Recognising & Responding to Family Violence with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families

A three-day pilot workshop for Aboriginal and Torres Islander workers, and those working with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families around Family Violence. This workshop is part of a suite of four new Family Violence modules developed by SNAICC

**Pilot Workshop**

Cost $200 per participant

5th-7th September 2017

Waranwarin Tharawal Child and Family Centre

105 Townson Avenue, Minto

9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Key topics of discussion will be:

- Using healing and culturally strong approaches
- Understanding the impacts of history and to address family violence trauma for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples
- Prevalence and nature of family violence
- Underlying issues associated with domestic and family violence in community

Putting it into practice:

- Adopting strength-based work practices that support interactions with those affected by domestic and family violence
- Effective engagement and assessment strategies and integrate approaches
- Identifying and responding to client specific needs (safety, intervention strategies and using appropriate referrals)
- Professional boundary setting, support and supervision
- Looking after yourself

The workshop is designed for:

This workshop is designed primarily for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander workers in the community service sector, child protection, out-of-home care, social housing, early childhood, youth work, and related fields of work. Participation in the workshop is also encouraged for non-Indigenous workers who engage with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families and children in their work.

There will be a maximum of 22 participants at the workshop.

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