A Right to Respect: Preventing Violence against Women with Disabilities Training

**Women and girls with disabilities are twice as likely to experience violence as those without disabilities.**

**This online workshop, aimed towards disability and social services workforces, will show how gender and disability inequality drives violence, and how you can prevent it.**

**The training will be delivered over three sessions:**

* Session 1: Introduction to Prevention of Violence against Women with Disabilities
* Session 2: Drivers of Violence and Essential Actions
* Session 3: Prevention in Action

## Details

**Date:**

Session 1: Tuesday 16th March

Session 2: Tuesday 23rd March

Session 3: Tuesday 30th March

**Time:** 10:00am–1:00pm

**Location:** Online via Zoom (details will be provided upon registration)

**Register:** by Tuesday 9th March 2021 via <https://wwdv.wildapricot.org/event-4176198>

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## Pricing

## (per participant, including GST)

#### Organisation (cost per person)

* **$50** per session

#### Individual/sole trader

* **$25** per session

## What you will learn

**Session 1**: Introduction to Prevention of Violence against Women with Disabilities

* How gender and disability inequality intersect to create disadvantage for women with disability
* Impacts of violence against women with disability
* Why gender inequity is a key driver of violence against women with disability.

**Session 2**: Drivers of Violence and Essential Actions

* How our everyday actions and practice can contribute to violence against women with disability
* How gender and disability equitable practice can create change to end violence
* Strategies and tools to prevent violence against women with disability.

***“Eye opening and important”***

– Training participant

**Session 3**: Prevention in Action

* How we can be active bystanders to prevent violence against women with disability
* How primary prevention can inform the safe management of disclosures of violence against women with disability
* Referral services which can assist in responding to women with disability who experience violence.

The training is co-facilitated with an expert in violence prevention and a woman with a lived experience of disabilities. It is evidence-based, aligning with the latest research on disability, Our Watch’s *Change the Story*, and the Preventing Family Violence & Violence against Women Capability Framework.

***“I feel like I can make a real difference now”***

– Training participant