

FURTHER TRAINING AND EDUCATION IN RISK AREAS OF MENTAL HEALTH

Below are some suggestions for extended learning. Queensland Health staff can also check their hospital and health service (HHS) Learning On Line (LOL) website. Please note that many sites require registration to access learning; most sources linked here are provided at no cost.

The information below is provided based on each risk domain.

Suicide	
Queensland Centre for Mental Health Learning: www.qcmhl.qld.edu.au	
QC2 Engage, Assess, Respond to and Support Suicidal People (EARS)	
QC28 Youth: Engage, Assess, Respond to, and Support Suicidal People (YEARS)	
QC25 Suicide Risk Assessment and Management in an Emergency Department Setting (SRAM-ED) – Train the Trainer	
QC31 Supporting a Suicidal Young Person (SSYP)	
QC61 Suicide Risk Assessment and Management in Emergency Department Settings (SRAM-ED)	
Self-harm	
Orygen: https://www.orygen.org.au	Project Air videos and resources https://www.projectairstrategy.org/index.html
Resources include: Understanding Self-harm Where to begin for families and carers online training module	Related to personality disorders, including information relevant to risk of self-harm, and resources for strategies to mitigate risk.
MHPOD: www.mhpod.gov.au Working with people who Self-harm (requires registration, free)	Reachout: https://au.reachout.com/ https://au.reachout.com/tough-times/self-harm
Aggression/violence	
Queensland Centre for Mental Health Learning: www.qcmhl.qld.edu.au	
QC30 Violence Risk Assessment and Management [Supporting Queensland Health Violence risk assessment and management framework – mental health services].	
Understanding Domestic and Family Violence eLearning module https://www.qcmhl.qld.edu.au/dfv/	
Queensland Health – Domestic and Family Violence training resources to support clinicians https://www.health.qld.gov.au/clinical-practice/guidelines-procedures/patient-safety/duty-of-care/domestic-family-violence/healthcare-workers	
Western Centre for Research and Education on Violence Against Women and Children Domestic Violence Risk Assessment and Management online training module ‘Focusing on violence prevention, education and research’.	



MHPOD: www.mhpod.gov.au

Working with People with Forensic Histories or at Risk of Offending online training module.

Vulnerability

Substance use

Insight: insight.qld.edu.au

Insight provide courses on alcohol and other drugs (AOD) assessment and treatment. Their e-Learning courses include: Drugs: The Basics, AOD Orientation, and Family and Young People. Workshops cover a range of practice skills valuable to clinicians in mental health and alcohol and other drug sectors.

Dovetail: www.dovetail.org.au/training/

Dovetail provide in-person training across Queensland, offering tailored workshops from a one-hour presentation through to full-day practical workshops. They also offer reflective practice workshops for services or teams looking to improve their responses to young people who use alcohol and other drugs.

Sexual health and safety

Queensland Centre for Mental Health Learning: www.qcmhl.qld.edu.au

RE06 *Sexual Health and Safety Guidelines* online awareness package

Orygen: <https://www.orygen.org.au>

[Sexual health and mental wellbeing in young people](#) online training module

Homelessness

NSW Government Health Education and Training

Healthcare responses to homelessness module 1: What is homelessness and who is at risk?

<https://www.heti.nsw.gov.au/education-and-training/courses-and-programs/healthcare-responses-to-homelessness-module-1-what-is-homelessness-and-who-is-at-risk>

OpenLearn

Understanding Homelessness Hub (not Australia specific)

<https://www.open.edu/openlearn/society-politics-law/criminology/understanding-homelessness>

There are many areas of vulnerability – we encourage you to explore the Learning Centre’s Resource Hub or source other training for other areas/needs.



Child safety and Parental Responsibilities

Emerging Minds

Online learning for clinicians to better understand and support the needs of children with a parent who has a mental illness

<https://emergingminds.com.au/training/online-training/>

[Child Aware Practice](#)

[Child Aware Supervision](#)

Emerging Minds: Engaging parents – an introduction

[Emerging Minds: Supporting infants and toddlers](#)

[Trauma and the child](#)

Webinar recording: [What is infant and child mental health and why is it important for all practitioners to think about it](#)

Insight: www.insight.qld.edu.au

[Working with families and significant others](#) online learning

Absent without approval

Only accessible to Queensland Health staff

Mental Health Act 2016 online training module – search course catalogue on iLearn <https://qheps.health.qld.gov.au/ilearn>

