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Tackling Indigenous Smoking (TIS) Team

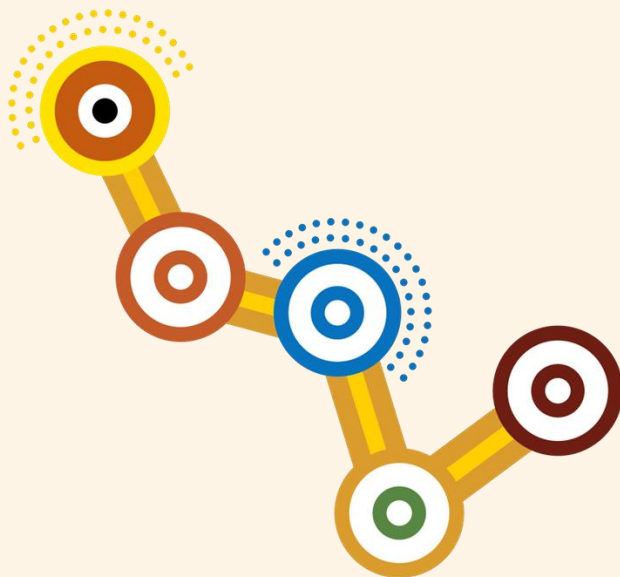
Statement of Respect

We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of this country and their connections to land, sea and community.

We pay our respect to their Elders past and present and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples today.

We also recognize the great diversity of people that now exist in this region and respect their cultural backgrounds and beliefs.

We stand united as Aboriginal and Non-Aboriginal people to achieve equity of health and quality of life by acknowledging this unique diversity, respecting culture, and working together for positive outcomes for all Aboriginal people in our Community.



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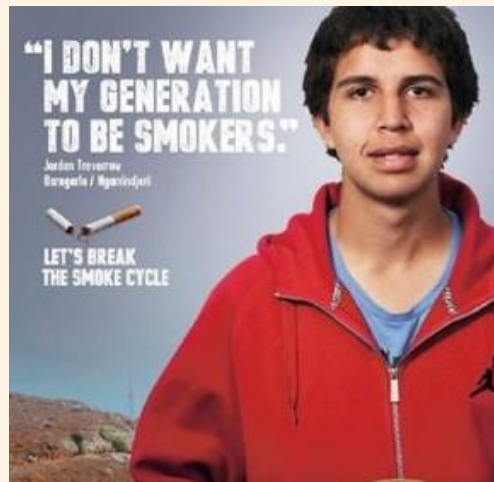
South Australian West Coast ACCHO Network

 Whyalla	+	 Port Lincoln	+	 Ceduna	+	 Yalata	+	 Oak Valley
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for your health, family and community

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**STRONG
BORN**

**KEEP BUB STRONG BY
NOT DRINKING Grog**



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"I quit with the encouragement from my wife. I want to ensure I make healthier lifestyle choices for me and my children."

Charlie, ex-smoker

"I want to set a good example for my children and stay healthy. I never liked the smell of cigarettes, so it has never become a habit for me."

Latoya, non-smoker

KEEP BUB STRONG BY STAYING SMOKE AND VAPE-FREE DURING YOUR PREGNANCY.

"I started smoking as a teenager. Before my grandfather passed, he asked me to stop smoking, and I don't vape. I have been smoke-free for 8 years."

Terrance, ex-smoker

"I've never smoked because my mum smoked while pregnant with me and I had respiratory issues when I was younger."

Lorraine, non-smoker

Anti Vaping Activities

Long-term health impact unclear

Port Lincoln GP and president of the SA branch of the Australian Medical Association John Williams said the general community lacked awareness of how toxic vapes could be.

"It is extremely concerning that this stuff is out there and accessible to young people," Dr Williams said.

- The 14-year-old boy inhaled a vape laced with DMT and THC
- Medical staff in Port Lincoln say it's the first medical case of its kind they have seen
- Experts say greater community understanding around the dangers of vapes is needed



Videos have surfaced of yet another child using a vape as a Ceduna woman is shown vaping alongside her infant relative while another video shows a hand forcing a vape towards the same child

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