

Linda Valenta, Principal Therapist and founder of SAIFF has worked with vulnerable children and youth for over three decades.

In 1994 Linda discovered what became her passion – preventing sexual abuse through intervention with children and young people who engage in harmful sexual behaviour.

Linda spent many years working with children who engage in harmful sexual behaviour in the criminal justice and residential settings and in 2007 she established SAIFF, a private, community based service that provides assessment and intervention to help children and their families to:

 stop problematic and abusive sexual behaviour and create relationships & homes that are supportive, safe and abuse free,

and

(2) minimise the harm to children and families that results from abuse

Linda is a sought after trainer and speaker and she has been invited to present her work at conferences around the globe. SAIFF has provided training to professionals in the Child Protection, Youth Justice, Health, Education, Out of Home Care, & Disability Sectors across Australia.

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## The "HOW TO" Online Series

The "HOW TO" Online Series focuses on exactly that.....

How to....

These 3 hour Seminars focus not only on expanding your knowledge of key areas of intervention, but they will introduce you to strategies and interventions which can be taken straight from the workshop and implemented in your own casework or clinical practice setting.

The first four "HOW TO" webinars will focus on...

**HOW TO....** evaluate and respond to the sexual behaviour of children and adolescents 11 November 2021

HOW TO.... develop safety plans (for school, home and the community) 25 November 2021

HOW TO.... address sibling sexual abuse within the sibling relationship 3 December 2021

HOW TO.... engage parents and carers in addressing sexual harm 17 December 2021

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Each Seminar runs from 9am – 12noon and is presented live on Zoom. Participants will be provided with workshop handouts and resources.

## For further information or to book your place, click HERE

If you are interested in having these workshops run specifically for your Agency please contact Linda. Sessions can be delivered Online or in person (COVID restrictions enabling)

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