

# Expression of Interest Form - Lived Experience

## Online Homelessness Services Portal Project: Lived Experience Participation

This form is to be completed by anyone interested in supporting the project team to help them understand the needs of people experiencing homelessness.

The project is seeking participants with lived experience of homelessness to be part of an **ongoing Lived Experience Advisory Group** as well as people to participate in **one to one interviews** to inform the development of the homelessness portal. We are also seeking up to 3 people to represent the Lived Experience Advisory Group on the **Design Team**.

All participants will be paid for their time.

Please submit your interest by completing the form by **Friday 8th April 2022**.

**If you want to find out more about the project before filling in the form or would like support in doing so then please e-mail [nina.ulyett@anglicarewa.org.au](mailto:nina.ulyett@anglicarewa.org.au) (<mailto:nina.ulyett@anglicarewa.org.au>) or call on [0410034814](tel:0410034814). We can fill it out together.**

\* Required

### About you

1. Please provide your Full Name \*

2. Please provide your preferred contact number (please indicate if this is direct or via an organisation) \*

3. Please provide your current address (so we can understand potential travel needs)

4. Please provide your e-mail address

5. If you are being supported by an organisation to apply please provide the name of the organisation and the name of the worker you are connected to:

6. In order to make the portal work for everyone we would like to get a diverse mix of people involved. In order to do that we need to ask a few questions about you. If you don't feel comfortable doing this you can leave this blank and we will contact you to discuss your circumstances.

Please select the statements that you feel apply:

- I am an individual who has needed to look for accommodation due to homelessness
- I am a parent of young children who has needed to look for accommodation due to homelessness
- I am a young person (aged 15-25) who has needed to look for accommodation due to homelessness
- I identify as Aboriginal
- I identify as Torres Strait Islander
- I identify as being culturally and/or linguistically diverse (CALD)
- I identify as having a disability
- I identify as LGBTIQ+

## Your involvement

We want to involve a range of people who have needed to seek accommodation due to homelessness to help inform the design and development of the portal to make it a success.

In the ideal world our meetings would have been in person but in the current world we may have to do a lot of this work online. **In order to participate in the Lived Experience Advisory Group and the Design Team you will need to have access to a laptop or tablet in order to join the online meetings.**

**One to One interviews will not have this requirement.**

If you are accessing a service currently this could be something they could support you with. Meeting dates and times will be planned in advance so you will know when you are needed. If this is a barrier for you then please get in touch by e-mailing Nina on [Nina.ulyett@anglicarewa.org.au](mailto:Nina.ulyett@anglicarewa.org.au) (<mailto:Nina.ulyett@anglicarewa.org.au>).

We will do our best to support you to use the tools to participate in the online meetings.

7. What would you be interested in being involved in? \*

- Lived Experience Advisory Group** - monthly online meetings for people with lived experience to test aspects of the portal and provide feedback on the development of the portal
- Design Team** - representatives from the Lived Experience Advisory Group will be part of the Design Team to ensure effective feedback on the portal. These will be frequent (monthly or bi-monthly) multiple online sessions with people from the Department of Communities and Service providers as well as the project team.
- One to One Interview** - An in-depth conversation about your experience
- Testing** of the portal as it develops

8. Tell us about any questions or concerns which may prevent you from participating?  
Or, if you need anything to assist you to participate (e.g. support, equipment, knowledge of digital tools)

9. Do you have any further comments you want to share?

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