



Delivering a Healthy WA



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Department of **Health**
South Metropolitan Area Health Service

South Metropolitan Area Health Service, Mental Health (SMAHS, MH)

Multicultural & Aboriginal Services bring to you

“What Was, What Is, & What Now?”

ABORIGINAL MENTAL HEALTH WORKSHOP

A WORKSHOP THAT CAN HELP YOU UNDERSTAND BETTER AND HOW BEST TO WORK WITH YOUR ABORIGINAL CLIENTS & COMMUNITY.

TOPICS COVERED IN THIS ONE DAY WORKSHOP:

- In depth look at two different societies & their impact on each other
- Overview of the Aboriginal status today & what are the prevalent issues
- How to work with the Aboriginal community: What works, what doesn't, & ways of working

Presented by a very experienced team comprising of:

Fred Yasso (Aboriginal Liaison Officer, Alma Street Centre, FHHS)

Des Blurton (Aboriginal Liaison Officer, PARK MHS)

John Vandergiezen (Triage/Ed Social Worker, Alma Street Centre, FHHS)

Shannon McNear (MST Clinician ATSI Specialist, PARK MHS)

WHEN: 16th March 2010 (TUESDAY)

TIME: 0830 Registration for 0900H Start – 1600H

VENUE: BOARDROOM, 18 DALGETY ST, EAST FREMANTLE

**FEE: \$100.00 External Applicants
Fee exempted only for Employees of Mental Health Service of SMAHS**

RSVP: 2nd March 2010 (TUESDAY)

TO REGISTER: CONTACT SMAHS, MH RECEPTIONIST: smahs.mentalhealth.receptionist@health.wa.gov.au

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