

Tuesdays with Nexus

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Key Themes from Tuesdays with Nexus 5 October 2021 - 9.30am

28 people attended this session – Thank you for your participation.

Presenter:

Topic: The RCVMHS and Youth Services – Implications for the Youth Sector



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Please see Power Point for the slides

- Youth have sacrificed the most during the pandemic – employment, education etc
- The RCVMHS did not articulate a lot about the Youth sector in the recommendations
- The Victorian Youth Strategy will be released later this year
- YACVIC will keep the sector updated
- Federal and State elections are going to impact the direction and focus of advocacy by YACVic
- Digital Literacy discussion – digital services often replace F2F services in regional areas however there are many black-spot zones where service is not available and this excludes many YP. YP find phone and webchat easier than webchat often.
- Youth Peer Workforce development discussed – this is an area that needs further consideration and focus, including traineeships for YP.

Resources shared

- <https://www.vic.gov.au/free-tafe>
- <https://www.vic.gov.au/co-design>
- <https://vcoss.org.au/sector-hub/key-projects/traineeships/>
- <https://victraineeships.com/>
- <https://www.whitelion.asn.au/victoria>

Please feel free to get in touch with any questions jbaron@yacvic.org.au

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Next Session- Date: Tuesday's – 19 October 2021 30 - 45 mins

Organisational Readiness for the Lived and Living Experience Workforce: The Peer Projects Approach.

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