



29TH national conference

supporting the full spectrum of remote health practices.

novotel perth langley hotel
221 adelaide terrace
perth | wa 6000

tuesday 11 – friday 14 october 2011

program



tuesday 11 october 2011

conference opening ceremony

12:00 pm **Registration desk opens**

4:00 pm **Registration desk closes**

6:00 pm **Welcome to Country** by Noongar Elder, Dr. Noel Nannup

Official opening address by Senator Judith Adams, Liberal Senator WA

Presentation of the Inaugural CRANAplus Fellows

Cocktails and canapés

8:30 pm **Finish**

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wednesday 12 october 2011

- 8:00 am **Registration opens** coffee, tea & networking
- 8:30 am Tradeshow open
- 9:00 am **Welcome** by President Christopher Cliffe
- 9:15 am **Keynote address** Professor Colleen Hayward, Head of Kurongkurl Katitjin, Edith Cowan University, WA
- 10:00 am Amanda Akers *Social and Emotional Wellbeing in the Rural Workplace : The Long Road to Action*
- 10:20 am Beth Hummerston *Bugger the Border*
- 10:40 am **Morning tea** (30 mins)
- 11:10 am Jacki Ward *Kid's Ears: Do you know what you are looking at?*
- 11:30 am Cindy Porter *Making sense of the lived experience of Aboriginal women with diabetes in pregnancy*
- 11:50 am Terrie Ivanhoe *Applying the Remote Area Nurse (RAN) model of consultation*
- 12:10 pm Victoria Salerno *Growing Great Kids – Ord Valley Aboriginal Health Service*
- 12:30 pm **Lunch** (60 mins)
- 1:30 pm Mark Ramjan *Get the Picture: Digital x-ray facilities in remote communities of the Northern Territory*
- 1:50 pm Howard Bunt *Leaders of the Pack: Innovative Technological Solutions to Rural Issues*
- 2:10 pm Julia Stewart *Taking eRemote to the Solomon Islands*
- 2:30 pm Monica Frain, Kimberley Population Health Unit, (KPHU) Remote Health Services Medication Safety Project
- 3:00 pm **Afternoon tea** (30 mins)
- 3:30 pm Tracey Semmler-Booth *Review of staff training and implementation of routine screening program for perinatal depression: relevance to country areas*
- 3:50 pm Glory Baker *Change in service delivery for Isisford Primary Health Centre from a medical model to a primary health care approach*
- 4:10 pm Robyn Aitken *Remote Nurse Practitioners : An essential role for the delivery of culturally safe, comprehensive Primary Health Care services in Remote Australia*
- 4:30 pm Kerry Copley *How can we do this better? Continuous Quality Improvement in Aboriginal Primary Health Care in the NT*
- 4:50 pm **Wrap up and close**



thursday 13 october 2011

- 8:00 am **Registration opens** coffee, tea & networking
- 8:30 am Tradeshow open
- 9:00 am **Welcome/housekeeping**
- 9:15 am **Keynote address** Lee Thomas, Federal Secretary ANF
- 10:00 am Rachel Verschuren *Agrisafe Australia: Improving Health in Agricultural Communities*
- 10:20 am Wenda Tyrell *Home Among the Pine Trees*
- 10:40 am **Morning tea** (30 mins)
- 11:10 am Rosie Clarke *Pot of Gold at end of rainbow spectrum*
- 11:30 am Wendy Mackay *e-Health and Telemedicine in the NT: Continuity of care of the patient journey as they navigate health care*
- 11:50 am Shane Smith *Closing The Elder Gap: Bringing age specific services to older Indigenous people*
- 12:10 pm Libby Bowell and Clement Manuri Tugeda *fo Helti Komuniti in the Solomon Islands : the healthy village approach*
- 12:30 pm **Lunch** (60 mins)
- 1:30 pm Raima Baker *Aboriginal Health Workers (AHWs) are the most 'valuable asset' Katherine West Health Board Aboriginal Corporation (KWHB)*
- 1:50 pm Gerard Stevens *Implementation of Mirijini in Remote Primary Health Care Clinics*
- 2:10 pm Chris Fraser *Can standardised communications formats improve the quality of health information between the bush to the hospital?*
- 2:30 pm Carol Cunningham *Reaching remote Australians with Warning Signs of Heart Attack messages*
- 3:00 pm **Afternoon tea** (30 mins)
- 3:30 pm Coralie Achterberg *Aboriginal Community Worker Program Remote Health*
- 3:50 pm Lyn Byers *Connecting across communities : the work of the Mark Sheldon Remote Mental Health Team (MSRMHT) in Central Australia*
- 4:10 pm Beth Waters *Closing the Gap Mobile Outreach Clinic*
- 4:30 pm Deb Schoen *Interprofessional Education in Diabetic Foot Screening*
- 5:00 pm Presentation of Graduates – hosted by Centre for Remote Health
Cocktails and canapés
- 6:00 pm **Wrap up and close**



friday 14 october 2011

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| 8:00 am | Registration opens coffee, tea & networking |
| 8:30 am | Tradeshow open |
| 09:00 am | Welcome/housekeeping |
| 09:15 am | Keynote address John Mofflin, Co-founder – Jack Thompson Foundation |
| 10:00 am | John Wright <i>Dealing with uncertainty in remote and isolated practice</i> |
| 10:20 am | Sue Lenthall <i>Back from the Edge</i> |
| 10:40 am | Morning tea (30 mins) |
| 11:10 am | Lisa Webb <i>A model to overcome the tyranny of distance for remote home modifications</i> |
| 11:30 am | Leanne Thompson <i>How poor collaboration and communication between multi-disciplinary teams can affect their patients physically, mentally and financially</i> |
| 11:50 am | James Roth <i>The incidental role of inter professional education in recruiting and retaining health graduates in rural communities</i> |
| 12:10 pm | Emily Dalton <i>The National Rural Health Students Network and CRANAplus – shaping the future health workforce</i> |
| 12:30 pm | Lunch (60 mins) |
| 1:30 pm | CRANAplus SPOTLIGHT <i>Clinical Procedures Manual online launch : Education : Advocacy : Support</i> |
| 2:15 pm | Commence setup for AGM Afternoon tea during setup |
| 2:45 pm | AGM |
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| 4:00 pm | Close to setup for Awards Dinner |
| 6:30 pm | Pre-dinner drinks |
| 7:00 pm | Annual Awards Dinner – Novotel Langley Ballroom |

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