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Allied Health
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26th - 29th August 2017, ICC Sydney, Australia

Pre-Conference Workforce Program: Saturday 26th August 2017 (9.30am – 12.50pm • 1.40pm – 5.00pm)

Welcome Reception: 5.30pm

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM DAY 1 – Sunday 27 August 2017

TIME	SESSIONS
9.00 – 11.00am	Opening Plenary Session: Master of Ceremonies (MC) Mr Adam Spencer
9.00 – 9.10am	Official Opening/MC Welcome (10 mins)
9.10 – 9.20am	Welcome to Country: Uncle Ray Davison, Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council (10 mins)
9.20 – 9.35am	Traditional Aboriginal Dance Performance: Muggera Dancers (15 mins)
9.35 – 9.50am	Welcome Address: The Hon. Brad Hazzard, MP, NSW Minister for Health, NSW Minister for Medical Research (15 mins)
9.50 – 10.00am	The Hon. Greg Hunt, MP, Minister for Health, Minister for Sport (10 mins)
10.00 – 10.30am	Keynote Address: Professor Tom Calma AO, Chancellor University of Canberra – Beyond your discipline – Advocacy for a better tomorrow (30 mins) (Former Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Justice Commissioner and Race Discrimination Commissioner, Australian Human Rights Commission)
10.30 – 11.00am	Keynote Address: Dr Jacqui Lunday-Johnstone, Chief Health Professions Officer, NHS Scotland United Kingdom – Change the World!: AHPs Driving Improvement and Demonstrating Impact (30 mins)
11.00 – 11.30am	MORNING TEA (POSTERS AND EXHIBITION)

CONCURRENT SESSION THEMES								
	Connecting with consumers	Workforce: Supporting new graduates	Multidisciplinary care	Improving allied health research	Service innovation through ehealth	Connectivity to achieve integrated care	Workforce: Building capacity	Using data effectively
ROOM	C2.1 (Bundeena)	C2.2 & 2.3 (Bennelong)	C2.4 (Bungaree)	C2.5 & 2.6 (Berowra)	C3.1 (Katoomba)	C3.2 (Parramatta)	C3.6 (Woolloomooloo)	Parkside Ballroom (Barangaroo)
11.30 – 11.50am	Improving the Delivery of Allied Health Services to patients with Parkinson’s Disease through Telehealth – Judy Rough	Allied Health Workplace Learning Grants – A State-wide Program – Maria Berarducci	Role Boundaries and Scopes of Practice: The Interdisciplinary Diabetes Educator Role – Olivia King	Allied Health Research Positions: A Qualitative evaluation of their impact and enabling and hindering mechanisms – Rachel Wenke	KILCOY CONNECT – Allied Health enhancement & implementation of telehealth, to provide sub-acute care in a semi-rural setting – Ansuyah (Anne) Padayachee (Co-Presenter: Donna Ward)	How to find “the right person” in the mantra of the right care, by the right person, at the right place and at the right time? – Jason Warnock	Negotiation Skills and Influencing Behaviours Training – A novel program to enhance essential communication skills for Allied Health professionals – Gabriela Veliz	Development of a Data Dashboard for Quality of Care, Outcomes and Staff Performance in Allied Health – Matthew Webb
11.50 – 12.10pm	A person centred approach to collaborative goal setting with stroke patients: a pilot program evaluation – Stephanie Gleeson	Supporting the ‘student-health professional transition’: evaluation of the first year of the Sydney Local Health District Allied Health New Graduate Program – Bradley Lloyd	Multidisciplinary stroke specific allied health assistants: Developing a model of care in subacute care – Ester Roberts	The Research Incubator: An inter-organisational model to promote clinician-academic collaborative research – Sharon Mickan (Co-Presenter: Rachel Wenke)	Training physiotherapy and speech pathology students in telerehabilitation – Is there a difference in knowledge and perceptions? – Deborah Theodoros	Close the gaps in Aboriginal Foot Health Outcomes – A multidisciplinary approach within the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District (ISLHD). A pilot project. – Alicia Burgess	Innovation in education: Online, case-based training building capacity in paediatric clinicians and educators – Katrina Wakely	“The Devil is in the Detail” – using data discovery and interactive reporting tools to better manage Allied Health – Andrew Davison
12.10 – 12.15pm	TRANSITION							
12.15 – 12.35pm	Enhancing opportunities to minimise falls risk in older people – Kristy Robson	The benefits to participants of an Interdisciplinary Videoconference Allied Health Recent Graduate Network to support the transition to rural practice – Megan Kurtz	Head to Toe: Cognition and health beliefs in patients with diabetes related foot wounds – Claire Corbett	Key Factors Affecting Allied Health Research – Jennifer Alison	Enhancing remote physiotherapy services for consistent patient care – Ellen McMaster	Who is the ‘stranded’ patient? – Kathy Grudzinskas	15 steps to building workforce capacity and capability – an evidence based framework – Soraya Bews	Nationally consistent allied health data collection – the next steps. – Kristy Perkins (Co-Presenter Catherine Stephens)
12.35 – 12.55pm	A&E Diabetes Capture Project -CEER- SAY SEE YA (Capture, Engage, Educate- Re-refer) – Veronica Mills	The NSW Aboriginal Allied Health Cadetship Program: Early experiences of Sydney Local Health District cadets and staff – Kerryn Dziamba (Co-Authors: Nellie Pollard-Wharton and Brooke Gowans)	Outcomes of a dedicated specialist multidisciplinary team in prevention of hospital acquired pressure injuries and malnutrition in an acute hospital setting: a pilot project – Lauren Rae	Monitoring strategies to improve allied health clinicians’ use, participation in and leadership of research – Sharon Mickan	Electronic Health Assessment at Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre – Andrea Dolence	Mental Health and Primary Health Services partnering to improve physical health outcomes for people with serious mental illness – Jo McElhinney (Co-Presenter: Stephanie Aalders & Elizabeth Wallace)	A Learner Centred Mindset – Development of a Professional Education Strategy – Joan Leo	Utility of a uniform data set for primary contact allied health clinics – Sonia Sam
12.55 – 1.00pm	TRANSITION							

