



## Strangulation Prevention Training

**When** 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2019

**Where** University Club of Western Australia

**The Red Rose Foundation** is pleased to partner with **Women's Council for Domestic and Family Violence Services WA** to bring to Perth, world acclaimed specialist trainers from the San Diego Institute on Strangulation Prevention. Previous training held in Brisbane and Canberra has been an outstanding sell-out success. The training is designed to advance our knowledge and practice skills as well as assisting with successful medical interventions and prosecutions of non-lethal domestic violence strangulation.

Strangulation has been identified as one of the most lethal forms of domestic violence and sexual assault: unconsciousness may occur within seconds and death within minutes. Attendees of this training learn how to: identify the signs and symptoms of near-fatal strangulation cases; understand and recognize the anatomy and medical aspects of surviving and non-surviving victims; investigate and document cases for prosecution; prosecute cases, including using experts in court; and, most importantly, enhance victim safety through trauma-informed advocacy services.

### Trainers



**Gael Strack, Esq.**

The CEO of Alliance for HOPE International and oversees the Alliance's Training Institute on Strangulation Prevention. She is a former prosecutor and the founding Director of the San Diego Family Justice Centre. She spearheaded much of the initial work and research on strangulation crimes from a prosecutor's perspective.



**Dr William Smock, MD**

A member of the National Strangulation Training Institute Advisory Team. He is A Police Surgeon, Louisville Metro Police Department, Louisville, Kentucky.

### Cost

**2 day Strangulation Prevention Institute**  
1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2018 8.30 am – 4.30pm

**Cost; \$550 plus \$55 GST**

**BOOKINGS:** <https://events.humanitix.com.au/non-lethal-strangulation-prevention-training>

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