

YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD

Are you aged between 16-25yrs, identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander, and passionate about improving mental health and drug and alcohol outcomes for Australian youth?

Unique opportunity for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander young people aged 16-25 years from across Australia to contribute to mental health and drug and alcohol research and prevention. One-year advisory board position, offering support for travel and remuneration for meetings and research co-design.

2023
EXPRESSION
OF INTEREST
EOIs close on 27th
February 2023



ABOUT US

PREMISE is a Centre for Research Excellence funded by the Australian National Health and Medical Research Council and hosted by the Matilda Centre at The University of Sydney. Our vision is that world-class, innovative, evidence-based prevention and early intervention for drug and alcohol use and mental disorders is available to all young Australians.



To contribute to this vision, we established a Youth Advisory Board (YAB) in 2019 to provide input into the strategic direction and research priorities of PREMISE and to contribute to mental health and drug and alcohol use projects.

ABOUT YOU

- Identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander
- Aged between 16-25 years living in Australia
- An interest in mental health and drug and alcohol issues affecting young people
- Desire to affect change in youth mental health and drug and alcohol research, prevention and policy
- Lived experience with, or experience caring for someone with, a mental health or drug and alcohol issues is highly regarded
- Willingness to commit to 30hrs per year, which includes 4 meetings as well as approx. 2 hours reviewing material to prepare for meetings
- Able to attend meetings on 10th March (in-person at the University of Sydney, travel costs covered by PREMISE) and 13th July 2023 (online)

HOW TO APPLY

Email us at yab@premise.org.au if you are interested in being a part of the YAB!

The Matilda Centre is committed to diversity and social inclusion. People of culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds; women, people with disabilities, people who identify as LGBTIQ; and people of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander descent, are encouraged to apply.