1.00 – 2.00pm		LUNCH (POSTERS AND EXHIBITION)							
CONCURRENT SESSION THEMES									
	Community based multidisciplinary care	Building a research culture	Service innovation	Multidisciplinary service innovation	Allied health assistants	Scope of practice	Workforce: Clinical supervision	Digital health	Scientific Workshop: Making technology work for you in clinical supervision
ROOM	C2.1 (Bundeena)	C2.2 & 2.3 (Bennelong)	C2.4 (Bungaree)	C2.5 & 2.6 (Berowra)	C3.1 (Katoomba)	C3.2 (Parramatta)	C3.6 (Woolloomooloo)	Parkside Ballroom (Barangaroo)	C3.5 (Gundungurra)
2.00 – 2.20pm	Health literacy in Western Sydney Local Health District: a study on outpatient populations – Kim Hobbs	The Effectiveness, Implementation and Sustainability of TREAT (Tailoring Research Evidence and Theory) Journal Clubs in Allied Health – Rachel Wenke	Gynaecology Physiotherapy Screening Clinics Improve Access to Care and Health Outcomes for Women on Gynaecology Outpatient Waiting Lists – Helen Edwards	Trans-disciplinary Allied Health Advanced Practitioners in General Medicine: A feasibility study – Dina Watterson	The Allied Health Assistant Workforce – Improving Governance and Capacity Building – Sandie Chapman	Can hub and spoke collaborations accelerate the implementation of allied health expanded scope models of care? – Belinda Gavaghan	Allied health professionals report higher knowledge, skills and confidence in clinical supervision compared with medical and nursing professionals – Catherine Dean	A winding road to establishing Teleaudiology for the Mater Cochlear Implant Clinic – Janeen Jardine	Making technology work for you in clinical supervision – Priya Martin (Co-Facilitator: Dr Saravana Kumar)
2.20 – 2.40pm	Practicing social work in a new community based integrated care program – Deslyn Raymond (Co-Presenter: Suzanne Ratcliff)	From Accreditation to Innovation: Embracing Research and Quality Improvement in Mental Health – Dr Justine Evans	A Psychosocial Skills Development Workshop for Clinicians utilising the recently published Emotional Wellbeing Toolkit – Helen Tonkin	Defining a student-led community-based children's physiotherapy service: A feasible and sustainable model of service delivery? – Sophie Lefmann	How does the number of Allied Health Assistants supervised impact Allied Health Professionals workload in the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District? A mixed method study – Patrick Brown	Resilient workforce: Introducing credentialing of expanded scopes of practice into allied health professions – Peter Lalli	Engaging the allied health workforce in simulation based education – Daniella Pfeiffer	Allied Health Stronger together – the Digital Hospital Experience – Julie-Anne Ross (Co-Presenter: Wendy McCallum)	
2.40 – 2.45pm	TRANSITION								
2.45 – 3.05pm	A community based model of pressure injury management to support allied health involvement in chronic complex care – Anna Rose	Building a culture of health research in Western Sydney Local Health District – Prof. Victoria Flood (Co-Presenter: Carolyn Fozzard)	Embracing change in dentistry to deliver better health outcomes – diabetes screening and oral health pilot project – Margaret Rogers	See, Say, Play: A collaboration between Speech Pathologists, Occupational Therapists and parents to better identify co-morbid motor delays in toddlers with language delay – Jacque Henderson (Co-Presenter: Yasmin McFarlane)	The Quinine Project: Increasing access to allied health services in remote NSW – Kim Bulkeley (Co-Presenter: Phil Naden)	Transdisciplinary emergency department practice: Five years in, lessons learnt – Jessica Toohey (Co-Presenter: Heather McInnes)	Clinical Supervision: Can one size really fit all? – Meg Wemyss	Allied Health specialist post-acute telehealth clinics for remote communities – Amanda O'Keefe	

