



Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples' Suicide Prevention

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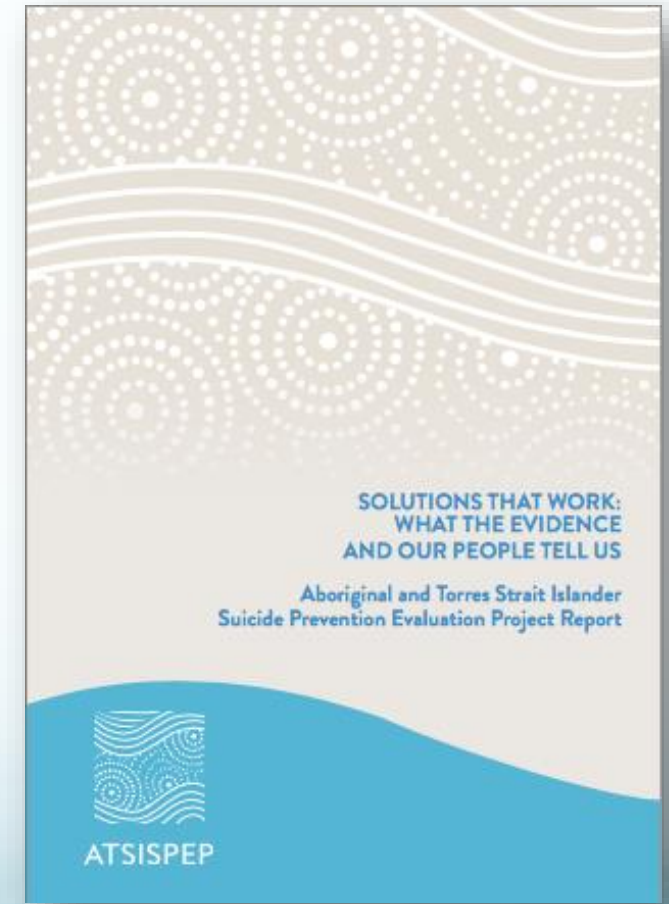
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One Minute Silence:

Acknowledgement of those with lived experiences and those lost too soon

Walking together: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Suicide Prevention

- Landmark report released in 2016 by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Suicide Prevention Evaluation Project (ATSISPEP)
‘Solutions that work: what the evidence and our people tell us’
 - Identified 8 promising programs
 - Made recommendations for trial regions
 - Highlighted importance of primordial prevention
 - Supported a systems approach

