



Onemda Webinar

with Professor Cath Chamberlain and Professor Rhonda Marriot

**Replanting the Birthing Trees:
Transforming Intergenerational Trauma, Nurturing, and Recovery
for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Parents**



12:30 to 1:30pm



Wednesday 28 June 2023



Room 515, 207 Bouverie St.
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Professor Cath Chamberlain (University of Melbourne) and **Professor Rhonda Marriot** (Murdoch University, WA) will share their experiences of applying for and carrying out a large multijurisdictional MRFF funded project with over 47 investigators. The project, Replanting the Birthing Trees, aims to transform compounding cycles of intergenerational trauma and harm to positively reinforce cycles of intergenerational nurturing and recovery for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander parents.

Professor Cath Chamberlain is a Palawa woman of the Trawlwoolway clan (Tasmania), registered midwife and public health researcher (PhD, MPH, MSc Public Health Practice, Graduate Certificates in Health Service Management and Indigenous Research and Leadership). She has over 25 years' experience in the health sector, including leadership positions within academic institutions, government and health services.



Professor Rhonda Marriot, AM, PhD, Registered Nurse, Midwife. s Murdoch University's inaugural Director of the Ngangk Yira Institute for Change (Ngangk Yira), has 30+ years academic experience, 50+ years in the nursing profession and 30+ years in midwifery. Rhonda brings strong cultural and scientific leadership to the Ngangk Yira's translational research that is leading to practical changes to positively influence the life course of future Aboriginal generations.