

# Recognising & Responding to **Elder Sexual Abuse**

### 2 Day Workshop

A free 2 day workshop funded by Victim Assist Queensland through the Building Capacity Funding Program and delivered by Gold Coast Centre Against Sexual Violence

## Gold Coast 17&18 June 2019

QT Hotel 7 Staghorn Ave, Surfers Paradise, QLD 4217

## Sunshine Coast 25&26 June 2019

The Lakehouse 15 Freshwater St, Mountain Creek, QLD 4557

This specialist trauma and elder informed training is aimed at increasing workers' confidence, knowledge, skills and capacity to recognise and respond to Elder Sexual Abuse.

#### The content will include:

- · Broader context
- · Elder abuse, sexual violence and DV
- Elder sexual abuse definition, nature, myths and statistics
- Legal and ethical considerations
- · Impact of Elder sexual abuse
- · Needs of victim/survivors
- · Cultural considerations
- · Tools and resources
- Referral pathways
- · Facilitating and responding to a disclosure

#### By participating in this training you will:

- Understand more about the complex nature of Elder Sexual Abuse
- Improve confidence in identifying Elder Sexual Abuse
- Enhance capacity in responding to the issue
- Increase skills in providing appropriate support
- Develop knowledge of referral pathways
- Gain knowledge of resources that will assist you in your work



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RSVP via email to director@stopsexualviolence.com before 31 May 2019 Note: There are limited places available in each location. You will receive an email to confirm your place.