



Insight Initiative

New Insights on the website

[Voices of Insight](#) – are de-identified narratives of people’s lived experience of domestic and family violence and other adversities. The narratives have been developed through the Insight Exchange interview process designed to affirm agency, uphold dignity and support safety. These narratives aim to provide a more accurate account of what has occurred through highlighting the ways in which a person has resisted and responded to the violence used against them. They explore the context in which the violence has occurred and how people, services and systems responded to victims of violence and how these responses were helpful, unhelpful or harmful.

- Read the latest Voices of Insight narrative we have published - [Ruby](#).

Exchange Initiative

New Insight Exchange Guides (COVID-19)

We have developed a series of guides to support the responses of individuals and sectors during and beyond COVID-19. Side 1 of each guide takes a focus on considerations for **now**, and to think about and be ready for what is needed **next** for people experiencing domestic and family violence. Supporting people during and beyond COVID-19 is our shared responsibility and no sector can create safety alone.

Responding to domestic and family violence during and beyond COVID-19

- [A guide for family and friends](#)
- [A guide for workplaces](#)
- [A guide for faith communities](#)

Guides for other sectors? Is your sector needing a similar guide sooner than later? [Contact Us](#) and we can prioritise to support your needs.

Additional Updates

We welcome our new Sightlines Associate [Dr Leticia Funston](#) to the team.

In parallel to her role in the Sightlines team, [Rebecca Glenn](#) is the founder of [Centre for Women's Economic Safety](#) (CWES). DVSM in its commitment to redress violence and improve responses for people experiencing violence, has committed to funding a joint project between DVSM and CWES to develop an Insights Paper into economic abuse, which will be used to help inform development of a framework for Women's Economic Safety.