

Monday, 28th - Day One



Intervention-oriented public health research

7.30 - 8.30 Registration (The Gallery)

8.30 - 9.00 Welcome and Opening address and Welcome by representative of the traditional owners (National Ballroom)

**9.00 - 11.00 Plenary 1 - Intervention-oriented public health research (National Ballroom)
Chair - Emily Banks**

Terry Dwyer - Intervention-oriented observational studies

Sandra Eades - The Developmental Origins of Health and Disease paradigm applied to Indigenous Australians, Heart Disease and Diabetes - What current and new interventions will help us to prevent these diseases?

Simon Chapman - The contribution of strategic research to tobacco control in Australia

11.00 -11.30 Morning tea (The Gallery)

11.30 - 1.00 Concurrent Sessions 1

Alcohol, Smoking and Gambling (National 1) Chair: John Lowe

11.30 - 11.45 An evidence-based approach to tackling alcohol in Rugby League - K Abbott

11.45 - 12.00 Treating problem gambling: The Dodo bird hypothesis - M Walker

12.00 - 12.15 Engaging the community sector to reduce smoking related harm among disadvantaged groups - J O'Brien & P Hull

12.15 - 12.30 Smoking, depression and coping: Quitting and the process of purification - P Ward

12.30 - 12.45 Towards a public health framework for the regulation of gambling - C Livingstone & H Keleher

12.45 - 1.00 Problem gambling using a public health framework - the challenges - R Billi & P Marden

Indigenous Health 1 (National 2) Chair: Jane McQueen

11.30 - 11.45 Pathways and Experiences: Indigenous Women and the Maternity System in the Northern Territory - S Belton

11.45 - 12.00 Hospital Aboriginal Liaison Officer (HALO) effects within an exploration of hospital and other health service experiences of Indigenous families in the Australian Capital Territory - J Guthrie

12.00 - 12.15 Increasing the likelihood that Aboriginal health research influences policy: insights from an Adelaide study - F Baum

12.15 - 12.30 Rates of New Onset albuminuria, hypertension and diabetes incidences in an Aboriginal community - W Hoy

12.30 - 12.45 Blood pressures over 10 years in a high risk Aboriginal community - J Scott

12.45 - 1.00 Cardiovascular disease risk factors in an Aboriginal cohort of central Australia - Z Wang

Indigenous Health 2 (National 3) Chair: Priscilla Pyett

11.30 - 11.45 Niyth Niyth Watmam: The Quiet Story. Exploring the experiences of Aboriginal women who give birth in a remote community in the Northern Territory - S Ireland

11.45 - 12.00 Health benefits from an Aboriginal Housing program in NSW - B Khalaj

12.00 - 12.15 Enhanced reporting of Aboriginality through record linkage - L Taylor

12.15 - 12.30 220 years of knocking on the research door..... - T Koolmatrie & J Wiebe

12.30 - 12.45 Addressing racism as a determinant of health - Y Paradies

12.45 - 1.00 Closing the gap: stories from the 'Healing Stories' work - A Taket

Environment and Climate Change (National 4) Chair: Liz Hanna

11.30 - 11.45 Healthy Urban Development checklist - a tool for health workers to provide input to planners and developers - P Sainsbury

11.45 - 12.00 Residential exposure to asbestos: Implications for public health - P Howat

12.00 - 12.15 Lessons from the past? Some comments about communication during Victoria's 2009 Bushfires - P Robinson

12.15 - 12.30 The impact of urban renewal on the health and well-being of residents of Sydney South West Area Health Service - M Maxwell

12.30 - 12.45 Global warming and global public health - D Weston

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Obesity and Nutrition (North High Court Yard) Chair: John Coveney

- 11.30 – 11.45 Information or confusion? How obese individuals navigate the Internet for information about obesity - S Lewis
- 11.45 – 12.00 On being 'fat': Australian audiences respond to media depictions of obesity and overweight – W Blood
- 12.00 – 12.15 Regulatory Change and Obesity – What We Could Really Do - B Crammond
- 12.15 – 12.30 Community-based obesity prevention – success, challenges and lessons learned - R Doherty
- 12.30 – 12.45 Collaborating on community-based obesity prevention: developing best practice principles - L King
- 12.45 – 1.00 The influence of birthplace of primary carer and English language use at home on the nutritional status of 4-5 year old children in Australia: findings from a nationally representative sample - A Renzaho

Bridging the evidence-policy-practice gap 1 (South High Court Yard)

Chair: David McDonald

- 11.30 – 11.45 Evaluating an Evidence-Into-Policy Initiative - D Campbell
- 11.45 – 12.00 Facilitating use of research in the Australian Department of Health and Ageing - M Cumpston
- 12.00 – 12.15 From knowledge synthesis to policy and practice: How do you ensure little is lost in translation? - A Dawson
- 12.15 – 12.30 Developing policy leadership – a strategic approach to strengthening policy capacity in the health bureaucracy - D Gleeson
- 12.30 – 12.45 Building Bridges Between Research and Policy: The 45 and Up Study and the MBF Foundation Policy in Action Roundtable - N Herbert
- 12.45 – 1.00 We can get together: Partnerships and capacity building to promote public health advocacy in WA - M Robinson

