

# Identify, Respond and Refer: Strengthening domestic and family violence supports for people with disability

## Course Details

**Workshop Number:** DV638  
**Date:** see list below  
**Trainers:** Erin Cahill & Janel Manns

## Target Group

- Disability Advocacy Services
- Disability sector workers and their managers

## Course Description

This 1-day face to face workshop (with 2 x 1hr online components) is specifically designed for workers and managers in direct care and support roles within the NSW Disability Sector. It explores how to identify and respond to disclosures of domestic and family violence, as well as exploring referral pathways and collaborative support practices for people with disability who are experiencing domestic and family violence. The course supports staff to recognise indicators of domestic and family violence, to identify high risk and to manage safe responses to disclosures.

**Prerequisites:** Access to the online components will be supplied after enrolment:

- Module 1: Domestic and Family Violence (DFV) and People with Disability
- Module 2: Frameworks for practice: Working with people with disability experiencing DFV

**Cost:** NSW disability workers – Free

**Refreshments:** Morning & afternoon tea is provided to face to face workshops. Lunch is not provided.

Location	Date of training	Closing date to apply:	Course coordinator:
Queanbeyan	15/03/23	22/02/23	<a href="mailto:Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au">Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Orange	22/03/23	29/02/23	<a href="mailto:Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au">Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Sydney	05/04/23	08/03/23	<a href="mailto:Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au">Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Online	12/04/23	15/03/23	<a href="mailto:Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au">Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Campbelltown	26/04/23	29/03/23	<a href="mailto:Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au">Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Online	05/05/23	11/04/23	<a href="mailto:Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au">Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Online	09/05/23	11/04/23	<a href="mailto:Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au">Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Online	18/05/23	20/04/23	<a href="mailto:Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au">Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Newcastle	25/05/23	27/04/23	<a href="mailto:Wendy.Frost@health.nsw.gov.au">Wendy.Frost@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
North Parramatta	30/05/23	02/05/23	<a href="mailto:Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au">Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Online	07/06/23	10/05/23	<a href="mailto:Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au">Lynda.Andrews@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Coffs Harbour	22/06/23	25/05/23	<a href="mailto:Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au">Kathleen.Shaw@health.nsw.gov.au</a>
Online	26/06/23	01/06/23	<a href="mailto:Wendy.Frost@health.nsw.gov.au">Wendy.Frost@health.nsw.gov.au</a>

**Enquiries:** See individual course coordinators above

Or phone/email the administration office: [wslhd-ecav@health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:wslhd-ecav@health.nsw.gov.au) | 02-9840-3735

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**Face to Face training:** <https://swecav.hss.health.nsw.gov.au/portal/forms/course-application-wizard?cid=548>

**Virtual training:** <https://swecav.hss.health.nsw.gov.au/portal/forms/course-application-wizard?cid=545>