

Three score years and then? Ageing and wellbeing in multicultural communities

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Key Words:

CALD, service provsion, quality of life, action research, Queensland

Research aim:

This report aimed to identify a vision for aged service delivery for the next twenty years so that both current and future generations of elderly CALD residents could truly feel that their needs and issues had the same validity and status as those who belong to the mainstream elderly community, and that they could enjoy the same degree of service, care and facility provided to their non-CALD counterparts.

Results/Conclusion:

Twelve recommendations are identified in this report. Some were the suggestions made during consultations with CALD aged participants in nine focus groups and a number of multicultural forums. Other recommendations were made through a process of analysis of the data about people's needs and concerns, including discussions with members of the CARMAN Working Party and Aged Care Service Providers.

Implications:

Cultural Group(s):

CALD

Location of study:

Queensland

Age group:

Not specified

Number included in study:

110 older people in 9 focus groups

Type of participants:

Older community residents of CALD backgrounds

Research approach:

Qualitative

Type of data:

Primary

Secondary data sources used:

Specific scales or analytical techniques used:

Implications/ Recommendations:

Notes: