

MEDIA RELEASE

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Towards making a positive change: The power of the collective!

World AIDS Day (WAD) is held on December 1 each year and is celebrated globally to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS and its associated issues such as stigma and discrimination. It is also a day to show support for people living with or affected by HIV and to commemorate the many lives that have been lost because of HIV/AIDS.

PEACE Multicultural Services (a service of Relationships Australia SA) commemorates World AIDS Day each year with a special event. PEACE Multicultural Services is at the forefront, delivering support to individuals, families and communities from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.

This year the event, held today, Thursday 23 November, is called **'Towards making a positive change: The power of the collective!'** It will be the launch of an uplifting and inspiring song and music video called **"Positive Change"** created by various communities, organizations, volunteers and families.

The song underscores the importance of standing with people living with HIV and the role that each individual, communities and different groups can play in providing love, care and respect.

The message of the event and the song is clear and simple: together we can take a collective stand to create a positive change by sharing the message of hope, love, respect, togetherness and inclusion.

Service providers, community members, school students and teachers and interested persons are all invited to take part of this special event.

Event details: 'Towards making a positive change: The power of the collective!'

Date: Thursday, 23 November 2017

Time: 10:30am – 2.00pm

Where: Education Development Centre (EDC)

4 Milner Street, Hindmarsh SA 5007

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About Relationships Australia South Australia

Supporting you through change

As an independent, not-for-profit organisation, our work involves improving the health and wellbeing of people by providing a broad range of services including counselling, gambling help, post separation services, post adoption support, health and multicultural services and much more to individuals, couples, families, children, young people, schools and communities.

Our Registered Training Organisation, the **Australian Institute of Social Relations** offers courses and nationally recognised qualifications to the human services sector and the family law system.

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