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**LET'S TALK ABOUT SEX:
Young Women's Gathering on
Sexual Reproductive Health**

13 – 14 July 2007

The Centre, Randwick, Sydney

Let's Talk About Sex is an opportunity for young women from across Australia to discuss and explore sexual and reproductive health issues especially from a rights' perspective. This gathering will encourage youth participation and community networking, generate new knowledge about rights-based approaches to sexual reproductive health, and foster a better understanding of current attitudes in young Australian women. Apart from open discussions and cinema, theatre and art as mediums of political expression will be encouraged. An important aim of the gathering is to generate better sexual and reproductive health outcomes for young Australians by communicating their voices to federal and state policy-makers.

SOME ISSUES AND THEMES INCLUDE:

young women & sexual reproductive health *human rights & sexuality*
Aussie attitudes towards sex *backlash against women's reproductive rights*
Gen-Y women: conservative and apathetic? *safe and loving relationships*
changing face of STIs in Australia *multiculturalism, diversity and sexuality in Australia*
sex education & information: access vs overload *young women & fertility*
sexualisation of pre-pubescent children *youth living with disabilities & sexuality*
sexual liberalism in the '00s *sustainable population & the future*

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU

Be a speaker or facilitator:

- Do you have a burning issue you want to open discussion on?
- Do you have a piece of drama, music or artwork expressing your thoughts on sexuality and politics?
- Are you completing or have you completed research on sexual reproductive health and rights related field and would like to share it with us?
- Do you work in the field as an advocate, organiser or educator and would like to share your experience and gather feedback?
- Do you have particular expertise in advocacy and policy work?
- And -- Would you like to facilitate a workshop but don't know where to start? Contact us and we will give you material and tips on how to run one.

Just be part of it:

Come and be part of this diverse and exciting gathering! We would love to see young woman between the ages of 16 and 30, and any other interested individuals from all walks of life at *Lets Talk About Sex* in July 2007.

Registration and Enquiries:

Cost: \$40 unwaged/students and \$60 waged

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