

Program

2018 AYRI...? Conference: Realising Remote Possibilities –20 years on Centre for Rural and Remote Health, Mount Isa

Tuesday, July 24th - Day 1

12.30am – 1pm	Registrations
1:00pm – 1:25pm Tjirtamai Hall	Conference Opening & House Keeping – Professor Sabina Knight Welcome to Country & 20th Anniversary Speaker 1 –Adjunct Associate Professor Aunty Karen West
Plenary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Chair: Associate Professor Catrina Felton-Busch
1:25pm – 1:45pm	Pat Anderson AO (Keynote Speaker 1)
1:45pm – 2:05pm	Dr Lenore Geia (Keynote Speaker 2)
2:05pm – 2:20pm	Dr Stephanie M Topp – “We are everything to everyone”: a systematic review of factors influencing the accountability relationships of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Workers (AHWs) in the Australian health system
2:20pm – 3:35pm	Shaun Solomon, Ryan Fitch and Natasha Katergaris – Developing culturally responsive practice: Using the IAHA framework to extend the cultural safety competency of Gidgee Healing Allied Health practitioners
2:35pm – 2:50pm	Questions
2:50pm – 3:25pm	Afternoon Tea
Plenary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Chair: Stephanie King
3.30pm-3.50pm	20th Anniversary Speaker 2: Associate Professor Catrina Felton Busch
3:50pm – 4:10pm	Professor Sabina Knight (Keynote Speaker 3)
4:10pm – 4:25pm	Beverley Hamerton and Maria Mene – “Transforming, Optimising and Growing the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health workforce in Torres and Cape Hospital and health service”
4:25pm – 4:40pm	Mel Roirdan – A Collaborative Approach To Enhance Primary Health Care In The Lower Gulf
4:40pm – 4:55pm	Daniella Solakovic and Kaye Smith – Deadly Choices: Paving the way for health promotion across the North West
4:55pm – 5:05pm	Questions
5:05pm – 5:20pm	Unveiling of ‘Dream Time Soldier’ and ‘Care for Community’ Chern’ee Sutton, Prof Richard Murray and Prof Sabina Knight
5:20pm – 7pm Tjirtamai Hall Lawn	Welcome Reception Sundowner Dancers – Kalkutungu Language and Cultural Connections – Traditional Dancing

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Wednesday, July 25th – Day 2

8:30am – 8:45am Plenary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Welcome & House Keeping		
	Chair: Associate Professor Chris Mitchell		
8:45am – 9:05am	Professor Martha MacLeod (Keynote Speaker 4) Videoconference		
9:05am – 9:25am	Associate Professor Julie Hulcombe (Keynote Speaker 5)		
9:25am – 9:40am	Dr Dana Newcomb – Bringing best-practice care to rural, remote and underserved communities using Project ECHO®		
9:40am – 9:55am	Rhonda Flemming – Implementing Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) in diabetes management in Western Queensland: The Western Queensland Primary Health Network (WQPHN) Diabetes Collaborative		
9:55am – 10:10am	Associate Professor Peta-Ann Teague – Patient-centeredness as an indicator of program impact: The GMT experience		
10:10am – 10:20am	Questions		
10:20am – 10:40am Tjirtamai Hall	Morning Tea		
Concurrent Sessions A	Session A1 Tjirtamai Hall	Session A2 Lecture Room 1	High Level Reference Group West Board Room
	Chair: Shaun Solomon	Chair: Dr Hwee Sin Chong	Chair: Professor Sabina Knight
10:45am – 11:00am	Jess Taylor – Literacy intervention at the Flexible Learning Centre, Mount Isa	Benjamin Beard – The Challenges of introducing a Clinical Excellence Program across a Remote Health Service	Shelley Nowlan, Fiona Stocker, Michelle Garner, Chris Davey, Monica Frain, Katie Pennington and Beverley Hamerton
11:00am – 11:15pm	Patricia Field – Cardiac rehabilitation for all adults in rural and remote areas of northern Queensland: Barriers, Enablers and Pathways	Dr Isabelle Skinner – Dispelling the myths of remote chronic disease prevalence: Identifying Australia’s very remote inland islands	Registered Nurses – Talking about medicines from legislation to practice
11:15am – 11:30pm	Bridee Neibling – Perseverance with home based practice: The perspectives of stroke survivors in northern Queensland	Associate Professor Bunmi S. Malau-Aduli – Understanding Current Workforce Attractors for GP registrars and supervisors	

