

# Sensory processing support for libraries Daytime



## Learn about supporting children with sensory processing challenges at the library

The library environment can affect behaviour and social interactions for children with sensory processing challenges. For example, a child who is oversensitive may avoid busy, bright or noisy places. A child who is under sensitive may enjoy lots of movement or hug others.

This workshop helps library staff understand a child's sensory needs and explore strategies that can help with sensory regulation during library programs and activities.

There is a daytime and evening session (plus a follow-up session for each) for library staff to choose to participate either at work, or at home.

#### Learn about:

- The characteristics of sensory seekers and sensory avoiders
- Identifying challenging behaviours due to sensory needs
- · Creating a sensory sensitive environment
- Strategies for transitioning and regulating children during activities

### Cost

Free

#### Date and time

Module 1: Tuesday 28 May; 1pm to 3pm Module 2: Thursday 30 May; 1pm to 3pm <u>AEDT/NSW Time</u>

#### Location

This event is held online using Zoom. Instructions will be emailed to you prior to the event. If you have accessibility needs, please advise during registration.

#### This session is for

All public library staff

#### More information

For more information see the event page or feel free to email marie@plumtree.org.au

#### Your facilitators

<u>Mary</u>, Occupational Therapist from our NDIS team and <u>Kylie</u> trained parent-peer worker from the Libraries team who is raising a child with disability.

### Register your interest

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