



Dear PHAA Member

### **Workshop on Injury Prevention in Australia**

The Public Health Association of Australia (PHAA) Injury SIG Group, Australian Injury Prevention Network, Australasian Faculty of Public Health Medicine (AFPHEM), and Injury Prevention Researchers (IPRIA) would like to invite you to participate in a workshop on *'Taking Injury Prevention in Australia forward'*.

In July 2008 the National Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion Plan: 2004 – 2014 will be one-third of the way through it life. With the Population Congress in Brisbane, this is an opportunity for the injury prevention community to have an honest and robust discussion about the future of injury prevention in Australia.

**Date:** Sunday 6 July 2008

**Time:** 12pm to 3pm

**Venue:** Discipline of Paediatrics and Child Health, Level 3, Foundation Building, Royal Children's Hospital, Herston, Qld.

The workshop will aim to consider the needs of Injury Prevention in Australia to propose recommendation(s) to put to the congress for adoption, as well as to Injury Prevention organisations for them to progress injury prevention. The expected outcome is a statement on moving forward / recommendation(s) for the Population Health Congress.

The proposed program for the workshop is:

1. Welcome and introductions
2. Format of workshop
3. National Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion Plan: 2004 – 2014
4. Moving injury prevention research forward in Australia
5. Moving injury prevention policy in falls prevention forward
6. Moving injury prevention policy in indigenous safety forward
7. Moving injury prevention practice forward
8. Discussion points:
  - a. Policy in Australia
  - b. Practice
  - c. Research
9. Injury Prevention recommendation

This workshop is an opportunity to look strategically at what we (the injury prevention community) need to do to move the area forward.

Please RSVP to Richard Franklin ([rfranklin@rissa.org.au](mailto:rfranklin@rissa.org.au)) by 26 June 2008.

Yours sincerely,  
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