National Allied Health Conference

Poster Presentations Day 1 - Sunday 27th August 2017

Location & Time: The Gallery - 9am onwards



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

THEME 1: Advances in Technology

• Driving the Band Wagon - How Allied Health staff are using dashboards to drive healthcare value to patients - Rebecca George (Co-Presenter: Garth Munro)

THEME 2: Connecting with Consumers

- Breakfast group for mental health/drug and alcohol consumers in an involuntary setting Robyn Grant (Co-Presenter: Morgan Strawbridge)
- Creating a culture of shared values: Right people, Right job Genevieve Juj
- Understanding therapeutic engagement in the context of paediatric services Jenny Ziviani (Co-Presenters: Dr Anne Poulsen & Dr Jodie Copley)

THEME 3: Digital Health

- Child-At-Risk electronic Medical Record (eMR) Alert utilising the patient identifier to protect children Rosemaria Flaherty (Co-Presenter: Nicole Ashby)
- My changed body: The effects of a brief online self-compassion writing activity for breast cancer survivors on negative affect and self-compassion Astrid Przezdziecki

THEME 4: Multidisciplinary Care and Interprofessional Practice

- Interprofessional Student Observation Placements: Facilitating Collaborative Practice Jason Whittingham (Co-Presenter: Jeanie Weber)
- The management of back pain using biopsychosocial applications in primary care John Petrozzi
- A collaborative approach to caring for Jejunostomy feeding tubes: knowledge, confidence and attitudes of nursing staff Irene Deftereos

- Individualised rehabilitation outcomes: Routine administration of the Canadian Occupational Performance Measure in community rehabilitation Glade Vyslysel (Co-Presenters: Sam Zok & Kim Tobin)
- Interprofessional Practice of Early Rehabilitation within Intensive Care Units a focus on the contribution of occupational therapy Andrea Rapolthy-Beck (Co-Presenter: Cecile Prescott)
- The Dream Team: Reflections on interdisciplinary practice between music therapy and counselling in a palliative care setting Andrea Bryk (Co-Presenter: Angela Karanikolos)
- The Peter Beumont Eating Disorders Outreach Service: Building confidence and competence in clinicians treating people with eating disorders **Stephanie Bakhos**

THEME 5: Research and Quality Improvement

- A long wait with no weight: an investigation into the impact of restricted weight bearing on central coast LHD services and expenditure Erin Avery
- Attitudes, barriers and enablers to physical activity in pregnant women: a systematic review Anne Harrison
- The re-evaluation of a clinical governance framework for an allied health directorate Kate Roberts
- Clinical reasoning in acute care dietetics is influenced by factors related to the context of the dietitian: a qualitative study Ruth Vo
- Malnutrition Risk Screening working together to make a difference Kylie Richardson
- Outpatient cardiac rehabilitation: Patient perceived benefits, barriers, and reasons for non-attendance Fergus Gardiner (Co-Presenters: Ezekiel Uba Nwose & Phillip Taderera Bwititi)
- Outpatient cardiac rehabilitation: Patient pathological benefits and challenges Fergus Gardiner (Co-Presenters: Ezekiel Uba Nwose & Phillip Taderera Bwititi)
- Factors that predict recording of weights of inpatients Allison Ferguson
- Sweet Dreams' a very low energy diet for morbidly obese patients with T2DM Emma Bone
- Kneed to Change- Transforming the knee replacement journey Marie K. March
- Current Evidence for Dysphagia Rehabilitation Post Thermal Burn Injury Nicola Clayton
- A quantitative cross section study to determine the prevalence of food insecurity and its impact upon health outcomes amongst people living with HIV in Sydney Rosalind Moxham

- Enhancing early Occupational Therapy management of acute stroke patients Andrea Rapolthy-Beck
- Pharmaceutical review...how benchmarking can assist to define and standardise processes Janki Solanki

