



Queer Migrant Project

Information Factsheet

This is a project for LGBTQI+ refugees, asylum seekers, immigrants, and people who are culturally diverse in Queensland.

Do you work with people who have experience with domestic and family violence?

Do you have lived experience with domestic and family violence?

If you answered **YES** to either or both questions, we would love your expertise for this **paid** project.

Peer Advisory Group

We are looking for **10 people** to form a **Peer Advisory Group.** The group will **develop a collective voice** that addresses domestic and family violence experienced by LGBTQI+ refugees, asylum seekers, immigrants, and people who are culturally diverse.

The group will be consulted to:

- Explore the ways that domestic and family violence is understood by LGBTQI+ people who are culturally diverse;
- **Propose resources and strategies** for LGBTQI+ people who are culturally diverse and experience domestic and family violence to help them find support in Queensland;
- **Discuss existing community information and practitioner resources** about family and domestic violence in Queensland and propose ways to make them accessible for LGBTQI+ people who are culturally diverse;
- Identify gaps and opportunities for targeted, tailored, and translated resources for LGBTQI+ people who are culturally diverse and identify opportunities for resourcing this work;
- **Contribute to hosting a forum** for sector workers, stakeholders and legal practitioners who work with LGBTQI+ people who are culturally diverse and experience domestic and family violence; and
- **Contribute to a systemic review with recommendations** for strategies, action plans, policies and programs to provide to government agencies with responsibility for domestic and family violence.



Time commitment

The Peer Advisory Group will meet regularly from **August – December 2024**. They will work with LGBTQI+ facilitators from migrant backgrounds who will guide and support the group.

The **Q&A Information Session** will be held online on **Monday 5 August 2024** at **6pm – 7pm**. Click on <u>this Teams link</u> to join or email us to be forwarded a calendar invite.

The Peer Advisory Group will have space to organise the meetings and plan tasks and responsibilities at their own pace. This may mean reviewing materials outside the meetings if needed.

Your contribution

We greatly value your time and expertise. You will be paid **\$50 per hour** for your participation in meetings according to the <u>Position Statement</u> of Health Consumers Queensland.

Please let us know you need any additional support to enable to you to participate. We are happy to discuss!

Other ways to get involved

If you cannot join the Peer Advisory Group, we would love to hear about your experience with family and domestic violence services that help refugees, asylum seekers, immigrants, and people who are culturally diverse (see **Contact** below).

About the project

LGBTI Legal Service Inc has partnered with Third Queer Culture, QPASTT and Queer and Trans Workers Against Violence (QTWAV) to support migrants, refugees, and people who are culturally diverse to respond to and prevent domestic and family violence across Queensland.

QMP is enabled by the Safe and Diverse Communities Grant. LGBTI Legal Service Inc was **recently announced as one of three successful recipients of the large grant round.** This is an important and rare investment in a peer-led specialist program recommended by the National Plan.

Contact

Please send us an email with your interest at qmp@lgbtilegalservice.org or call us on (07) 3124 7160. We look forward to hearing from you!