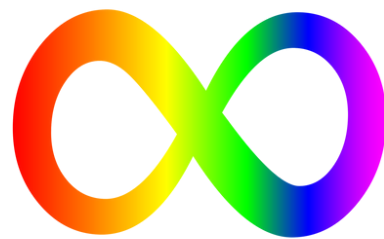


AUTISM AND SUICIDE PREVENTION 2023

WHO IS THE TRAINING FOR?

Mental Health Clinicians and other professionals such as psychologists, social workers, speech pathologists, occupational therapists, paediatricians, psychiatrists and registrars, working with children and young people with autism.



WHO PROVIDES THE TRAINING?

Dr. Darren Hedley is Associate Professor, Principal Research Fellow and Research Director of the Health & Wellbeing research program at the Olga Tennison Autism Research Centre (OTARC), La Trobe University. Dr. Hedley has been involved in numerous research studies focusing on suicide and autism, as well as the development of suicide risk assessment tools specifically for autistic people including the Suicide Response Project.

Dr. Sanjay Patel is a Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist who works at the Royal Children's Hospital Mental Health Program in Melbourne. Dr. Patel has many years of experience working with children and adolescents experiencing complex mental health problems and co-occurring autism.

WHAT DOES THE TRAINING INCLUDE?

This training will provide an overview of suicide prevalence and risk factors for autistic people and introduce participants to suicide risk assessment tools adapted for this population. Lived experience, clinical expertise and case examples will be incorporated in the training to support participants to develop their knowledge about how to assess and respond to suicidality in autistic youth.

View all our Autism training workshops at:

<https://mindful.org.au/asd-training>

Please note:


We encourage early registration as some workshops reach capacity quickly. Additional workshops may be scheduled if there is sufficient interest.

Fees listed include the Goods and Services Tax (GST).

Where are we?

Mindful – Centre for Training and Research in Developmental Health
Department of Psychiatry,
University of Melbourne

Building C, 50 Flemington Street,
Travancore VIC 3032

 This training will be delivered as a live webinar via Zoom unless otherwise indicated.

Enquiries

Please direct enquiries to Frances Saunders, Statewide Autism Training Coordinator at:

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DATE (9.00am - 12.30pm)

Friday 9th June (live webinar)

COST: \$120

Subsidised rate of \$60 is available to Victorian CYMHS/CAMHS/AMHS: including Orygen, Infant Child Family Health and Wellbeing Hubs, Headspace, ACCHO/ACCHS, Take Two clinicians, and clinicians employed at Victorian publicly funded Adult Mental Health Services (including Forensicare).

Register online at <https://mindful.org.au/asd-training>

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Cancellation Policy: Registered participants who are unable to attend and notify us of this in writing prior to fourteen days before the workshop may either: (1) cancel their registration and receive a refund of their payment minus administration fee of 20% or \$40, whichever is greater; (2) transfer their registration to another eligible participant (no fee); (3) in some circumstances may be able to transfer their registration to an equivalent-cost ASD workshop in the same calendar year, if space is available. Participants who cancel 14 to 2 business days before the workshop may be permitted to transfer their registration to another eligible participant (no fee). In exceptional circumstances, please contact Mindful.