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DEMENTIA TRAINING STUDY CENTRES
SOUTH AUSTRALIA & NORTHERN TERRITORY

Centre for Remote Health
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Professional Development Workshop

Recognising and Responding to Dementia in Indigenous Communities

Presented by Melissa Lindeman

A two day workshop that will give you the skills you need to provide quality dementia care and support to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people with dementia, their families and community.

This workshop is recommended for health and allied health professionals, aged and community care coordinators, health students, and others working with older people and people with dementia.

Date: 9 & 10 October 2012

Time: 8.30am-5.00pm (both days)

Venue: Australian Arid Lands Botanic Garden
Stuart Highway,
Port Augusta West, SA 5700

Catering: Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea provided both days

Cost: $400 (or $200 with scholarship)

Points: RCNA CNE = 12

Scholarships: A limited number of $200 scholarships towards registration fee, the remainder of registration fee is the responsibility of the participant. This scholarship is open to all participants, but must be applied for by 17 September 2012.

Register: Via fax/email form included.
Registrations close 2 October 2012
REGISTRATIONS ARE ESSENTIAL AS PLACES ARE LIMITED

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Learning Objectives

- Identify different types of dementia including causes, signs, symptoms, and progress of the disease, and be able to communicate this effectively to family.
- Distinguish dementia from other conditions that may have similar signs and symptoms.
- Use appropriate tools (including KICA) to assess Indigenous clients for dementia.
- Understand the progressive changes associated with a person with dementia.
- Identify ways of managing the person with dementia including behaviour management, environmental modifications, medication and other appropriate interventions.
- Develop strategies with family and other carers to enable them to manage any difficulties with their family member in their community for as long as possible.
- Develop a plan for long term management of a person with dementia in their community.
- Source and utilise up-to-date resources in the management of people with dementia.

About the presenters

Dr Melissa Lindeman is Associate Professor in Remote Health. She has a background in social welfare, policy and service development, research and education particularly in aged/community care, and much of her recent work has focussed on remote and Indigenous aged and dementia care. She is inaugural President of the Australian Association of Gerontology NT Division.

Ms Annie Farthing is a physiotherapist who has lived in Central Australia for more than 20 years. She has worked in urban and remote contexts, in community health, rehabilitation and aged care. She is currently teaching into the Remote Health Practice Program, an active member of Services for Rural and Remote Allied Health (SARRAH), a director of General Practice Network Northern Territory GPNNT) and is part of the research team looking at the issues surrounding dementia among Indigenous people living in remote communities.

Dr Raeleene Gregory is an academic whose teaching and research centres on rural health and welfare practice and the experience of professional life in small communities. Raeleene has extensive practice and management experience in mental health social work including aged psychiatry, and sexual assault support. She has taught social science, rural social welfare and social work over many years.

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