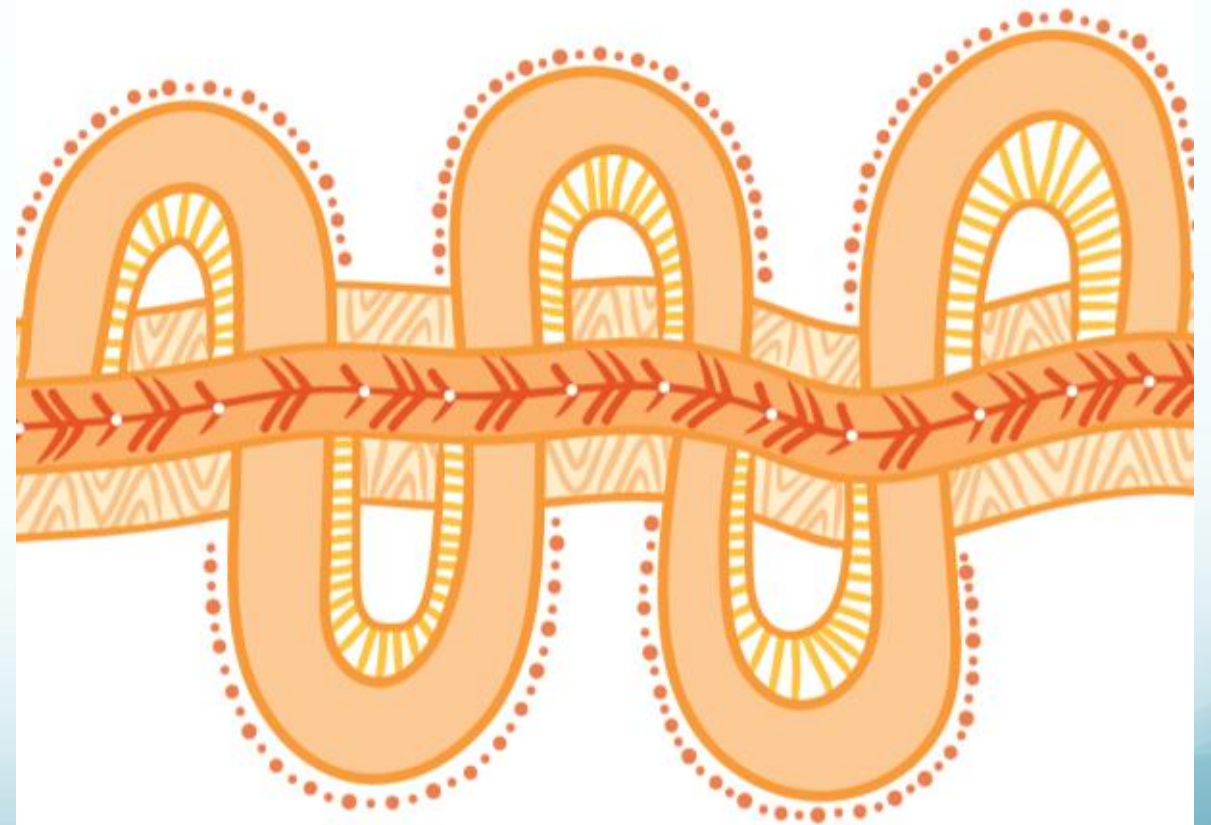


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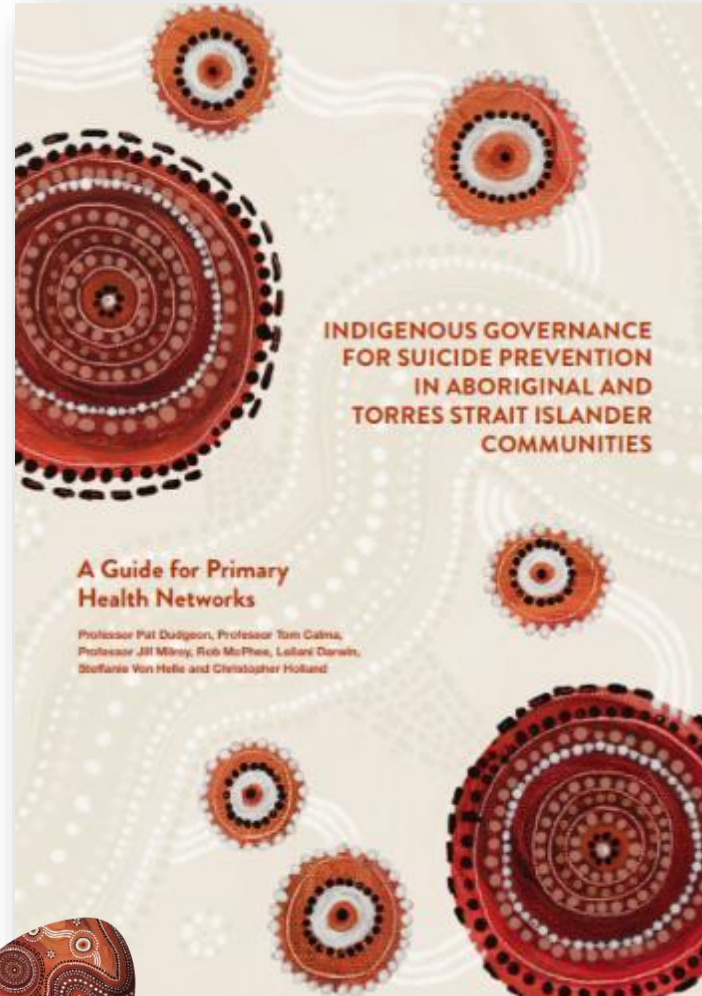
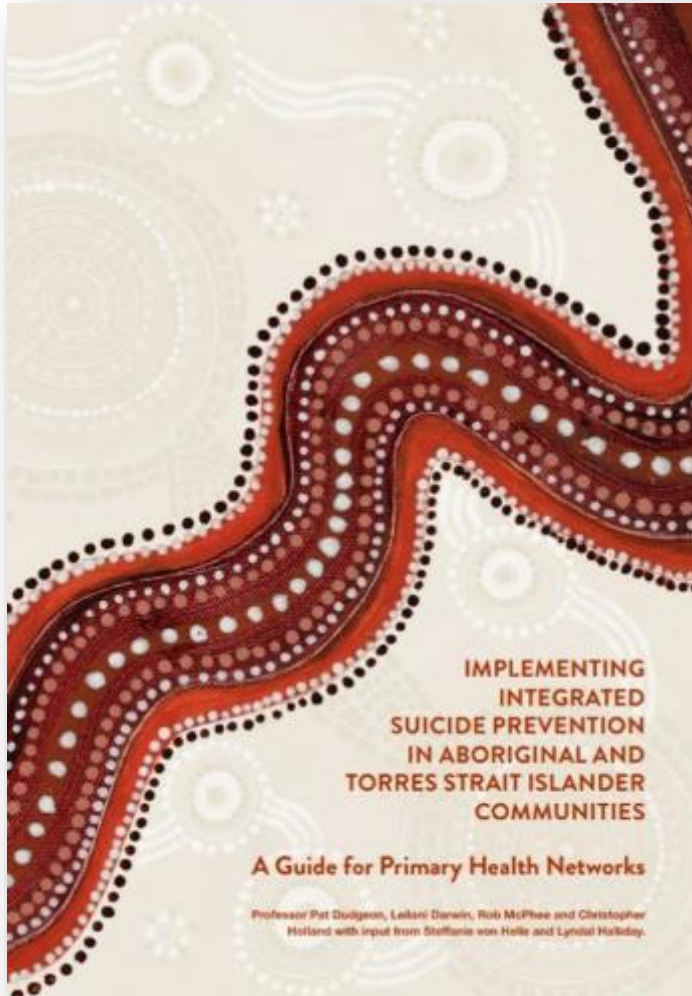


