

# Training and Professional Development Calendar

## December 2015 - January 2016

Produced by the Youth Coalition of the ACT

In partnership with the Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drug Association ACT and the Mental Health Community Coalition ACT



## DECEMBER

- 1 Youth Housing & Homelessness Forum 9:30am  
Contact: Youth Coalition of the ACT 02 6247 3540 or deputy@youthcoalition.net
- 1 Writing for Government (Briefs)  
Contact: CIT Short Courses 02 6207 4441 or cit.solutions.edu.au  
Cost: \$495
- 1- Case Work Training for Youth Workers  
2 Contact: CYFSPTTraining@act.gov.au
- 1- Accidental Counsellor Training  
2 Contact: Susie 02 6204 6402 or training@act.lifeline.org.au  
Cost: \$450 concession or community orgs / \$500 full
- 1- Trauma Informed Groupwork with Vulnerable  
2 Communities  
Contact: Andrew King 0437 546 560 or info@groupworksolutions.com.au  
Cost: \$594
- 2 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Comorbidity Interagency Day  
Contact: CatholicCare 02 6163 7625 or abbey.higginson@catholiccare.cg.org.au  
Cost: Free
- 2 Effective Communication with Clients from Diverse Backgrounds – Using Interpreters 10am-12pm  
Contact: Glenn Flanagan 02 6251 4550 or glenn.flanagan@companionhouse.org.au  
Cost: Free (but booking essential)
- 3 Human Resources Peer Network 9:30-11:30am  
Contact: ACTCOSS 02 6202 7200
- 3 The Fundamentals of Working Cross Culturally  
Contact: Glenn Flanagan 02 6251 4550 or glenn.flanagan@companionhouse.org.au  
Cost: Free (but booking essential)
- 7- LivingWorks Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training  
8 Contact: Susie 02 6204 6402 or training@act.lifeline.org.au
- 9 SoSAFE! Training Course for Disability Workers  
Contact: SHFPACT 02 6247 3077 or training@shfpact.org.au  
Cost: \$395

- 10 Annual Youth Sector Awards (YOGIES) 2-4pm  
Contact: Hannah Watts 02 6247 3540 or hannah@youthcoalition.net
- 10 A Child Centered, Family Focused Approach  
Contact: CYFSPTTraining@act.gov.au
- 10 Difficult Conversations  
Contact: Wizard Training 1800 244 514 or wizard@wct.com.au  
Cost: \$489

## JANUARY

- 20 Conflict Management and Solutions  
Contact: Wizard Training 1800 244 514 or wizard@wct.com.au  
Cost: \$550
- 22 Productivity and Managing Stress  
Contact: Wizard Training 1800 244 514 or wizard@wct.com.au  
Cost: \$550
- 28 Cultural Diversity in the Workplace  
Contact: Wizard Training 1800 244 514 or wizard@wct.com.au  
Cost: \$550
- 28- Accidental Counsellor Training  
29 Contact: Susie 02 6204 6402 or training@act.lifeline.org.au  
Cost: \$450 concession, community orgs / \$500 full

### About the Training & Professional Development Calendar

This Training and Professional Development Calendar is produced bi-monthly by the Youth Coalition of the ACT in partnership with the Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drug Association ACT (ATODA) and the Mental Health Community Coalition ACT (MHCC ACT). The purpose of the calendar is to raise awareness of training and professional development opportunities available to workers from the youth, alcohol, tobacco and other drug, mental health, family support, housing and homelessness and community sectors in the ACT and surrounding regions. For more information, to receive hard copies of the calendar, or to include your training in the next calendar (February - March), contact the Youth Coalition of the ACT on 02 6247 3540 or hannah@youthcoalition.net.

### Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drug Association ACT

The Alcohol Tobacco and Other Drug Association ACT (ATODA) is the peak body representing the alcohol, tobacco and other drug sector in the ACT.

ATODA provides leadership, representation, information, policy, research, and development activities to prevent and reduce the harms associated with alcohol, tobacco and other drugs.

For more information visit [www.atoda.org.au](http://www.atoda.org.au) or contact ATODA on 02 6255 4070 or [info@atoda.org.au](mailto:info@atoda.org.au).

### Mental Health Community Coalition ACT

The Mental Health Community Coalition ACT (MHCC ACT) is the peak body representing the not for profit Community Mental Health sector in the ACT.

Founded in 2004 the organisation promotes a diverse range of community agencies and local consumer and carer groups that support people recovering from a mental illness in the community. MHCC ACT works inclusively with all stakeholders to support the development of new community based services and promotes the interests of consumers, carers and not for profit community organisations.

For more information visit [www.mhccact.org.au](http://www.mhccact.org.au) or contact MHCC ACT on 02 6249 7756 or [admin@mhccact.org.au](mailto:admin@mhccact.org.au).

### Youth Coalition of the ACT

The Youth Coalition is the peak youth affairs body in the ACT and is responsible for representing the interests of people aged between 12 and 25 years of age, and those who work with them. The Youth Coalition is represented on many ACT Government advisory structures and provides advice to the ACT Government on youth issues as well as providing information to youth services about policy and program matters.

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