

## **Name of the service/product**

WayOut, Rural Victorian Youth & Sexual Diversity Project

## **Brief description of the service/product (Please note where the service or product fits within the whole-school sexuality education model.)**

The project aims to raise awareness in rural Victoria about homophobia & to build strong connections between same-sex attracted young people and their community. The work of the project fits across all areas of the whole school sexuality education model.

## **What the service can offer schools to support their sexuality education**

Services include:

- Training & research updates for staff
- Secondary consultations for staff assisting individual students
- Information sessions for students and assistance with the development of student initiatives within schools
- Assistance with the development of policies & curriculum
- Resources such as a DVD, information cards, posters, stickers etc
- Links with relevant community & youth groups

## **Costs**

Generally free to rural areas.

## **Any limitations of the service (e.g. geographical, only secondary or primary school setting)**

Only rural areas and generally only secondary schools.

## **Anything else**

Our emphasis is on

- a) supporting schools who have already committed to a whole of school approach
- b) providing support that will enable the school to continue with its work independently. (ie generally we would not be able to do for example, once off sessions to students on year 10 health day unless this was for the purposes of training an internal member of staff as well)

## **Contact information (and website address etc)**

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