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FEC was established by Zonta House Refuge Association to support women who have experienced Family and Domestic Violence achieve economic independence and community inclusion.

The program provides women access to tailored and comprehensive employment and educational support based on each woman's self-identified needs and goals. Support is provided through tailored individual support plans and group workshops.

Future Employment Connections have established partnerships with employers, volunteer organisations and training facilities. Women accessing the Future Employment Connections program have access to a range of industries that are supported by Zonta House Refuge Association to provide a safe and suitable work and learning environment.

"I have a purpose now, now I have a direction; I feel excited because I have earned this money myself getting rewarded for what I've made, I feel I'm part of something big."

The Future Employment Connections Program provides support with

- Career Planning
- Study Pathways
- Job searching
- Interview preparation
- Volunteering
- Reintegration to the workplace
- Communicating with influence
- · Self-care to family and domestic violence
- · Long term safety planning

The program uses strength and response-based principals in its workshops and recognises everyone can play a part in the prevention and reduction of Family and Domestic Violence.

"I love learning new skills, I'm proud of what I have been doing, in a short period of time, I was concerned and had reservation about a lot of things, but I did lots of things, my self-esteem is something I never had, now doing this helped me heaps."

