



Who We Are

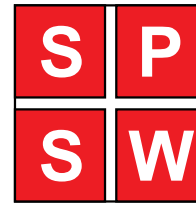
A non profit organisation representing and promoting best practice social work in Western Australia.

Dynamic and independent professional body that:

- represents the interests of social workers
- advocates on behalf of vulnerable adults and children
- seeks social justice for all marginalised groups in society

Member led, locally-based organisation with strong links to national and international forums and issues.

Principles and values based on the Society's Code of Ethics and recognised standards of practice.



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Contact Us

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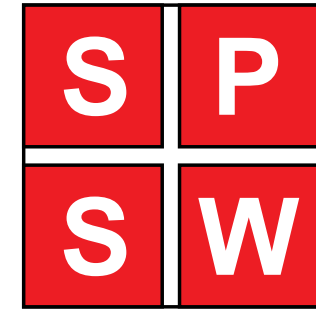
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Membership

Categories

Full membership

(concessional rates for unwaged, retired and low income members)

Student Membership

Life Membership

Associate Membership

Who Can Join?

Qualified social workers

Check out the website for the eligibility criteria or contact us for further information.

How to Become a Member?

All information about membership can be found on the website:

www.spsw.net.au/membership

Check out the eligibility criteria then contact the Executive Officer at eo@spsw.net.au before applying for membership.

Benefits of Membership

- Professional Indemnity
- Ability to sit on the Board or its Committees
- Discounts on CPE events
- A quarterly newsletter (monthly email updates)
- Access to an email group with community sector information/CPE events
- An employment locum advertising service
- WA-based networking opportunities
- SPSW website
- Shoprite membership

What We Do

- Support social workers by providing mentoring, training and advice.
- Contribute to the social debate and policy formation for disadvantaged and marginalised groups in society.
- Provide relevant, informative Continuing Professional Education (CPE) events for allied health and community services sector.

Continuing Professional Education (CPE)

- SPSW prides itself on top quality, low cost continuing professional education workshops and forums.
- It aims to run 10 workshops and 2 forums each year between March and December.
- SPSW workshops and events are open to all human service workers.
- Discounts apply to SPSW members and human services students.

CPE courses include the following topics/themes/issues:

- Child Protection and Abuse
- Trauma Informed Practice
- Alcohol and Drug Abuse
- Grief and Loss
- Supervision and Professional Practice
- Relationship Difficulties and many more....

Why not join the CPE committee and help plan future workshops.

For more information please contact:

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