



Healthy Deaf Minds

Workshop Programme

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Deaf Children Australia and Queensland Health Statewide Consultation Service Deafness & Mental Health are pleased to present a workshop providing insights into mental health and deafness for deaf sector, legal, health and allied professionals, along with deaf community members. The workshop facilitated by leading international expert Dr Brendan Monteiro will cover:

- Cultural models for deafness and the need for effective communication
- Psychological, emotional and intellectual implications of deafness
- Mental Health and deafness, including assessment and diagnosis
- Mental Health service provision for deaf people in the UK – lessons for Australia
- Use of Sign Language interpreters in the mental health settings for the deaf
- Difficulties deaf people face in the UK Criminal Justice System – lessons for Australia