Working with the **Centre of Best Practice in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Suicide Prevention (CBPATSISP)** lead by Prof. Pat Dudgeon

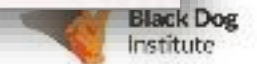
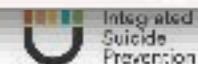
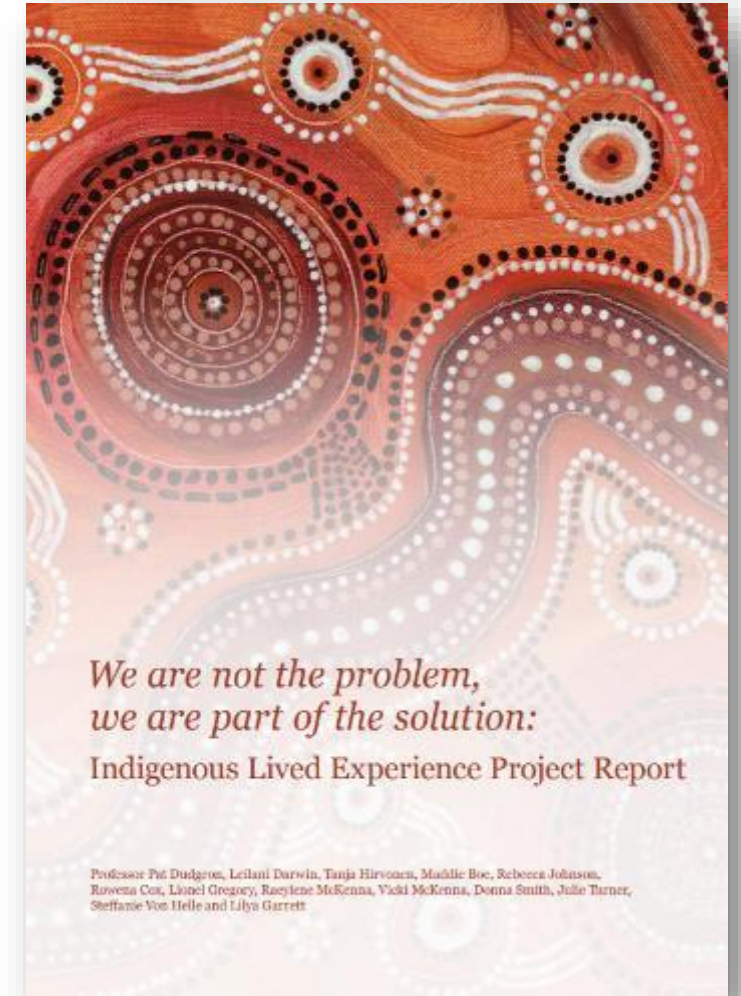
- Implementation Guide for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Suicide Prevention
- Indigenous Governance Framework
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander lived experience capacity building



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Workshop Themes:

