

Media Brief

For the first time, AEIOU Foundation Townsville is bringing together local health and educational professionals to provide valuable insight into best supporting young children with autism.

The community workshop, to be held at James Cook University on **Wednesday 7 August**, will include a segment on the functions of behaviour, provide tips and techniques to assist with managing challenging behaviours, and a discussion on navigating the NDIS. It will also provide a valuable opportunity to network with other guests.

With autism touching 1 in 100 people, this highly topical session is suitable for any person who supports young children with an autism diagnosis in an educational, healthcare or home setting.

As there are only a limited number of seats available, registrations are essential. Visit <u>aeiou.org.au/community</u> or phone (07) 4773 2898.

EVENT DETAILS:

Name:	AEIOU Community Workshop: Townsville
Address:	James Cook University, Education Central (Building 134), Room: 134-021-HD Collaborative Teaching Space
Date:	7 August 2019
Time:	5:00pm

| ABOUT AEIOU FOUNDATION |

AEIOU is a leading provider of autism-specific early intervention for children aged two to six. Each child receives individualised therapy support from a team including speech pathologists, occupational therapists, behaviour therapists and educators. The evidence-based service meets the Australian Guidelines for Good Practice 2012.

AEIOU Foundation is an approved National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) provider, and employs a dedicated team to provide families expert support when navigating the early years of a diagnosis.