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Family and Domestic Violence Early Intervention Skill Set

Whether you work in a field where you interact with people who are impacted by family and domestic violence, or know someone who has experienced it, sometimes it's hard to know the right way to respond or help. This is particularly true for early intervention - offering support and assistance in a targeted way, to stop early signs of violence from escalating.

You will learn about using effective questioning, active listening and rapport building to gain trust and gather information for early intervention for domestic and family violence. This skill set covers ethical considerations; legal aspects; procedures, practices and standards; and referral sources and associated protocols.

State ID: AE648

UNIT OF COMPETENCY

CHCDFV001- Recognise and respond appropriately to domestic and family violence

This unit describes the knowledge and skills required to identify and respond to the needs of clients who may be experiencing domestic and family violence, including responding to immediate intervention and support needs. This unit applies to health and community service workers providing services according to established organisation procedures. These workers may not be specialised family violence workers.

Cost: This skill set is funded under the WA Government fee free initiative.

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