Concurrent Sessions Continued	Session A1 Tjirtamai Hall	Session A2 Lecture Room 1	High Level Reference Group West Board Room
	Chair: Shaun Solomon	Chair: Dr Hwee Sin Chong	Chair: Professor Sabina Knight
11:30pm – 11:45pm	Nicky Wright – Social Work in Outback Schools – A Student-led service-learning program	Kea Apineru, Darren Walden and Carmel Marshall – Navigating the maze: Implementing new service for patients with complex care needs	Shelley Nowlan, Fiona Stocker, Michelle Garner, Chris Davey, Monica Frain, Katie Pennington and Beverley Hamerton
11:45am – 12:00pm	Dr Yaqoot Fatima and Stephanie King – Are we effective? – The MICRRH student experience	Kerri O'Connor and Shannon AhSam – An Indigenous Health Worker led model of care to improve hearing in North West children	Registered Nurses – Talking about medicines from legislation to practice
12:00pm – 12:15pm	Questions	Questions	Questions
12:15pm – 12:55pm	Lunch		
Plenary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Chair: Stuart Gordon		
1:00pm – 1:15pm	Dr Felicity Croker – Transitioning 'fit-for-purpose' dental graduates into regional and remote practice through curriculum design and clinical placements		
1:15pm – 1:30pm	Professor Janie Dade-Smith – A unique model of clinical placement and supervision in the Solomon Islands		
1:30pm – 1:45pm	Associate Professor Caryn West – Resilient Communities in Disasters (RCD) ®		
1:45pm – 2:00pm	Associate Professor Sue Lenthall – The Remote Health Experience Weekend		
2:00pm – 2:15pm	Professor Richard Hays – GradTrack – A business intelligence approach to managing data for tracking medical graduates		
2:15pm – 2:30pm	Associate Professor Carole Reeve – Developing a rural and remote Queensland GP workforce – does a Rural Clinical School background matter?		
2:30pm – 2:40pm	Questions		
2:40pm – 3:10pm	Afternoon Tea		
Summary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Chair: Shelley Nowlan		
3:15pm – 3:35pm	Stephanie King and Leann Shaw – Dream it, Do it – A Journey of Film Making Projects in Mount Isa		
3:35pm – 3:50pm	Dr Alice Cairns – Exploring correlates of work and study outcomes in youth mental health		
3:50pm – 4:05pm	Dr Sharon Varela – A review of the effectiveness of resilience programs for youth athletes involved in competitive sport		
4:05pm – 4:20pm	Dr Rose Newitt – Transition of a lifestyle physical activity intervention into a regional rehabilitation service		

4:20pm – 4:35pm

[Katie Pennington](#) – Lost in translation: Registered Nurses and medicines, from legislation to practice

4:35pm – 4:50pm

Questions and Close of Day

6.15pm – Late

Outback at Isa

19 Marian Street

Dazzling in the Dust Conference Dinner

Welcome drinks and tour of Riversleigh Fossil Museum

Live entertainment by Bulldust Take Two

20th Year Anniversary Guest Speakers include Dr Jack Best AO, Hon Dr Michael Wooldridge MP, Professor Dennis Pashen, Dr Louis Peachey and Ron McCullough

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Thursday, July 26th - Day 3

8:30am – 8:40am Plenary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Welcome & House Keeping Chair: Lisa Davies Jones	
8:45am – 9:05am	20th Anniversary Speaker 6: Professor Ian Wronski AO	
9:05am – 9:30am	Professor Emeritus Ruth Ballweg (Keynote Speaker 7)	
9:30am – 9:45am	Dr Debra Jones – A Rural Australian Perspective on the Role of Community – Campus Partnerships and Service-Learning in Achieving Multiple and Diverse Outcomes	
9:45am – 10:00am	Asher Pomerence and Tayla West-Chong – ‘Working it out’ for our future...	
10:00am – 10:15am	Professor Amanda Henderson – Embedding Cultural Security in Practice-Based Learning Experiences	
10:15am – 10:30am	Questions	
10:30am – 11:00am	Morning Tea	
10:30am – 12:30pm Clinical Education Simulation Unit	Basic Life Support in Remote Contexts for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Health Workers and Practitioners Dr Louis Peachey and Dr Navaratnam Lakshman	
Concurrent Sessions B	Session B1 Tjirtamai Hall	Session B2 Lecture Room 1
	Chair: Sarah Jackson	Chair: Associate Professor Alan Sandford
11:00am – 11:15am	Audrey Heng – Clinician and patient perspectives regarding transgender health in North Queensland	Sharon Ritchey – How do we put our best foot forward
11:15am – 11:30am	Dr Yaqoot Fatima – Caregivers’ Knowledge and Perceptions of Reducing Lead Exposure in Children	Sarah Venn – The balance in prioritizing rural and remote health workforce need in Queensland
11:30am – 11:45am	Student recruitment & health career promotion DVD – CRRH, JCU Youth films – YPA Steph King	David Wellman – Practitioner and manager perceptions about workforce gaps: how they differ between regions
11:45am – 11:55pm	Questions	Questions
11:55am – 12:05pm Back of Tjirtamai Hall	Poster Presentations Chair: Robin Wilson	
Melissa Deacon-Crouch – Sleep as a mediator between Indigenous status and BMI in Australian school aged children		
Angela Schloss – Not Just Skin Deep: Changing family perceptions of the importance of treating skin infections early		
Kirra Cunningham – Work Place Stress ‘Bounce Back with Resilience’		
Edwina Shepherd – Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) – A Literature Review		
Nikki Charlton – Emotional Intelligence Building Resilience in Nursing Practice		
Georgina McManus – Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease: A literature Review		

