

ADVOCATES FOR CHANGE

Lived Experience Advocacy Training

Ending violence against women and family violence

Expression of Interest – Survivor-Advocate (state-wide)

Engender Equality values diversity and applicants from diverse backgrounds, identities and experiences will be viewed favourably. This may include people from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander, LGBTIQ+, culturally and linguistically diverse communities and people with disabilities. Engender Equality is trans and gender diversity and sex worker inclusive.

We recognise that much of the following information requested is both personal and sensitive. The following information will assist us to be aware of relevant risk and safety implications which is an important part of our role as facilitators.

You do not have to answer all the following questions in order to apply. Engender Equality is committed to ensuring that your information is confidential. If you would like more information about our Privacy Policy, please contact us 03 6278 9090 or email admin@engenderequality.org.au

Please return this form to Engender Equality no later than 5pm on Monday 5th October, 2020.

Contact Details:

Name:	
Address:	
Mobile:	
Email:	
Gender:	
Preferred pronouns:	

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Background information:

Age Group: 18-24 25-34 35-44 44-45 55-64 65+

How would you best describe your cultural background?

What key messages about your experience as a survivor of family violence would you like to get across?

What relationships did the perpetrator have to you? (i.e. partner, father, family members, carer etc.)

How long is it since the family violence was occurring?

Do you have a FVO (Family Violence Order) or PVO (Police Family Violence Order)?

Do you have any children? What are their ages?

Are you involved in any current legal proceedings or family court proceedings?

Do you have any ongoing support and/or counselling services in place?

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Additional information:

Are you currently working or studying?

Have you had any media and/or public speaking experience?

What are your expectations of participating in the Advocates for Change Program?

Do you have any limitations on being able to make media comments? (Note: An alias can be used and no image if required. This will be discussed further in training).

Availability:

Training will be held online by Zoom over four days. (Confidential meeting links will be provided to successful participants). The training will be held on **Monday 9th, Monday 16th, Monday 23rd and Monday 30th November, 2020 from 9:30 am to 2:30 pm.**

Are you available to attend all four days? YES NO

**Only participants who can attend all four days will be able to participate.*

What happens next?

All completed expressions of interest will be considered for a pre-training interview. The interview is an informal conversation either in person, over the phone or by Zoom to discuss the program, for us to meet you and you to meet us. After the interview process, Engender Equality will confirm with you whether you have a place in the program. As there are limited places available, unfortunately not all those who express interest will be offered a place.

Thank you for completing this expression of interest! We will be in touch soon to discuss the outcome of your application.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Tess Moodie, Advocates for Change Project Coordinator on 0438 045 986 or email advocates@engenderequality.org.au

Signed: _____

Dated: _____