

## Practice Lead Community of Practice

The Practice Lead CoP has been running since 2019. Its focus was supporting specialist family violence member services with MARAM and information sharing reforms. The CoP was paused in early 2023, with a view to recommence when further MARAM work was finalised.

We are pleased to advise the CoP will be recommencing from September 2023. Please see below for further information on who can attend, session frequency, what we will cover and how to register as a member.

## Who is this Community of Practice for?

- » This CoP is open to participants from Safe and Equal member services. Please discuss with the facilitator (contact below) if you are unsure if your organisation is a member.
- » The CoP is targeted to practice leaders or those undertaking similar duties involving implementing and promoting best practice. This may include, but is not limited to, practice lead dedicated roles, senior workers, team leaders, managers, project workers.
- » Participants should have an active role in implementing and/or supporting MARAM best practice in their organisations. Please see below for the MARAM areas the CoP intends to cover.

## Session content

The CoP will focus on recent or upcoming MARAM work including:

### MARAM Adults Using Family Violence Practice Guides and Tools

- » These guides are published, and training is partially released.
- » The CoP will cover what specialist family violence victim survivor services need to know about this guidance and tools, with a focus on information sharing and collaborative practice with other MARAM prescribed services.

### Predominant Aggressor Identification Template

- » This assessment tool and practice guidance, finalised in 2022, aims to identify the predominant aggressor and victim survivor, and support addressing misidentification where it has occurred.
- » Safe and Equal will support CoP members to embed this work into organisational policies and procedures, and into practice.

### The MARAM maturity model (when finalised)

- » The CoP will explore this model once finalised. You can learn more about the model [here](#).

The CoP will also provide a space for MARAMIS related updates and discussions as required including:

- » Outcomes of MARAMIS related reviews
- » Research and consultation opportunities
- » Emerging systems or practice issues

## Dates and Frequency

- » Sessions will run approximately every 6 weeks for 90 minutes.
- » Dates for 2023-24 will be finalised by end of August 2023 and sent to members, to ensure maximum availability of attendees.
- » Sessions will not be recorded in full, to ensure free participation and discussion. Where there are presentations or guest speakers not involving group discussion, these sections may be recorded and made available to CoP members.

## Registration

You can register for the CoP by [completing this form](#).

## Facilitator/Contact

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