

FOR SHARING KNOWLEDGE AND IDEAS GENEROUSLY
WITH OTHER WOMEN

A MENTORING AWARD

While working at the Women's Health Team for Bankstown Community Health, Margaret Hickie oversaw the development and expansion of the BILINGUAL COMMUNITY EDUCATORS program, which had major benefits to migrant women across South Western Sydney.

As the manager of Liverpool Women's Health Centre for nearly ten years she established the Centre's ABORIGINAL WOMEN'S HEALING SPACE, providing a culturally safe space for Aboriginal women experiencing distress. She also developed the hugely successful PEER EDUCATION program on healthy relationships for young women across the Local Government area.

As a key organiser for the ASU, she developed countless campaigns and resources for women in the Social & Community Services industry.

In all of these positions, Margaret has been committed to supporting and encouraging women of all ages, backgrounds and interests towards feminist principles of collective action, and has played a unique role in establishing new services for women in areas of high risk and vulnerability.



MARGARET HICKIE

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