AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS (NSW BRANCH)

Becoming a practitioner researcher: An experiential workshop
Presented by: Roslyn Giles

Date: Friday, 17th August 2012
Time: 9.30am to 4.30pm
Venue: AASW NSW Branch Office- 87-97 Regent St, Chippendale
(few minutes’ walk from Central Station)

Cost: (incl. GST) Ordinary rates: Members: $163.00. Non-members: $209.00
CPD Points: This course attracts 12 AASW CPD Accreditation points.

The aims of this session:

The contemporary context of practice requires social workers to be both highly competent practitioners as well as highly competent in reading, understanding and applying research. It also increasingly requires social workers to be capable of undertaking research in their own practice environment.

This experiential workshop aims to enhance participants capacity to be practitioner researchers in particular to understand and apply the processes of clinical data mining in the workplace. Participants will be introduced to the concept and process of clinical data mining i.e. the process of conducting valid research using the data naturally created in daily work.

Roslyn Giles holds 25 years experience as a health social work practitioner and manager and 10 years experience as a social work academic. As a practitioner, educator and researcher Roslyn is committed to encouraging all social workers to build their capacity to seek new practice knowledge by asking questions about their practice and undertaking valid research.

Becoming a capable practitioner researcher is essential for all social workers committed to enhancing the well being of all people as well as articulating the value of social work practice to administrators and funding bodies.

Workshop Topics

- Considering the essential interplay between research and practice
- Developing practitioner researcher skills
- Introducing clinical data mining in practice
- Clinical data mining practice research exemplars
- Developing real practice research questions
- Designing achievable research steps
- Tips for completing a research project while maintaining practice

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: Ordinary: Friday 3rd August, 2012
Enquiries/Registration: AASW NSW Branch. Ph: 02 8394 9850. Fax: 8394 9895. Email: info@aaswnsw.com.au
Please note: 1. Payment by closing date is required to secure a place
2. Cancellations after the closing date and non-attendance are not eligible for refund

Registration Form and Tax Invoice

AASW ABN 93 008 576 010
Cost: (All prices include GST)

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Payment Methods: Cheque, money order, credit card or Electronic Funds Transfer.
For Credit Card or EFT payments please call the AASW NSW Branch Office.

Please confirm you have a secure place before payment is made.

Name ____________________________________________ Member No. ______________________________
Workplace ____________________________________________
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