

# Barwon South Western and Grampians Allied Health Conference 2016

*Facing the future: Innovation and collaboration in regional allied health*

9.00 – 9.30am	<b>Registration</b>		
9.30 – 9.35am	<b>Master of Ceremonies</b> – Welcome and housekeeping		
9.35 – 9.50am	<b>Welcome to Country</b> – Aunty Jennifer Beer		
9.50 – 10.00am	<b>Opening remarks</b> – Mr Chris Scott, Chief Executive Officer, Wimmera Health Care Group		
10.00 – 10.45am	<b>Keynote Speaker – Professor Susan Nancarrow</b> , Southern Cross University <i>Negotiating the politics of research: understanding the system to make your research count</i>		
10.45 – 10.55am	<b>Question time</b>		
10.55 – 11.10am	<b>Morning Tea</b>		
	Room: C005 Auditorium	Room: C83 Classroom	Room: M20 Classroom
	<b>Innovation in models of care</b>	<b>Collaboration in training and development</b>	<b>Innovation in models of care</b>
11.10 – 11.25am	<b>Ms Margot Lowther</b> <i>Effective joint replacement: Redesign of care pathways</i>	<b>Ms Leanne Jackson</b> <i>Skills set matrix: A learning framework for occupational therapists at South West Healthcare</i>	<b>Mrs Catherine Kennedy</b> <i>Alcohol and other drugs: Students' knowledge, attitudes and behaviour</i>
11.25 – 11.40am	<b>Mr Andrew Smith</b> <i>Community transition: Bridging the gap from hospital to community service</i>	<b>Mrs Elizabeth Robinson</b> <i>Developing an allied health assistant network: Perspectives of an allied health assistant</i>	<b>Ms Renee Clapham</b> <i>The multidisciplinary allied health assistant</i>
11.40 – 11.45pm	<b>5 minute transition</b>		
11.45 – 12.00pm	<b>Ms Heidi Manson</b> <i>A new grade 3 allied health assistant role in diabetes and chronic disease management</i>	<b>Mr Mark Kelly</b> <i>Interprofessional communication workshops for students on clinical placements</i>	<b>Ms Joanna Poon</b> <i>Non-diet approach to sustainable change in community health (HEAL™ program)</i>
12.00 – 12.15pm	<b>Ms Janine Clark</b> <i>Footy practice for farmers': Improving the health of farmers</i>	<b>Ms Angela Paton</b> <i>Lessons learned from implementing an interprofessional graduate program</i>	<b>Ms Teresa Williams</b> <i>Implementation of a Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip (DDH) Clinic</i>
12.15 – 12.55pm	<b>Lunch (12.35 – 12.55 Poster presenters to be available at their posters)</b>		

12.55 – 1.30pm	<b>Keynote speaker – Ms Kathleen Philip, Victorian Chief Allied Health Advisor</b> <i>The changing Health and Human Services landscape in Victoria and some priorities for allied health</i>		
1.30 – 1.40pm	<b>Question time</b>		
<b>1.40 – 1.45 pm</b>	<b>5 minute transition</b>		
	<b><i>Innovation in models of care</i></b>	<b><i>Collaboration in allied health</i></b>	<b><i>Collaboration in paediatric allied health</i></b>
1.45 – 2.00pm	<b>Ms Sue Eaton</b> <i>Allied health assistants: Improving job satisfaction</i>	<b>Ms Natalie Sutton</b> <i>Collaborative development: Horsham cooking group for carers and care recipients</i>	<b>Ms Jayne Hatherall</b> <i>Interdisciplinary Paediatric Feeding Clinic: How did we get there?</i>
2.00 – 2.15pm	<b>Mr Andrew Rank</b> <i>Improving the outcome of a young stroke patient using tele-rehabilitation</i>	<b>Mr Pawel Czupryn</b> <i>Multidisciplinary rural cardiac rehabilitation: Wimmera hub and spoke telehealth model</i>	<b>Ms Tameaka Gower</b> <i>Smiles all around for Ballarat Preschools</i>
<b>2.15 – 2.20pm</b>	<b>5 minute transition</b>		
2.20 – 2.35pm	<b>Ms Courtney Seipolt</b> <i>Implementing the key worker role in the rural sub-acute setting</i>	<b>Mrs Nikki Lyons</b> <i>A model for peer reflective practice with occupational therapy students</i>	<b>Mrs Melinda Brilliant</b> <i>Targeting toddlers: A rural speech pathology response</i>
2.35 – 2.50pm	<b>Dr Christina Sadowski</b> <i>Can horses really change lives? An evaluation of the Equine Learning Experiences Australia Program</i>	<b>Ms Angela Paton</b> <i>Identifying the training needs of clinicians across a regional organisation</i>	<b>Ms Holly Rentsch</b> <i>Little tackers: An innovative approach to educating and supporting families</i>
<b>2.50 – 2.55pm</b>	<b>5 minute transition</b>		
2.55 – 3.30pm	<b>Keynote speaker – Dr Suzanne Kuys, Australian Catholic University</b> <i>A student led interdisciplinary chronic disease service</i>		
3.30 – 3.40pm	<b>Question time</b>		
3.40 – 3.50pm	<b>Presenter: Dr Debra Schulz, East Grampians Health Service, Director of Community Services and Grampians Allied Health Conference Planning Committee</b> <i>Summary, prizes and closing remarks</i>		
<b>3.50 – 4.00pm</b>	<b>Conference networking afternoon tea</b>		
4.00 pm	<b>Conference close</b>		

**For further information on presenters and their abstracts, please refer to the conference program**