

# Compliance Framework for Men's Behaviour Change Programs – Online Delivery Supplement

# Factsheet

The purpose of the Online Delivery Supplement is to help providers think about the unique risks of online MBCP delivery and how this may impact the safety of victims and children, participants and facilitators, in a different way to a face to face program.

### **Need for Online Delivery Supplement**

• The Online Delivery Supplement will support accessibility for participants in regional and remote communities, delivery of MBCPs throughout changing COVID-19 safety and social distancing requirements and assist people with shared needs, enabling groups to be held where participants are not located together geographically, e.g. LGBTIQ groups.

#### Who should register?

- Only registered providers of MBCPs, or those applying for registration for face to face service delivery, can apply for registration for online delivery.
- All providers seeking to deliver online programs must be registered in accordance with the Online Delivery Supplement before delivering programs.
- Providers are encouraged to make their own determination regarding the feasibility of online service delivery for their organisation. Factors such as need within their client group, and capacity and capability of the organisation to safely undertake this method of delivery are all factors for consideration.
- There is no expectation by the Department that all providers will offer online MBCP programs.

#### Timeframe for registration

- Applications for online delivery are now open.
- Providers can apply at any time. There is no closing date for applications for registration.
- Application processing timeframes will depend on providers' ability to demonstrate compliance, provide evidence and resubmit following the Department's requests for more information.

#### **Training for providers**

 No to Violence can offer the following training: Remote Working Toolkit and <u>Ethical Care in</u> <u>Facilitating Online MBC programs</u>.

### For more information

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