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Child Protection and Care

Interactive Professional Development – A WAITI / Legal Aid Joint Venture

WAITI is delighted to announce that we have been able to engage the services of Mr Michael Hovane, Family Violence Consultant and a practising lawyer of some 30 years' experience, predominantly in the family law, child protection and family violence areas. Michael managed the specialist Domestic Violence Unit and conducted family law, child protection and restraining order court work at Legal Aid WA for 17 years before assuming the newly created role of Family Violence Consultant in 2017. As Family Violence Consultant, Michael has a lead role, across Legal Aid WA, in the field of law reform and policy matters, training and professional development, community and professional resources, and collaborative projects and services in the field of family violence.

Michael Hovane will briefly differentiate between Family Court and Children's Court matters in the Child Protection and Care context, and share an insight into the following topics with us:

- Types of situations that may be involved;
- Purpose of the interview;
- People/professionals who may be involved;
- Situations requiring the services of an interpreter;
- Expectations of the interpreter by parties involved;
- Challenges for the interpreter in child abuse cases;
- Difficulties/dilemma experienced when working with interpreters.

Presentations will be followed by a session to discuss ethics and conduct issues that may arise in specific situations and to work through real life scenarios in small groups.

Date:	Friday, 22 November 2019
Time:	Registration 2:30 pm for a 3:00 pm start; Duration: 3 hours
Venue:	Citiplace Community Centre, Upstairs Conference Room City Railway Station Complex, Wellington St, Perth 6000
Fee:	WAITI members: \$30 Non-members: \$70 Student members: \$20
Payment:	Advance payment into the WAITI account is essential to book your seat for this PD. Account details are: <i>WA Institute of Translators & Interpreters</i> BSB: 086-217; Account No: 64 545 5627 Please forward your evidence of payment to: secretary@waiti.org.au
RSVP:	RSVP to secretary@waiti.org.au by 15 November 2019 . <u>Places are limited</u> and late registrations will not be accepted.
PD Certificate:	Participants will receive a Certificate of Attendance as proof of the Professional Development undertaken. NAATI Recertification PD Catalogue (1.40 and 2.20) Points: 10