

Southern Homelessness Services Network

Networking Forum and Expo



Wednesday, 30 October 2024
No 1 Events @ Malvern Valley Golf Course

AGENDA

Forum Facilitator: Ruth Gordon, Coordinator, Southern Homelessness Services Network

9.15am **Registration and Expo**

Please visit our agency expo after you register and chat to staff about their work

9.45am **Welcome**

Karen Lococo, Chair, Southern Homelessness Services Network

Operations Manager, Engagement Hubs and Individual Planned Support,
Sacred Heart Mission

9.50am **The SHSN and our work**

Ruth Gordon

Coordinator, Southern Homelessness Services Network

10.00am **Homes Victoria Update**

Sherri Bruinhout

Executive Director, Homelessness and Housing Support, Homes Victoria

10.40am **Lived Experience Panel Discussion**

Facilitated by Prof Robyn Martin, RMIT University

Panel Members:

Maurya Bourandanis Vasileios Tsialtas Sim Crawford Chris Reid

11.25am **Speed Networking Instructions:**

You have 5 minutes to talk to each person in your group. After 5 minutes swap to talk to someone else in your group.

Questions: Name, Agency and Position

Briefly explain your work

What is the best thing about your work (highlight)?

What is the worst thing about your work (lowlight)?

Agenda continued

12.10pm

Workshops – choose one of the following topics:

(take a chair and move to the workshop sign)

- Family violence
- Chronic homelessness
- Rough sleeping
- Lived experience of homelessness
- Children experiencing homelessness
- First Nations homelessness
- IAP/Entry points Issues
- Transitional housing & support
- Mental health
- Young people

12.50pm

Summing up and Evaluation - Ruth Gordon

1.00pm

Forum Close

1.00pm – 2.00pm

Networking Lunch and Expo

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Thank you for your participation!

Forum Evaluation

Please go to <https://forms.office.com/r/88Pc2nBHeU>
or use the QR code to complete the evaluation Survey.

The SHSN will put together a report from the Forum proceedings.
The report will use photos taken today. Please advise if you do not want your photo used by emailing
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