



Emerging Health Policy Research Conference Program

Wednesday, 19 August 2009
Darlington Centre, University of Sydney

8.00 Arrival tea and coffee

9.00 Conference welcome and opening by Professor Stephen Leeder, Director, Menzies Centre for Health Policy

9.10 Keynote address: Professor John Wyn Owen - Chair, Board of Governors, University of Wales Institute, Cardiff; former Secretary of the Nuffield Trust

“Global health security at a time of economic vulnerabilities: issues for nation states and health policy”

10.00 Morning Tea

10.30 Session 1: Chronic Disease Policy

Chair: Professor John Wyn Owen, Chair, Board of Governors, University of Wales Institute, Cardiff
Venue: The Boardroom

10.30 Session 2: Participatory Health Policy Development

Chair: Professor Stephen Leeder, Director, Menzies Centre for Health Policy
Venue: Meeting Room 6

10.30 Session 3: Social Policy & Health

Chair: Dr Jim Gillespie, Deputy Director, Menzies Centre for Health Policy
Venue: Conference Rooms 1 & 2

10.30 Bamini Gopinath, Centre for Vision Research, Department of Ophthalmology, Westmead Millennium Institute, University of Sydney
Dual sensory impairment: a practice and policy challenge for aged care

10.30 Elizabeth Dunford, School of Public Health, University of Sydney and The George Institute for International Health
Progress with reducing salt in the Australian food supply

10.30 David Heckendorf, College of Law, Australian National University, Canberra
Understanding respect and dignity for people with disability in healthcare

10.45 Mandy Nielsen, The University of Queensland
Developing social policy and practice responses to chronic pain

10.45 Fiona Robards, NSW Centre for the Advancement of Adolescent Health, and Samir Kinger, NSW Youth Advisory Council
NSW Youth Health Policy: a remix by young people

10.45 Remo Ostini, University of Queensland
Advancing Health Literacy through Evidence-based Primary Health Care Policy

11.00 Beverley Essue, Menzies Centre for Health Policy; The George Institute for International Health
Informal care and the self-management partnership: implications for Australian health policy and practice

11.00 Jo Fairbairn, Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia
The National Men's Health Ambassador Speaker Program (NMHASP) 2009 - 2010

11.00 Emily J Callander, Northern Rivers University Department of Rural Health, University of Sydney
What about health? What income measures of poverty do not reveal

11.15 Renee Slade, The Diabetes Unit, Menzies Centre for Health Policy, University of Sydney
A policy needle in the chronic disease haystack: Pacific Islands

11.15 Joan van Rotterdam, The University of Newcastle
Bringing Chiropractic to Durri

11.15 Gemma Carey, Centre for Health & Society, University of Melbourne
The social determinants of health and welfare-state restructuring: a broader understanding of the politics of health

11.30 Tanisha Jowsey, Australian Primary Health Care Research Institute, Australian National University
Health system management of chronic disease – making sense of suggestions for improvement

11.30 Juanita Sherwood, University of New South Wales
It's just good manners





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12.00 Presentation by Dr Christine Bennett, National Health and Hospitals Reform Commission
"A health reform agenda for Australia today, tomorrow and beyond"

