

<u>Topic</u>: Considerations for the festive season – what you might need to think about in preparation for this time with consumers and families/loved ones. Mellisa Rigter, Lived Experience Worker, St Vincent's Mental Health & Nicole Thompson, Manager of the Residential Peer Programs at SHARC

The impacts on the South Sudanese community during the pandemic- Yom Maker from MDAP the Multicultural Drug & Alcohol Partnership. A program of the: Centre for Culture, Ethnicity & Health in Richmond.

Day:	Tuesdays
Start time:	9.30 am - AEST
Duration:	30-45 mins

In response to the current Global Pandemic and the rapidly changing landscape of our work, we would like to invite you to join us to explore new ways of working with and supporting each other around the everchanging environment. Our particular focus is on the challenges posed when Dual Diagnosis issues are present. **'Tuesdays with NEXUS'** online session is an invitation to connect both professionally and socially to share.

The challenges we are facing The successes we are having The resources, tools and changes to our practices (enabling us to support the clients and families we work with)

It's a space to draw on the collective wisdom and creativity of others facing similar challenges as yourself in these unprecedented times. Sessions still run every week at the same time, same link on Tuesdays. Please feel free to contact us to request alternative times for your organisation.

Past sessions and resources are available via the Nexus web site <u>https://www.svhm.org.au/nexus</u> So if you want to connect, share and support each other please join us.