11:55am – 12:05pm Back of Tjirtamai Hall	Poster Presentations Continued Chair: Robin Wilson	
Kaejenn Tchia – Do rural universities produce rural dentists? An exploratory study examining Australian graduates of 2015		
Dr John Douyere – The Challenges that Queensland Rural Generalist Pathways face with attracting and retaining medical workforce to MMM6&7 locations		
Susie le Page – A Step in the Right Direction: A Primary Prevention Program		
Aleena Williams & Jorgia Martin -Telepharmacy in the North West Hospital and Health Service		
12:05pm 12:40pm	Lunch	
12:45pm – 4:30pm West Board Room	Supporting Remote Registrars - GMT Invitation Forum Professor Peta-Ann Teague and Associate Professor Carole Reeve	
Plenary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Chair: Tahnee Elliott	
12:45pm – 1:00pm	Kylie Stothers – Where are we now? Progress with the Northern Australia Research Network	
1:00pm – 1:15pm	Frances Vaughan – Remote Pharmacy – 20 years on and still moving	
1:15pm – 1:30pm	Selina Taylor (Presented by Catherine Seaton) – Scoping the Impact of Curriculum and Placement on the Rural Pharmacy Workforce	
1:30pm – 1:45pm	Jessica Silver – North West Clinical Chapter – A Primary Care Collaboration	
1:45pm – 2:00pm	Anne Neilson – Remote Patients Emergency Department utilisation for primary care presentations: habitual use or rational decision	
2:00pm – 2:15pm	Betty Kiernan – Trying to make a difference closer to home!!!	
2:15pm – 2:30pm	Questions	
Concurrent Sessions C	Session C1 Tjirtamai Hall Chair: Christine Mylchreest	Concurrent Session C2 Lecture Room 1 Chair: Jodi Brown
	2:30pm – 2:45pm Catherine Seaton – Compounding medications in a rural setting: an interprofessional perspective	Julie Sorrell – Giving Nursing Leadership a BOOST in Mount Isa
2:45pm – 3:00pm	Nausheem Mohamed Muhajir – Perceived preparedness of recent BDS graduates with recognising, responding and referring patients who have experienced domestic violence	Michelle McElroy – BOOST Team Presentation
3:00pm – 3:15pm	Dr Navaratnam Lakshman – Simulated interprofessional learning activities for rural health care services: perceptions of health care students	Rachel Taylor – BOOST Team Presentation
3:15pm – 3:30pm	Israel Needham – Preparing for Rural Practice: Exploring JCU dental students' perceived preparedness following dental simulated emergency medical training (DSEMT)	Nathan Parrish – BOOST Team Presentation
3:30pm – 3:35pm	Questions	Questions
3:35pm – 3.55pm	Afternoon Tea	

Summary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Chair: Professor Ian Wronski AO
4:00pm – 4:20pm	Professor Martin Nakata (Keynote Speaker 7) *Videoconference
4:20pm – 4:40pm	Associate Professor Susan Wearne – Department of Health, Health Workforce Division. UDRHs past success and future opportunities
4:40pm – 5:00pm	Donna-Maree Towney – Developing viable allied health service and workforce development models in rural and remote Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities
5pm	Lake Moondarra Sunset Drinks Bus departs at 5:05pm from the Conference venue Returning to The Ibis at 7:15pm

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Friday, July 27th – Day 4

8:30am – 8:40am Plenary Session Tjirtamai Hall	Welcome & House Keeping Chair: Dr Marjad Page		
8.30am – 8.50am	Professor Emeritus Paul Worley (Keynote Speaker 8)		
8:50am – 9:10am	Dr Isabelle Skinner – International Council of Nurses – Sustainable Development Goals and how we move forward		
9:10am – 9:15am	Questions		
09:15am – 10:30am Workshops	Exam Preparation Lecture Room 1	Self-Care for Health Professionals Tjirtamai Hall	Advanced Skills – Difficult Airway Clinical Education Simulation Unit
	Professor Peta-Ann Teague	Dr Sharon Varela	Dr Louis Peachey and Dr James Telfer
10:30am – 11:00am	Morning Tea		
11:00am – 12:30pm Workshops	Clinical Reasoning Lecture Room 1	Self-Care for Health Professionals Continued Tjirtamai Hall	Advanced Skills – Difficult Airway Continued Clinical Education Simulation Unit
	Professor Peta-Ann Teague		
12:30pm – 1:30pm	Lunch		
1:30pm – 3:50pm	Medical Workforce Panel Chair: Professor Richard Hays CRRH, JCU and Editor of MedEdPublish		
	Panelists- Professor Emeritus Paul Worley, Rural Health Commissioner Professor Richard Murray, Australian and New Zealand Council of Deans Professor Ruth Stewart, President of ACRRM Dr Neil Beaton, President RDAQ Associate Professor Ayman Sheounda in the place of Dr Bastian Seidal, RACGP		
3:00pm – 3:10pm	Questions		
3:10pm – 3:30pm	Afternoon Tea		
3:30pm – 4:00pm	Closing address Conference Policy/ Recommendations Statement		