



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Working group for the 2018 Queensland Indigenous Family Violence Prevention Forum
Wednesday 16th May and Thursday 17th May 2018
Townsville Queensland

The Queensland Centre for Domestic and Family Violence Research (QCDFVR) is seeking expressions of interest from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander practitioners in the domestic and family violence field to join QCDFVR in organising its annual Queensland Indigenous Family Violence Prevention Forum (QIFVP).

WHAT IS THE QIFVP?


QIFVP is an event dedicated to celebrating the work done by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in preventing and responding to family violence. It is an opportunity for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander workers to come together and learn from, share with and inspire each other.

The QIFVP highlights strategies and programs that could be used effectively by others and there will be discussions that relate to working with men, women and children who are either victims, or perpetrators, of domestic and family violence.

WHO COULD BE INVOLVED?

*We seek nominations from **Aboriginal and/ or Torres Strait Islander people** who are currently working in, or have experience relating to, providing domestic and family violence services. Ideally you will*



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1. Be located in Townsville or the broader Townsville region (including, for example, Charters Towers, Mount Isa or Palm Island)
 2. Have experience in community engagement and working collaboratively
 3. Have the time and capacity to assist before and during the QIFVP (approximately November 2017 to June 2018)
 4. Have approval from your supervisor/ board to contribute.

ARE THERE ANY BENEFITS?

There will be four people on the Working Group and each will be given **one complimentary registration** to the event. Members of the Working Group will also be able to purchase **up to five additional registrations at a 5% discount rate**.

WHAT IS INVOLVED?

As a member of the QIFVP Forum Working Group, we ask that you:

- Participate in at least four (4) meetings of the Working Group, via phone or webcam,
 - 10am Friday 24th November 2017
 - 10am Friday 19th January 2018
 - 10am Friday 23rd March 2018
 - 3pm Tuesday 15th May 2018
- Review and give feedback on yarnning circle/presenter submissions,
- Help with choosing theme, logo and venue,
- Assist with important local cultural matters such as Welcome to Country, and other event tasks, for example, introducing a session (chairperson duties) or helping at the registration desk.
- If you are selected, we will also ask you for a short biography and photo.

Successful candidates will be notified no later than **Friday 17th November 2017**.



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First Name:

Last Name:

Job Title:

Organisation:

Postal Address:

City:

Postcode:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Do you identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander?

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Aboriginal

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Torres Strait Islander

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Both

What is your experience in domestic and family violence services? (100 words or less)

What contribution could you make to the working group for a QIFVP to be held in Townsville? (100 words or less)

Signature: _____

Date: _____

**Please return your completed application form by
Friday 27th October 2017 to:**

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