



CRITICAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT FOR SCHOOLS

2 Day Professional Learning

presented by Pastoral Wellbeing Team, CES Sandhurst

27 - 28 July 2020

9:30am - 3:00pm

The Woolshed @Emerald Bank / 7719 Goulburn Valley Highway , Kialla

Overview

There is a wealth of evidence that a well trained Critical Incident Management Team can enhance a school's capacity to respond to a difficult event, moving towards stabilisation and order, in a sensitive and pastoral way. This professional development is intended to enhance a school's capacity to respond to and manage critical incidents. Through presentations and practical exercises, it will offer the opportunity to increase understanding of the impact of critical incidents and improve strategies and skills for leading school communities towards stability and healing after an incident.

The Two Day Professional Development will:

1. Outline key issues and strategies for incident response and management including: the first hours – the pragmatics of what to do when a crisis occurs; crisis day plans; organizational and administrative issues; public relation issues and the unique needs of staff.
2. Give participants an understanding of the dynamics and tasks of loss and bereavement including needs of children, adolescents, parents and staff.
3. Provide an overview of the difference between grief and trauma and implications of responding to each.
4. Provide guidelines for rituals and memorial activities.
5. Provide a salutogenic philosophy of Critical Incident Management based on current best practice

Who to Send:

First wave: Staff who will lead a critical incident response in your school e.g. principal, deputy principal.

Second wave and beyond: Those staff who will support the leader of the response including administration staff, pastoral wellbeing staff, members of leadership team, those new to leadership team.

Completed the training 3-5 years ago?

Think about participating again to refresh and refine your learning.

WHO TO CONTACT IF NEEDED:

If you have questions please contact your Pastoral Wellbeing Education Officer
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