THEME 6: Service Innovation

- Developing a neurological assessment tool in the acute oncology setting Rachel Allan
- Implementation of early inreach rehabilitation at a tertiary referral university hospital initial one year experience Kate Marconi (Co-Presenters: Aleksandra Karwaj & Katherine Francis)
- Allied Health advanced scope of practice clinics in specialist outpatients: improving patient access and outcomes Leo Ross (Co-Presenters: Julie-Anne Ross & Gail Gordon)
- Evaluation of Lunchtime mindfulness sessions for staff of a busy community clinic Katherine Coote
- A unique collaboration brings gold standard assessment to patients in regional Queensland Pamela D'Netto (Co-Presenters: Aimee Smith & Jennifer Boulter)
- The Equipment Commitment: Supporting Palliation through Partnerships Lisa McGavern

THEME 7: Strengthening the Assistant Workforce

- Clinical Supervision for Allied Health Assistants what's the best model? Lucy Whelan
- One referral tool for AHAs maintaining accountability Lucy Whelan
- SEE SAW (Smart Enhanced Education Strengthening the Assistant Workforce): A Balancing Act Kylie Higgins (Co-Presenter: Megan Whiley)
- Development of individual ward guidelines for Allied Health Assistants in Nutrition Jennifer Anderson (Co-Presenter: Julie Jenkins & Lucy Milliner)
- Beyond The Pilot: Education and Training to develop the Cross-Disciplinary Allied Health Assistance Workforce Sue Prosser (Co-Presenter: Tegan Dalla)
- An evaluation of the role of Allied Health Assistants in Social Work at Monash Health-2 years on Katrina Frederick

THEME 8: Using Data Effectively for Sound Business Choices

- A Dynamic, Flexible Health Workforce Forecasting Model Showcasing the Psychology Profession Janice Mueller
- Randomised controlled trials evaluating the effectiveness of research implementation strategies on evidence-based decision-making by Allied Health managers: A study protocol **Mitchell Sarkies**

THEME 9: Workforce Development, Education and Leadership

- An education program to improve communication and nutrition counselling skills of dietitians Stephanie Notaras
- Collaborative managers build resilient services in the face of change Bobbi Henao Urrego (Co-Presenter: Jenna Binsted)
- Allied Health Initiative for Education and Development Counties Manukau Health Wendy McKinstry
- Key issues facing new graduates in the allied health workforce Petra Avramovic (Co-Presenter: Sophie Clark)
- The development of a reference group to represent new graduates within the allied health workforce Eileen Boyle (Co-Presenter: Natalie Lloyd)
- Developing leadership skills in Physiotherapy undergraduate students Kerstin McPherson (Co-Presenter: Simone O'Shea)
- Building capacity and capability for work force flexibility in a tertiary hospital setting Kathy Grudzinskas
- The value of expanding the scope of practice of a multidisciplinary Emergency Department team, benefiting the consumer, clinicians and assisting hospital flow Emma Handley
- An interdisciplinary rehabilitation team experience: Working with clients with brain cancer Robyn Fergeus
- What happens on allied health clinical education placements? An audit of current practice in pre-registration physiotherapy, occupational therapy, and nutrition and dietetics Kelly Saber
- Study protocol: Professional identity amongst allied health staff in three workforce structures Anita Wilton
- Practice education split placement models: Equipping Occupational Therapy students with the necessary skills for a changing work environment **Ricky Pomroy**
- Geographical Analysis of Physiotherapy Placements within the Queensland Public Sector-is the mix right? Kassie Shardlow (Co-Presenter: Mark Gooding)

- Strengthening the rural Occupational Therapy workforce: An inter-agency partnership creating accessible professional development Alina Roper
- Allied Health, Responding to Health Care's Opportunities and Challenges, Now and into the Future Gabriela Veliz (Co-Presenter: Claire Moody)
- Building staff capacity through a community dementia team model Diana Antoniazzi (Co-Presenter: Libby Wade & Sarah Gallagher)
- Succession Planning in Allied Health Soraya Bews
- How much time do allied health clinicians spend undertaking research? Anna Farrell

