

Working Together to Make a Difference

Mental Health and Intellectual Disability

**This is a day of Professional Development for staff in :
SSPs (Intellectual Disability)
Support units (IO, IM) in mainstream schools**

The aims of the day are to equip staff with greater knowledge and skills in:

- Identifying and responding to mental health issues in their school
- Awareness of mental health promotion and well being programs for the SSP setting
- Support and networking with other SSPs and support units, and other services.



August 6th 2014

8.30am-3.30pm

Revesby Workers Club

2B Brett St, Revesby

Cost: \$55 (incl. lunch and refreshments)

Register through MYPL

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PROGRAM

Working Together to Make a Difference- Mental Health and Intellectual Disability

(NB: Please arrive at 8.30am for registration. The program will begin at 9am sharp.)

Time	Topic	Presenter
9-9.10	Welcome to Country Introduction	
9.10- 10.00	Mental Health in SSPs- Where Do We Start?	Maryanne Vorreiter and Jane Nethery- Mind Matters
10.00- 10.30	Implementation and Peer Mentoring	The Hills School
10.30-10.50	Morning tea	
10.50-12.30	Identifying Mental Health in the SSP Setting	Dr David Dossetor- Children's Hospital at Westmead
12.30-1.00	Responding to Mental Health in the SSP Setting- A Case Study	Speaker to be confirmed
1.00-1.45	Lunch	
1.45-2.30	Safety Planning in Response to Sexualised Behaviour	Kellie Van Seville- Statewide Behaviour Intervention Service, ADHC, Dept Family and Communities
2.30-3.20	Self Care for Staff	Anne Reddie- Principal, Rivendell SSP
3.20-3.30	Evaluation and lucky door prize	