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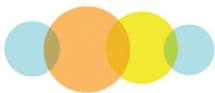


DV-alert

Domestic Violence Response Training

Domestic and family violence are the most pervasive forms of violence experienced by Australians. Domestic violence and sexual assault perpetrated against women costs the nation \$13.6 billion each year. By 2021, the figure is likely to rise to \$15.6 billion if extra steps are not taken. However, the emotional and personal costs of violence against victims cannot be measured: the effects reach all levels of society because anyone can experience domestic violence – female and male, rich and poor, young and old, people in same-sex relationships, between partners and ex-partners, people with disabilities, across all cultures, religious beliefs and places. Given the extent of domestic violence, there is a good chance that someone you know – either personally or professionally – is experiencing abuse.

Frontline workers are the most likely to come in contact with people experiencing domestic and family violence. DV-alert Domestic Violence Response Training is a two-day training program that enables health, allied health and frontline workers to recognise signs of domestic and family violence, to respond with appropriate care, and to refer to appropriate support services. The program is also VET accredited and participants are eligible to receive a Statement of Attainment for the VET Unit of Competency CHCDFV001: Recognise and Respond Appropriately to Domestic and Family Violence. Recipients may be able to RPL this Unit for other studies or, alternatively, be eligible to earn Continuing Professional Development (CPD) points.



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Face-to-Face workshops

involve attending a two-day participatory experience, interacting with participants in small work groups, completing a workbook and undertaking skills assessment. Face-to-face workshops are held across all states and territories to encourage more health, allied health and community support workers to receive this important training.

DV-alert dedicated workplace workshops

Lifeline wants to partner with organisations working directly with families and communities by providing their staff with free accredited training on Domestic and Family Violence Response. A minimum of 15 participants is required to deliver a dedicated workplace workshop.

Lifeline is a not-for-profit organisation that promotes, preserves and protects life. The mission of our training division is to build community capacity and skills for life through a range of specialised training programs to meet the needs of individuals and groups.

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Available places at our community workshop
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