health, Ballarat Community Health will disclose some of your information to the Department for specific purposes, including auditing and monitoring of Ballarat Community Health activities and evaluation of the Seniors Lifestyle Victoria pilot. Information disclosed to the Department will not include your name, date of birth or address but will include data about your health and your care, and a unique identifier assigned by Ballarat Community Health. The unique identifier means that the Department will be able link information it receives about your participation in the Seniors Lifestyle Victoria program.

The Department will share the outcomes of the Seniors Lifestyle Victoria program, including an evaluation report, with the Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Aged Care. This will support planning and decision making about future funding and programs.

Ballarat Community Health may also collect, use and disclose personal and health information with other service providers, for the purpose of delivering you services. Service providers with whom your personal and health information is shared, will be recorded in your care plan and you can change your mind at any time if you no longer want a particular service provider to be provided with your information.

Participation in Seniors Lifestyle Victoria is voluntary. If you do not wish to have your information shared in the way described above, you will not be able to participate in the Seniors Lifestyle Victoria program. You may still receive other services provided by Ballarat Community Health.

You are able to gain access to information held about you by Ballarat Community Health by contacting seniorslifestyleintake@bchc.org.au. You can also contact the Department by emailing mailto:CHSeniorsProgram@health.vic.gov.au.

