

# Healing our past, empowering our future

**Youth Health Forum 2020 –  
A long and winding road:  
Navigating the journey of  
grief and loss**

Wednesday 29 July 9.55am – 10.20am



# Acknowledgement of Country



# Healing the Past, empowering the future

- ▶ Reflection on personal grief and loss and how intergeneration trauma is connected to this.
- ▶ Working with Aboriginal People: Enhancing Clinical Practice in Mental Health Care resource.



# Sorry Business

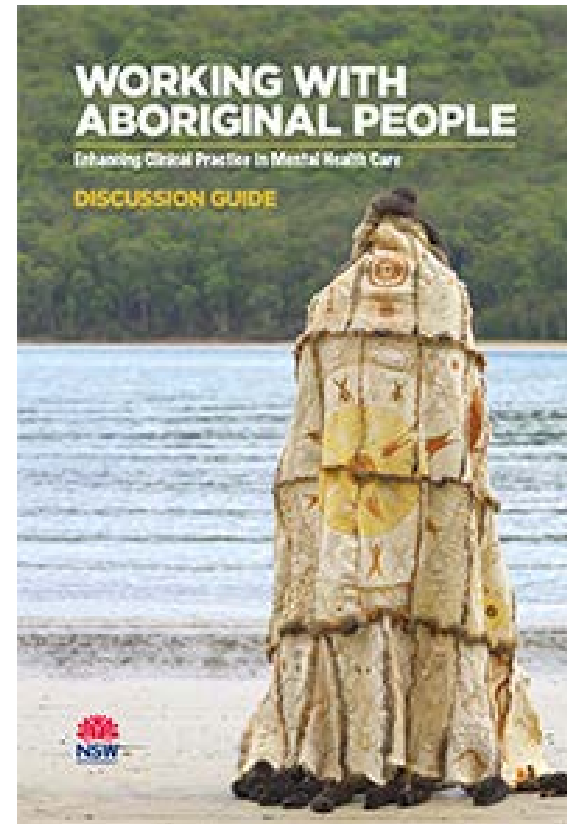
Every Aboriginal child has the right to maintain their cultural identity. Culture and identity is central to the long-term safety and wellbeing of Aboriginal children and young people.



# ‘Working with Aboriginal People: Enhancing Clinical Practice in Mental Health Care’

*The NSW Aboriginal Health Plan 2013-2023 focuses on changing the health system to ensure policies and programs meet the needs of Aboriginal people*

- Improve the health and wellbeing of Aboriginal communities
- The ‘Working with Aboriginal People” Enhancing Clinical Practice in Mental Health Care” and the discussion guide is designed to assist staff in gaining skills & knowledge in working with Aboriginal people



# Strong Cultural Identity



# Questions?

**Below is the link to  
the resource:**

[Working With Aboriginal People](#)

**Thank You**

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