

The Adelaide Trauma Centre

Invites you to another evening in our series of informal interview style sessions with therapists and people interested in therapy.

WHAT WE TALK ABOUT WHEN WE TALK ABOUT THERAPY

Friday 5th of Nov 2021

Drinks and nibbles from 6pm

Interview plus Q&A: 6:30-7:30pm

In the spacious seminar room:
SAMESH, 57 Hyde St, Adelaide.

KRYSTIE EDWARDS WILL BE INTERVIEWING
**GAYE KITTEL -SAPOL CHILD & FAMILY DETECTIVE
AND NON-PRACTICING PSYCHOLOGIST**

Exploring the topic:

Tolerating the intolerable: managing the trauma of emergency services first responding.

In this interview we will talk with Gaye about her lived experience of 34 years as a first responder and how she has negotiated the impact of this work on her. Informed by this discussion and the literature we will discuss some key things to keep in mind when working with emergency services workers.

Gaye Kittel

Gaye is a veteran police officer of 34 years, and currently a police detective with SAPol's District Child and Family Investigation Section.

Through her 20s Gaye worked on uniform general patrols before moving to the specialised areas of the Sexual Assault Unit, and the Family Violence Branch. Following that she spent 8 years (2004 - 2011) working in the Paedophile Task Force investigating historical sexual abuse referrals from the Children in State Care Commission of Enquiry. Gaye has also been a detective in general Criminal Investigation Branch work, although for the past 7 years has worked as a child and family abuse detective. She holds Masters degrees in Clinical and Health Psychology, and is currently registered as a non-practicing psychologist.

Krystie Edwards (AMHSW, MSW) is an ATC member, trauma therapist and supervisor in private practice.

Gaye has chosen **Living Beautifully** by **Pema Chodron** to be raffled at the event.

Money raised will be donated to the **UNHCR Afghanistan Emergency Fund**

RSVP to:

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by the 29th of October for catering purposes but feel free to bring others along on the night!

This is a free event.