THEME 10: Working to Full and/or Expanded Scope of Practice

• First Contact Paediatric Psychology Service - Vidula Garde

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Poster Presentations Day 2 - Monday 28th August 2017

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THEME 1: Allied Health Marketing and Profile

- Magnetising Allied Health Melanie Wells
- Current representation of Speech Pathology on the Internet and the implications for health professions Nicole Byrne

THEME 2: Connecting with Consumers

- Addressing the unmet needs of cancer patients in the acute oncology setting Anthea Udovicich
- People with polio/post-polio accessing enable NSW assistive technology programs Can we be more responsive? Christa Roessler (Co-Presenter: Anna Hartley)
- Factors that affect glycaemic control in Australian adults: Patient's perspective Kylie Smythe
- Putting the "me" back in dementia: Strategies used by family caregivers in providing care to people living with dementia Carmen Amato (Co-Presenter: Gemma Burridge)
- The changing landscape A shared care response to HIV care within Hunter New England Health Kylie Voght

THEME 3: Digital Health

- One Medical Record, Our Digital Future at Children's Health Queensland Rachel Thomas (Co-Presenter: Loretta Johnston)
- Let's Go Live! A successful training and support model for Electronic Medical Record (EMR) implementation Bernadette O'Connor

THEME 4: Multidisciplinary Care and Interprofessional Practice

- 'The making of a great disability practitioner: Foundational disability practices for Allied Health Professionals entering the disability workforce' **Rebecca Allen (Co-Presenter: Lorren Krilich)**
- A Transdisciplinary Approach To Brain Injury Rehabilitation Chris Catchpole

- Engaging a unique collaboration to deliver a multidisciplinary, community-based approach to osteoarthritis rehabilitation in rural Aotearoa New Zealand Janice Mueller
- Dysphagia and medication management: A Pharmacy and Speech Pathology collaboration Nicole Stevens (Co-Presenter: Samantha Kirk)
- "If pain persists": Establishing a resilient, interdisciplinary allied health team within a newly funded paediatric persistent pain management service Joanne Loader (Co-Presenter: Helen Carrington)
- Workplace audits of texture modified meals at Logan Hospital Jane Ross
- Burns Allied health Team: Getting on like a house on fire Julia Kwiet (Co-Presenter: Anne Darton)
- Community service interventions to assist a person living with HIV and significant cognitive impairment achieve a healthy body weight: A case study Rosalind Moxham

THEME 5: Research and quality improvement

- Management of Clozapine-induced Hypersalivation and Drooling What do Psychiatrists Prescribe? Omar Mubaslat
- Pilot project Utilisation of physiotherapy and dietetic outreach services in paediatric patients: Feasibility and acceptability Jen Corda (Co-Presenter: Erin Carr)
- Helping your child Learn Two Languages: key messages everyone working with children needs to know Judith Mansour (Co-Presenter: Stavroula Stathakis)
- Advanced Tai Chi Techniques for More Effective Falls Prevention Gary Khor (Co-Presenter: Aaron Khor)
- Validity of the Early Screen for Discharge Planning Tool in Acute Oncology Setting Lucy Bucci (Co-Presenters: Sharni Patchell & Erika Kotowicz)
- Testing the reliability of the Foot-Care Abilities Questionnaire (F-CAQ) to measure change in a small sample group Tina Loxley

THEME 6: Service Innovation

- Outcomes of care using a group approach to hip and knee joint outpatient rehabilitation: A pilot study Nikita Kedar
- Innovative health service development in chronic illness populations Rachel Kovacevic (Co-Presenters: Stephen McCrea & Dr Karen Hallam)
- Non-alcoholic happy hour; a novel way to improving fluid intake in hospitalised older adults Tracy Kelly
- Allied Health Prescribers' Perceptions of Potential Impact, Barriers and Enablers to Practice Liza-Jane McBride
- Providing the Right Health Care to the Right People at the Right Time Courtney Ward-Jackson
- Improving access to rehabilitation: a redesign project Lissa Spencer (Co-Presenter: Jennifer Alison)