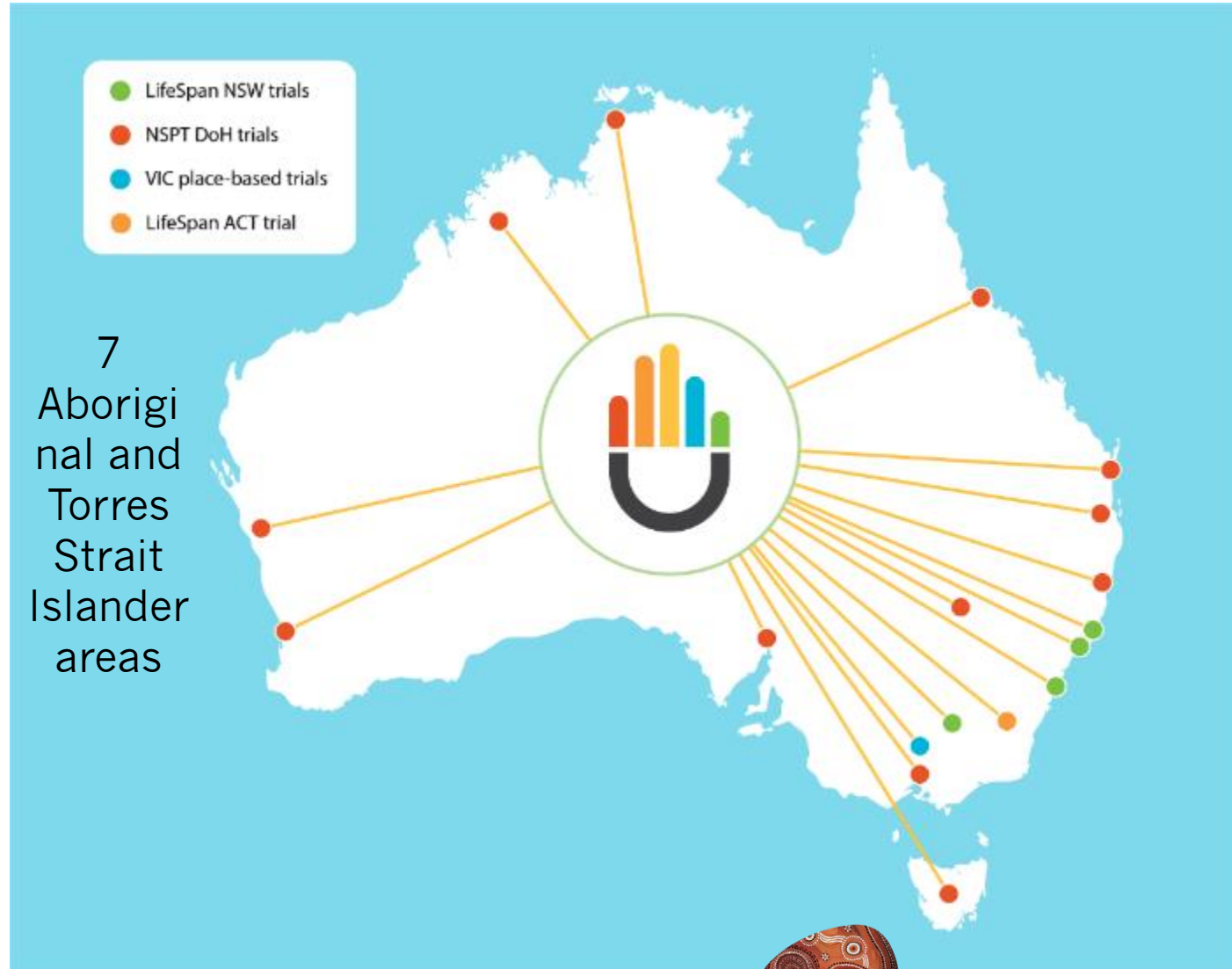
1. The Need for an Indigenous Lived Experience Definition and Network
2. The Need for Self-Determination
3. Experiences of Grief and Loss
4. Experiences of Racism and Trauma
5. Lack of Appropriate Services and Responses
6. Isolation, Discrimination, and Racism in Mainstream LGBTIQ+ Services: Prioritising Engagement of Indigenous LGBTIQ+SB Peoples and Communities
7. Hope for the Future



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Footprint of LifeSpan



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The SEWB concept expressed as a diagram



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The Interconnectedness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social and Emotional Wellbeing, Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Policy





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