

Culturally Safe Assessment of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people with dementia living in residential aged care

Half day workshop introducing a new resource/tool

Tuesday 19 April 2016





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The WA Dementia Training Study Centre (WA DTSC) will be holding a half day training workshop for health professionals interested in using the new Cultural Assessment for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People.

This free workshop will be held in the Conference Room, Quest Kelvin Grove, 41 Ramsgate Street, Kelvin Grove from 8.30am to 12.00noon on Tuesday 19 April 2016.

Registrations for the workshop are invited from health professionals working in residential aged care facilities, particularly those responsible for assessing Aboriginal people living with dementia.

Workshop objectives:

-  Understand the need for holistic assessment of people with dementia
-  Consider the specific needs of Aboriginal people with dementia
-  Demonstrate the impact of historical events and government policies on the life experiences of Aboriginal people
-  Complete the new DTSC Cultural Assessment for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People.



You are encouraged to watch a short film and read the “The Story Behind the Story” booklet prior to attending the workshop. These items will be posted to you a week before the workshop date. Additional free resources and copies of the Cultural Assessment record will be provided at the workshop.

To attend this workshop, please follow this [link to register online](#).

Please join us from 8.15am for registration and tea and coffee before the workshop commences at 8.30am to 12.00noon.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Lynda Durack.
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