

COTA SA, in collaboration with SSRG - the Southern Services Reform Group - present the May 2024 SILVER RAINBOW Community of Practice

The Rainbow Dog - Early Findings

In 2023 COTA SA' Rainbow Hub was awarded a Fay Fuller Foundation Spark Grant, to explore the impact of unexpected changes on LGBTI+ elders' emotional wellbeing. The project is titled The Rainbow Dog and now, nearly twelve months on, we'd like to share some of our early findings.

The Rainbow Dog Team have gathered stories from LGBTI+ elders about the impact of these events on them, their partners/families and/or their friends and have explored what has happened as a result, what helped, what got in the way and what could have helped them get through this traumatic time.

The project is far from finished but we'd like our COP attendees to be the first to hear what we've discovered...

WHEN: Thursday May 16th, 3 – 4.30pm

WHERE: Cove Civic Centre, 1 Ragamuffin Drive, Hallet Cove **RSVP:** Email <u>events@cotasa.org.au</u> or ring 08 8232 0422

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