

**Queensland Muslim Youth Forum
Discussion Group on
18 March 2007 at
Sunnybank Hills Library
Cnr Calam and Compton Roads
10:30am – 4:30pm**

Alsalamu alaykum

Al-Nisa' Youth Group is delighted to invite you to participate in the coming discussion groups aimed at identifying the needs of young Muslim people in Queensland.

There are many issues affecting Muslim youth in Queensland. Some may be similar to other young Australians and some are unique to Muslim youth. To understand some of these issues, Al-nisa' will be holding a number of discussion groups at different venues to access as many young people as possible insha Allah.

On the 18 March 2007 the focus of the session will be on Education, Employment and Training. Al-nisa' members will ask you and other young people to tell us what are some of the issues that affect you and your friends in your daily life in this area and how to address some of them. There are no right or wrong answers, just real opinions and real experiences.

This information will then be used to develop programs that will be delivered by a Muslim Youth Worker whose job is to assist Muslim young people. The information you give us will also help us as a community understand young people better.

If you would like to be heard, then we look forward to seeing you at this session or any of the others. Please take the time to fill the Registration Form and the Consent and Confidentiality Forms and get them to us as soon as possible.

If you would like more information or want to discuss anything please do not hesitate to give me a call on 0421 890 838.

Jazak Allah Wa-alsalam

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Sunday 18 March 2007
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Program

10:30 am	Registration:
11:00 am	Opening with Quran Recitation: Welcome and Introduction President of Al-Nisa (Ms Faiza El-Higzi) Addresses DIAC representative (TBA) AMF representative Dr- Hass Dallal OAM
	Activity (10 min)
11:30am	Workshop 1 Issues identification concurrent workshops
12:30am	Group Reports
1:00pm	Lunch and Zuhur Prayer
	Activity (10 min)
2:00pm	Workshop2: Options and strategies concurrent workshops
3:00pm	Group Reports
3:30pm	After noon tea plus Asr prayer:
4:00pm	Next steps State Gov representatives DEIR, MAQ, EdQ and ACCESS (TBA)
4:30pm	Closing with Quran Recitation

Consent and Confidentiality Form

I (please insert your name)

give permission to: (please tick)

my daughter/son (if under 18 years of age) to participate in interviews and discussions with members of Al-nisa' Youth Group Inc about issues impacting on Muslim youth in Queensland for the purpose of developing strategies to address some of the issues young Muslim people are facing.

or

Alnisa' Youth Group to collect and use the information I give in this interview and discussions with members of Al-nisa' Youth Group Inc about issues impacting on Muslim youth in Queensland for the purpose of developing strategies to address some of the issues young Muslim people are facing.

I acknowledge that the information may also be used in publications and papers. However no individual who participated will be identified by name in these publications without their consent.

I also acknowledge that pictures might be taken during these sessions and used in public documents.

If you do not want your picture to be used please tick this box

Signature

Date/...../ 2007

Thank you for your participation.

If you would like your contact details to be added to the Al-nisa' database for future correspondence

please tick this box