



Meet

Evelyn Platanos

Positive Behaviour Support
Practitioner

ABOUT EVELYN

Evelyn is a Positive Behaviour Support Practitioner with more than seven years supporting people with disability, including three and a half years in positive behaviour support. Her background is in psychology, and before behaviour support she worked in disability justice, helping people with intellectual disability through the justice system.

She starts with conversation, with the person, their family and their support team, to understand what behaviour is communicating. Her plans focus on clear, practical strategies tailored to the person, written so support teams can use them every day and restrictive practices can reduce.

Evelyn values being on the same team as everyone around the person.

Who Evelyn works with

- ✓ People aged 9 and over with intellectual disability
- ✓ People with complex behaviours and mental health needs
- ✓ People in contact with the justice system
- ✓ People whose supports involve restrictive practices

At a glance

Region West and north Melbourne, including Werribee, Footscray, Sunshine, Melton, Diggers Rest, Glenroy, Essendon and Brunswick, plus Geelong.

Services Positive Behaviour Support

Qualifications

Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Advanced), Monash University

Bachelor of Arts (Psychology and Forensic Science), Swinburne University

Certificate IV in Government Investigations

☆ Fun fact

Evelyn is a brown belt in karate and has an American Staffy called Apollo, after the Greek god of light.

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