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Mitchell Shire Council

Primary Prevention examples:

1. Gender Impact Assessment App
2. Prevention of violence community information resource
3. Gender equality collaborative activities and events

Gender Impact Assessment App

Mitchell Shire has launched a Gender Impact Assessment (GIA) App which is the first of its kind in Local Government.

The GIA App can be used on mobile phones, tablets and computers and provides an efficient way to collect and analyse gender-specific data through integrated workflows and approval processes within Council.

The App is now recognised state-wide by the Gender Equality Commission, Victorian LGA's, local health partners and the Municipal Association of Victoria, who recently awarded Council with a Highly Commended Award for Emerging Technology.

The GIA App will be shared with other Councils and entities in November 2023.

Prevention of violence community information resource

Mitchell Shire Council and Murrindindi Shire Council have collaborated on a community resource guide to family violence to support community who may be experiencing or supporting someone who is experiencing family violence.

The guide has information on local support services, respectfully responding to disclosures and understanding the signs of family violence.

Gender equality collaborative activities and events

Mitchell Shire Council enjoys collaborative relationships in the promotion of gender equity and the prevention of gender-based violence, hosting the Steps for Change walk alongside Murrindindi Shire Council and also working alongside Women's Health Goulburn North East throughout the year, to embed gender equality at a regional level.