



Institute for Addressing Strangulation Tackling Strangulation: Working Together to Save Lives

Tuesday 12 November 2024

*This programme is subject to change

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| 08:30 – 09:30 | Registration |
| 09:30 – 09:40 | Welcome Bernie Ryan, Chief Executive Officer, IFAS |
| 09:40 – 10:05 | Opening Address Nicole Jacobs, Domestic Abuse Commissioner |
| 10:05 – 10:30 | A Whole System Approach to Strangulation Professor Cath White, Medical Director, IFAS |
| 10:30 – 10:55 | The VAWG Epidemic ACC Sam Millar QGM, NPCC Violence Against Women and Girls Strategic Programme Director |
| 10:55 – 11:15 | Questions and reflections |
| 11:15 – 11:30 | <i>Break and networking</i> |
| 11:30 – 11:55 | Exploring the Contexts and Consequences of Non-Fatal Strangulation in Domestic Abuse Related Deaths by Suicide Professor Vanessa Munro, University of Warwick & Sarah Dangar, City St George's, University of London |
| 11:55 – 12:20 | Reclaiming My Voice Hearing from Survivors |
| 12:20 – 12:40 | Questions and reflections |
| 12:40 – 13:40 | <i>Lunch and networking</i> |
| 13:40 – 14:10 | The Experiences of Women and Girls in the Criminal Justice Process Dame Vera Baird KC |



- 14:10 – 14:40 **Prevalence of Sexual Strangulation/Choking - Australian Research Findings**
Professor Heather Douglas, University of Melbourne
- 14:40 – 15:00 **How Should We Challenge Men Who Strangle?**
Professor David Gadd, University of Manchester
- 15:00 – 15:15 *Break and networking*
- 15:15 – 16:15 **Prevention Panel Discussion**
Chaired by Tallulah Belassie-Page, End Violence Against Women
Chris Edwards, Probation Regional Director of Greater Manchester
Professor David Gadd, University of Manchester
Dr Margherita Sprio, University of Westminster
Nicole Jacobs, Domestic Abuse Commissioner
Professor Cath White, IFAS
- 16:15 – 16:30 **Closing Comments**