THEME 7: Strengthening the Assistant Workforce

- Building competency in the Allied Health Assistant and Psychiatric Services Officer workforce Lucy Whelan
- Cross-network AHA workforce professional development how does this look? Lucy Whelan
- Allied health assistants in rehabilitation-still an untapped resource? Virginia Mitsch
- AHA- A Hard Ask or A Heroic Answer? Tricia Bulic
- The AHA student clinical placement experience how do we make it work for all? Lucy Whelan
- A gap analysis of the Grade 3 Allied Health Assistant (Physiotherapy) role among Australian healthcare organisations Sean Kinnaird

THEME 8: Using Data Effectively for Sound Business Choices

• Development of a Data Dashboard for Quality of Care, Outcomes and Staff Performance - Matthew Webb

THEME 9: Workforce Development, Education and Leadership

- Growing social workers' research confidence and capability: Embedding a research culture in a children's health service Jenny Ziviani
- Governance in action Helping new graduates COPE on a shoe-string budget Michael Harris (Co-Presenter: Kassie Shardlow)
- Transition to practice: A programme to support allied health new graduates into the workforce Wendy McKinstry
- Enhancing knowledge translation and the use of functional electrical stimulation (FES) by stroke rehabilitation occupational therapists Nicola Bacon
- Clinicians experience of using motivational interviewing with their clients in the community Paul Hurst
- Using student feedback to guide clinical placement development, improving the program for students and educators alike Emily Riglar
- What is your Allied Health role in a Medical Emergency? (Demystifying MET calls & recognising a change in patient wellness) Jessica Barnard
- Want a seat at the table? How a shared vision has achieved that and more Stacey Baldac
- Building a Resilient Workforce Providing Allied Health education in Palliative Care Michael Bayley
- Organisational and employee benefits of using flexible work practices (FWP) Mary-Ellen Tarrant
- Successes and challenges in meeting the education and training needs of prescribers of assistive technology a collaborative approach Louise Mather-Mullard (Co-Presenter: Linda Elliott)
- Students' perception of quality and adequacy of simulated clinical placement in Occupational Therapy professional practice education Dr. Elspeth Froude
- Professional identity and resiliency recognising people as our greatest asset in managing organisational change and creating a culture of contemporary best practice and service innovation **Penny Power (Co-Presenter: Anna Young)**
- Pharmacy's yellow brick road: defining the path from undergraduate to advanced practice Catherine Brown
- From pilot to take-off: State-wide implementation of TRACS WA's novel interprofessional Subacute Care Learning Program Lisa Majteles
- Maternity And Parental Leave Guidelines To Assist Allied Health Staff And Managers Matthew Webb
- TRACS WA Simulation Video Resource Project: An overview of interprofessional collaboration, planning, delivery and lessons learned to support clinicians Lisa Majteles
- Evaluation of the NSW Physiotherapy New Graduate Allocation Program: Analysis from 2006 to 2016 Daniel Treacy

- Allied Health Clinical Supervision Rebecca Day
- A professional clinical supervision program to support the diverse allied health workforce Julie-Anne Ross

THEME 10: Working to Full and/or Expanded Scope of Practice

- The changing role and impact of Pastoral Care (in a health care setting) within an increasingly secular world Frances Westmore (Co-Presenter: Alexis Ward)
- Health literacy and diabetes knowledge in Orange community of NSW Ezekiel (Uba) Nwose
- Implementation of Podiatrist Initiated Pathology Requesting in Metro North Hospital and Health Service Scott Lucadou-Wells
- Building a resilient workforce by strengthening professional identity Penny Power