



ASeTTS
Assisting Torture
and Trauma Survivors

Orientation

The Refugee Experience

Outline

This workshop provides a good understanding of the refugee experience and the ASeTTS framework for understanding the psychosocial impact of torture and trauma.

This is a good pre-requisite workshop for anyone who works with people from refugee backgrounds.

Aim

To provide awareness and knowledge of the role of ASeTTS, the refugee experience prior to arrival and resettlement in Australia and to raise awareness of the impact of torture and trauma on everyday life.

Performance Criteria

At the end of the session participants will be able to:



- Understand the definitions, data and background issues for working with refugees;
- Define the meaning of the term 'refugee' and understand Australia's response to the international refugee crisis;
- Understand the different facets of the refugee experience and the related trauma symptoms; and
- Understand the Torture Rehabilitation 'model of recovery'.

**Suitable for Human Service Providers, Teachers, Health Professionals
and Students (High School, TAFE & University)**

*This module can be run externally for groups on request.
It can be customized to best meet your needs (price on application).*

Register at www.asetts.org.au/training

**Please contact ASeTTS to book this half-day workshop for your organisation.
Workshop can be conducted at ASeTTS or at your premises.**

Cost: NGOs, \$700; Government, Universities; \$900; Private Sector; \$1200

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