

**Essential Foundations Workshop** for DHHS funded Sexual Assault Workers.

*Supporting victim /survivors through the legal system*

**Presenters:** Jenna Tuke (CASA House Manager); Victoria Police, Specialist Sexual Offences Unit, OPP; Child Witness Program; Witness Assistance Service; Springvale Legal Service.

**On:** June 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**From:** 9.30am – 4.30pm

**At:** Queen Victoria Women's Centre  
210 Lonsdale St, Melbourne

**This workshop will focus on Criminal Law and Compensation options for victims/survivors of sexual assault. The training includes a court tour and visit to the Child Witness Service**

### **Workshop Objectives**

- Review sexual offences legislation
- Enhance knowledge about witness support programs for adults and children who have experienced sexual assault
- Examine victims of crime legislation and procedures
- Understand the progression of a sexual assault matter through the legal process
- Consider implications of legal frameworks for support, counselling and advocacy
- Develop skills for effective advocacy on behalf of victim/survivors who have reported sexual assault to the police.
- Recognise vicarious impacts of supporting victim/survivors through the legal process

To register for this workshop - **To register for this workshop please complete the registration process at tri booking:** <https://www.trybooking.com/BGMOB>

Any problems email admin at SECASA [secasa@monashhealth.org](mailto:secasa@monashhealth.org)

*\*Morning tea will be provided, participants are asked to provide their own lunch.*

**For more information about this workshop please contact**  
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