

# YOUTH WELLBEING PROJECT CHILD YOUTH RISK MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

## Statement of Commitment

Youth Wellbeing Project provides holistic education to counteract hypersexualised porn culture to children and young people to assist them in making informed, positive and safe decisions—encouraging them to develop a strong identity and healthy online and offline relationships.

Youth Wellbeing Project is committed to the safety and wellbeing of children and the protection of children from harm. We endeavour to provide a safe and supportive environment for children and young people by delivering evidence-based, inclusive, age-appropriate workshops and programs, delivered by qualified teachers and presenters with youth and relationship expertise. We also endeavour to provide recommended support links for students to find help for tricky situations, online and offline.

The following values reflect the culture that we are committed to promoting:

1. Valuing self and valuing others are essential pillars to building satisfying and equitable relationships.
2. Accurate information equips young people to make proactive and healthy choices that enhance their physical, emotional, mental, spiritual, sexual & relational wellbeing.
3. Promotion of empathy and relational boundaries enable young people to communicate respectfully across personal, cultural and social differences.
4. Building social and emotional intelligences assists with the prevention of sexual harms.
5. Pornography is positioned within an exploitative framework. Critical Porn Analysis allows young people to explore the mechanisms driving the porn industry and its impacts on self, others, relationships and culture.
6. Sexuality is influenced by internal and external forces and situated within a much larger complex model of personal identity. Sexuality interacts with the other areas of personal identity such as self-esteem, self-confidence and self-expression.
7. Sexual integrity is valuing, developing and expressing sexuality in ways that are non-exploitive, mutually wanted, unifying and life-enhancing. Sexual integrity is foundational to meaningful and authentic connection.

Youth Wellbeing Project presentations and programs offer a positive and respectful approach to relationships and sexuality that understands the developmental stages of young people. We promote awareness of online and offline ethical behaviour, consent, love and respect, each of which form the basis of sexual experiences free of coercion, discrimination and violence. We provide professional and educational direction to guide young people to avoid the onset of risky sexual behaviours (online and offline) that may contribute to emotional, psychological, social and other health risks.

Youth Wellbeing Project stands by an anti-discrimination and inclusive pledge:

*As an educational provider and youth advocacy organisation, we stand united against harassment or any bullying of any kind, including discrimination aimed at one's sexuality, gender or faith. We pledge to maintain equality through our words, actions, practices, policies and resources, and deliver inclusive programs and presentations to achieve understanding, safety and trust for the communities we work with.*

This Statement of Commitment constitutes the opening section of our Child and Youth Risk Management Strategy. A copy of the full strategy is available upon request for relevant parties.



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