12.30 Lunch

<p>1.30 Session 4: Health Services Policy Chair: Professor John Wyn Owen, Chair, Board of Governors, University of Wales Institute, Cardiff Venue: The Boardroom</p>	<p>1.30 Session 5: Processes in Health Policy Making Chair: Professor Stephanie Short, Associate Dean, Postgraduate, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Sydney Venue: Meeting Room 6</p>	<p>1.30 Session 6: Evaluation of Health Policy Outcomes Chair: A/Professor Christine Giles, General Manager, National Breast and Ovarian Cancer Centre Venue: Conference Rooms 1 & 2</p>
<p>1.30 Clinical A/Professor Kate Curtis, Faculty of Nursing & Midwifery, University of Sydney The cost of major trauma in NSW</p>	<p>1.30 Thea Gumbert, University of NSW Actuarial risk assessment for recidivism in intra-familial sex offenders: predictive validity of the Static-99 and SONAR</p>	<p>1.30 Maggie Haertsch, The Sax Institute A method of retrospective assessment of the organisational structures and activities of clinical networks</p>
<p>1.45 Marlene Eggert, Medical School, Australian National University Rewarding nursing-care quality through funding incentives</p>	<p>1.45 Carol Holden, Monash Institute of Medical Research, Monash Medical Centre National Men's Health Policy: Stakeholder Interests And Policy Influences</p>	<p>1.45 Natalie Plant, Serious and Continuing Illness Policy and Practice Study, Menzies Centre for Health Policy, University of Sydney Development of a randomised, controlled trial for a non-treatment intervention – the Care Navigation Trial</p>
<p>2.00 Colman Taylor, The George Institute for International Health Research in progress – The cost and benefit of helicopter emergency medical services in NSW</p>	<p>2.00 Dr Lynette Lee, Concord Hospital Health services for adults with Intellectual Disability - a system dynamics approach</p>	<p>2.00 Michelle Blanchard, Orygen Youth Health Research Centre, Centre for Youth Mental Health, University of Melbourne Understanding the policy implications of using information communication technology to improve youth mental health</p>
<p>2.15 Dr Simon Crouch, School of Public Health, La Trobe University, Victoria, Australia and the Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing GP education materials and their impact on chlamydia testing</p>	<p>2.15 Mat Walton, Health Promotion and Policy Research Unit, University of Otago, Wellington Using complexity theory to develop health policy: a proposed method</p>	<p>2.15 Emma Webster, Flinders University, South Australia The Baby Bonus- unintended health consequences of policy</p>
<p>2.30 Maree Bernoth, School of Nursing and Midwifery, Charles Sturt University Bodies in focus – the implications for policy in aged care</p>	<p>2.30 Ruth Townsend, School of Nursing and Midwifery, Charles Sturt University Moral imperative or economic necessity – politics, philosophy and public health law</p>	<p>2.30 Su-yin Hor, Centre for Health Communication, University of Technology, Sydney Incident reporting: a journey from principles to policy and practice.</p>

3.00 Afternoon Tea



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<p>3.30 Session 7: Analysing Health Policy Processes and Context Chair: A/Professor Christine Giles, General Manager, National Breast and Ovarian Cancer Centre Venue: The Boardroom</p>	<p>3.30 Session 8: Health Policy in Global Settings Chair: Professor John Wyn Owen, Chair, Board of Governors, University of Wales Institute, Cardiff Venue: Meeting Room 6</p>	<p>3.30 Session 9: Evidence Informed Health Policy Development Chair: Annette Schmiede, Health Policy Advisor Venue: Conference Rooms 1 & 2</p>
<p>3.30 Andrey Zheluk, School of Public Health, University of Sydney Is there a place for history in public health policy analysis?</p>	<p>3.30 Anne Marie Thow, School of Public Health, University of Sydney Soft drink taxes in the Pacific: Lessons on implementation</p>	<p>3.30 Kathy Flitcroft, School of Public Health, University of Sydney A test case of theories of the policy process: what role does evidence play?</p>
<p>3.45 Monica Campo, School of Social Sciences, La Trobe University Delivering Obstetric Hegemony: An Analysis of the Maternity Service Review</p>	<p>3.45 Hasan Bin Hamza, University of Adelaide Health system professionals' perspectives on breast cancer prevention and management in Pakistan</p>	<p>3.45 Reece Hinchcliff, The George Institute for International Health and School of Public Health, The University of Sydney Research utilisation in novice driver policy</p>
<p>4.00 Noeline Monaghan, Rehabilitation Studies Unit, Faculty of Medicine, University of Sydney The Impact of Legislation on Health Services in Australia</p>	<p>4.00 Lin Yuan, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Sydney Equity for the Elderly: China's New Rural Cooperative Medical Scheme</p>	<p>4.00 Tari Turner, Monash Institute of Health Services Research, Monash University and Centre for Clinical Effectiveness, Southern Health Evidence-based practice in hospitals in Australia and South East Asia</p>
<p>4.15 Denise Fry, Sydney South West Area Health Service Still behaviourist after all these years – health promotion words and deeds</p>	<p>4.15 Sumant Badami, Department of Anthropology, Macquarie University, Sydney, Australia The Devil and the DMHP: A critical analysis of the District Mental Health Project in Wayanad, southern India.</p>	<p>4.15 Nicolas Rasmussen, National Drug and Alcohol Research Centre, University of NSW Trial Registration and Bias in the RCT Literature: Discouraging Evidence from Trials of new Oncology Drugs</p>
		<p>4.30 Gabriel Moore, The Sax Institute Translating research into policy - considerations for designing effective interventions</p>
<p>5.00 Closing address: Ms Mary Ann O'Loughlin, Executive Councillor and Head of the Secretariat of the COAG Reform Council, and a member of the National Health and Hospitals Reform Commission "Monitoring governments' performance in national health reform: what good can come of it?"</p>		
<p>5.30 Conference cocktail reception</p>		
<p>6.30 Conference Close</p>		