3.05 – 3.25pm	Back to Life: Development of a Multi-Disciplinary Chronic Back Pain Group in a Community Rehabilitation Setting – Lyndel Clancy	The impact of small-group EBP education program: barriers and facilitators for EBP allied health champions to share learning with peers – Sharon Mickan (Co-Presenters: Rachel Wenke & Joanne Hilder)	Catching up with best practice: mobile FEES in the acute care setting – Kate Morris (Co-Presenter: Amy Freeman-Sanderson)	Evaluating the therapeutic use of Art Therapy in a high intensity child and adolescent inpatient mental health unit – Fran Nielsen	Listening to Aboriginal allied health assistants in northwest New South Wales – Claire Dickson (Co-Presenter: Tanya Whitley)	New allied health models of care – success factors from the coal face – Kathy Grudzinskas (Co-Presenter: Jenny Finch)	Clinical Supervision Training – improving clinician skill and confidence – Anna Nethercote	Simple Tech Solutions To Create More Time, Money And Fun In Your Health Service – Karen Finnin	
3.25 – 3.55pm	AFTERNOON TEA (POSTERS AND EXHIBITION)								
3.55 – 5.00pm	<p>Plenary Session: MC Adam Spencer</p> <p>“The Future of Allied Health in Primary Health Care – Where are we heading?” – Panel Facilitated by Adam Spencer</p> <p>The Primary Health Care landscape continues to evolve. Reforms in the aged care and disability sectors are driving a shift to consumer-directed care in a more competitive market environment. At the same time Primary Health Networks are challenged with developing a strong integrated primary health care system that will improve patient outcomes and experiences, and deliver appropriate services where they are needed most.</p> <p>Primary care services are usually delivered as a series of interventions that not always well connected, and often poorly linked with acute hospitals. Consumers of health services seek care from a variety of health care providers of differing backgrounds, working in a variety of settings and in different parts of the wider health system. The concept of the Health Care Home, while embryonic, has been heralded as a possible solution for people with complex and/or multiple chronic conditions.</p> <p>In this environment Allied Health practitioners often function as individual discipline-specific providers and with a broad range of approaches to service delivery. They often have strong business relationships with referrers such as GPs and specialists, but do not have ready access to secure ICT platforms to enable information sharing with other care providers, vital for effective care coordination.</p> <p>This session will provide a forum to discuss the actions that need to be taken to ensure that primary care Allied Health professionals are well placed to be part of new models of care as they emerge.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can Allied Health Professionals make the most of the changing environment in primary care? • Is there an agreed “best practice” framework for multidisciplinary care for priority populations? How is this framework promulgated? • How will quality and safety of health care be monitored in primary care, and by whom? <p>A/Prof Jim Gillespie, Deputy Director, Menzies Centre for Health Policy, University of Sydney A/Professor in Health Policy, Sydney School of Public Health (10 mins)</p> <p>Dr Lucio Naccarella PHD, Senior Research Fellow at the Centre For Health Policy in the Melbourne School of Population and Global Health at The University of Melbourne. (10 mins)</p> <p>Dr Saravana Kumar, Senior Lecturer at the School of Health Sciences, University of South Australia (10 mins)</p> <p>Panel Discussion and Q&A with Adam Spencer (30 mins)</p>								
6.30pm	HESTA AWARDS PRIMARY HEALTH CARE CONFERENCE DINNER								

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM DAY 2 – Monday 28 August 2017

