

Bring the Change

Volunteer Management Activity

Breaking down barriers to volunteering



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What we did

- > Information sessions for
 - organisations with clients in the priority groups, aimed at staff, case workers and support workers.
 - people who wanted to find a volunteer role.
- > One on One support for participants to engage them in a volunteer role of their choice.
- > Support to the Volunteer Involving Organisations to engage with volunteers from the priority groups identified by the Dept of Social Service.
- > Volunteering Involving Organisations were made aware of the online resources available and how to access them.

Bring the Change is a targeted program to intensively support the Volunteer Involving Organisations to engage a different realm of Volunteer groups, ie vulnerable men, the unemployed, youth, first nations individuals, those with disabilities and newly arrived migrants.

to find out more about this program please call

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Vulnerable Women

The criteria as it is used for the VMA is

- support for vulnerable women includes, but is not limited to, women who are or are at risk of, isolation or discrimination to participate in their community, have experienced harm/family violence and/or trauma, have caring responsibilities, single parents, young parents, long term unemployed, geographically isolated.
- support provided through the VMA should focus on activities that empower women and create an environment conducive to women being engaged in the community and the economy.

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Testimonial

Thank you for your guidance and assistance in helping me take the first steps into a volunteer position.

I felt you spent time to understand my capabilities and what availability of time I have to help choose a volunteer role that would be most beneficial for me and the organisation I ultimately volunteer with. Having not been in the workforce for some time after some health and life changing events, I required additional assistance with paperwork you didn't hesitate to assist me in gaining information.

I believe you spending time understanding an individual's capacity and willingness to want to volunteer help find a position most suitable. Thank you for helping me make this transition possible

Evie 56



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Case Study - EVIE

Challenges and Outcomes

Evie is a 56-year-old woman with multiple barriers to engaging in a meaningful volunteer role.



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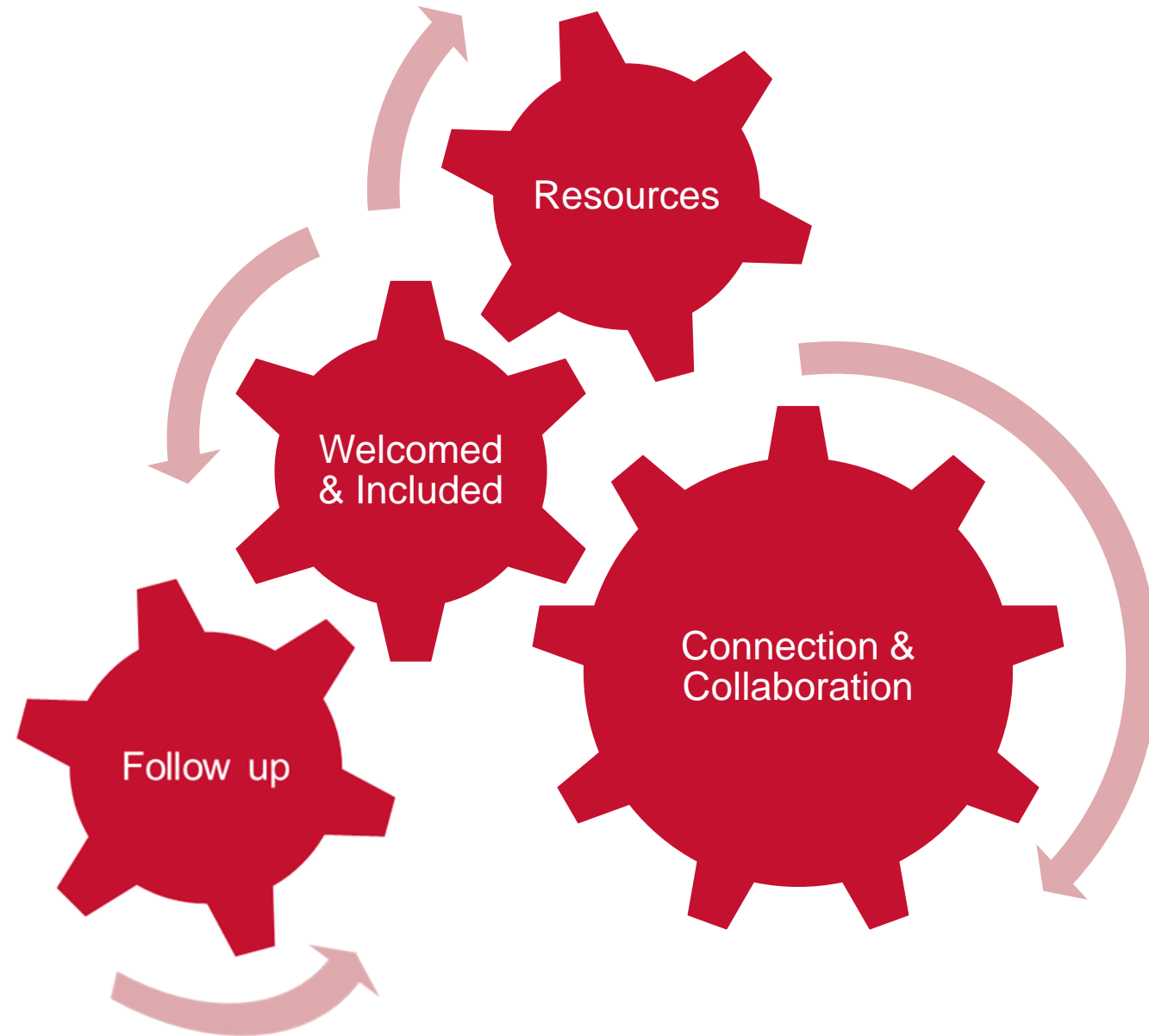
Coffee and a Chat



No Suitable Roles for Vulnerable Women

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Volunteer Involving Organisations Support



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