TIME	SESSIONS
8.30 – 10.30am	Plenary Session: MC Adam Spencer
8.30 – 8.40am	Welcome (10 mins)
8.40 – 9.15am	Keynote presentation: Mr Mark Cormack, Deputy Secretary, Strategic Policy and Innovation Group, Department of Health (35 mins)
9.15 – 9.50am	Keynote presentation: Professor Lorimer Moseley, Foundation Chair in Physiotherapy at University of South Australia and head of the Body in Mind Research Group – Pain revolution: is it time to stop treating and start coaching? (35 mins)
9.50 – 10.25am	Keynote presentation: Professor Steven Larkin, Pro Vice Chancellor, Indigenous Education and Research University of Newcastle – Healing and Trauma as “the new black” for indigenous health planning (35 mins)
10.25 – 10.30am	Presentation of Allied Health Inspiration Award (5 mins)
10.30 – 11.00am	MORNING TEA (POSTERS AND EXHIBITION)

CONCURRENT SESSION THEMES

	Advances in technology	Allied health outcomes	Paediatric interprofessional practice	Connecting with consumers	Length of stay and discharge	Rehabilitation	Leadership and resilience	Allied health assistants	Scientific Workshop: Writing and publishing your research
ROOM	C2.1 (Bundeena)	C2.2 & 2.3 (Bennelong)	C2.4 (Bungaree)	C2.5 & 2.6 (Berowra)	C3.1 (Katoomba)	C3.2 (Parramatta)	C3.6 (Woolloomooloo)	Parkside Ballroom (Barangaroo)	C3.5 (Gundungurra)
11.00 – 11.20am	Responding to changing workforce needs: a study on multiple modes of training delivery – Priya Martin	Lessons learnt from the implementation of an Allied Health governance framework during transition to a new hospital – Fiona Templeman (Co-Presenter: Melinda Charlesworth)	Allied Health in Paediatric Palliative Care: delivery of a contemporary interdisciplinary model of health care – Angela Delaney (Co-Presenters: Sarah Baggio & Leigh Dovovan)	In our own words. What do consumers with communication difficulties say about their healthcare – Chris Bruce	Overcoming the discharge barriers of long stay patients: The implementation of an innovative social worker led model of care in a hospital setting – Angela OMalia	Developing a short term Rehabilitation Response to a critical incident in a remote indigenous community Cape York, QLD, Australia – Joanne Thomas	Adaptive Allied Health Leadership: Cultivating Resilience to Thrive and Survive – Meredith Swaby (Co-Presenter: Joan Leo)	Upskilling Dietitian Assistants at St George Hospital with a skills-based competency program – Nicole Getreu	Writing and publishing your research – Sarah Dennis
11.20 – 11.40am	Virtual Education for Busy Allied Health Clinicians – Carmel Blayden	A Physiotherapy-led Post-Arthroplasty Review (PAR) Clinic in a Regional Hospital: Comprehensive Patient Outcome Analysis – Sheena Carney	Collaborative practice for early intervention for infants: designing an evidence based, responsive inter-professional service delivery model – Yolande Noble (Co-Presenter: Lisa Findlay)	Barriers and Enablers of Patient and Family Centred Care in an Australian Acute Care Hospital: Implications for Allied Health Managers – Bradley Lloyd	SPeED – an innovative Supported Patient Centred Early Discharge service for subacute geriatric inpatients: protocol for controlled clinical trial – Peter Hough	iREAP – an anticipatory integrated care day rehabilitation model where patients reap the benefits – Genevieve Maiden	Development and pilot of a professional capability framework for a resilient allied health workforce – Katherine O'Shea (Co-Presenter: Prof. Sharon Mickan)	Speech-language pathologists' paradoxical perceptions of working with assistants and consumer focus – Rachael O'Brien	
11.40 – 11.45am	TRANSITION								
11.45 – 12.05pm	Paperless medical documentation from genesis to implementation – Rachel Allan	Clinician and patient centred outcome measures in acute care across a health district: A prospective trial – Kylie Draper (Co-Presenter: Sophie Brassel)	Building great healthcare teams: an interprofessional education program for health students on clinical placement – Paul Andrews (Co-Presenters: Annie Venville, Margaret Bramwell & Helen Brake)	Meeting unmet needs: An Individualised, community-based, rural outreach model for the NDIS – Edward Johnson (Co-Presenters: Katie Rogers & Julie Cullenward)	Can a new Malnutrition Model of Care (MOC) significantly contribute to reduced length of stay, increased independence and improved resident & staff satisfaction within aged care? – Liz Purcell	Challenging Exercise Prescription for people living with cognitive decline in residential Aged Care facilities – Alison Penington	Taking the LEAHP – Developing allied health leaders to enhance person-centred health care – Patricia Bradd	Early adopter uptake of delegated nutrition care processes – a cross sectional audit of current practice – Jack Bell	

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