1.00 - 2.30 Lunch and Poster Session (The Gallery)

2.30 - 3.30 Concurrent Sessions 2

Maternal, Child Health and Reproductive Health (National 1)

Chair: Priscilla Robinson

- 2.30 - 2.45 Making mifepristone available for medical abortion - C Bayly
- 2.45 - 3.00 Pushing the boundaries in the bush: Creating consensus for adolescent contraception - S Davis
- 3.00 - 3.15 Public health implications of significant levels of postnatal distress following birth - J Yelland
- 3.15 - 3.30 Maternal Country of Birth Variations in Caesarean Section: Another Cause for Concern? - R Small

Indigenous Health 3 (National 2) Chair: Peter Waples-Crowe

- 2.30 - 2.45 Screening for Hepatitis B in East Arnhem Land. What do we know? - E Carroll
- 2.45 - 3.00 Measuring mental health in Indigenous children and adolescents: A systematic review 1998-2008 - M Pitkin
- 3.00 - 3.15 Mental Disorders Due to Substance Abuse and Cardiovascular Disease Risk in Aboriginal Australians: a Cohort Study - Z Wang
- 3.15 - 3.30 A trial of pharmacologic prevention of albuminuria, hypertension and diabetes in Aborigines - S Sharma

Indigenous Health - Alcohol, Drugs and Gambling (National 3) Chair: Jill Guthrie

- 2.30 - 2.45 Identifying and responding to gambling issues in NSW Aboriginal communities - S Lema & J Hunt
- 2.45 - 3.00 Intervening in problematic alcohol use amongst Indigenous people in the ACT – R Lovett
- 3.00 - 3.15 Reducing barriers for Aboriginal clients to participate in drug treatment - J Page
- 3.15 - 3.30 A community alcohol brief intervention project in an urban Aboriginal population: initial findings - T Carroll

Indigenous Health - Tobacco (National 4) Chair: Mike Daube

- 2.30 - 2.45 Evaluation of a tobacco control project in six remote NT Aboriginal communities - D Thomas
- 2.45 - 3.00 Barriers to provision of evidence-based smoking cessation advice to pregnant Aboriginal women - M Passey
- 3.00 - 3.15 Utilising social networks reinforced through Aboriginal health organisations to enhance tobacco control - A Van Der Sterren

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- 3.15 - 3.30 BREATHE Project – Building Research Evidence to address Aboriginal Tobacco Habits Effectively – S Appoo & J Hunt
- Mental Health (North High Court Yard) Chair: Sarah Thackway**
- 2.30 - 2.45 Community Health Information Collaboration (CHIC): A Community Psychology Contribution to Public Health/Health Promotion - V Totikidis
- 2.45 - 3.00 Arthritis and Depression: The burden of suffering for older Australian Women - L Parkinson
- 3.00 - 3.15 Evaluation of the health impacts of VicHealth’s community Arts Development Scheme - M Kelaher
- 3.15 - 3.30 Preventing and managing diet-related chronic disease risk in people with mental illness - A Martin
- Obesity (South High Court Yard) Chair: Andrea Begley**
- 2.30 - 2.45 Establishing a network of community-based obesity prevention interventions in Australia - S Allender
- 2.45 - 3.00 Stop, Look, Listen and Think – the Case for Traffic Light Labelling - K Steadman
- 3.00 - 3.15 Fat Risk? Fat Chance! How obese individuals interpret and act upon the health risk messages associated with obesity - S Thomas
- 3.15 - 3.30 Taxation as a tool for public health nutrition intervention: evidence but no consensus - A M Thow
- 3.30 - 4.00 Afternoon tea (The Gallery)**
- 4.00 - 5.00 Workshops reflecting on intervention-oriented public health research**
- Indigenous Issues (National 1)
Alcohol, Smoking and Gambling/ Mental Health (National 2)
Obesity and Nutrition/ Maternal, Child and Reproductive Health (National 3)
Environment and Climate Change/ Bridging the evidence-policy-practice gap (National 4)
- 5.00 - 6.30 Workshop: Climate change: vulnerability, consequences and research (National 2) Chair: David Harley**
Workshop: Building a global people’s health movement: report from PHM (National 3) Chair: Fran Baum

Tuesday, 29th - Day Two

Bridging the Evidence/Practice Gap

- 7.30 - 8.30 Registration (The Gallery)**
- 8.30 - 10.30 Plenary 2 – Bridging the Evidence-Practice Gap (National Ballroom)**
Chair – Rob Sanson-Fisher
- Bobby Milstein - Bridging evidence to practice in navigating health system dynamics
Heather Buchan - Bridging the evidence - practice gap
Michael Smithson - Ignorance and uncertainty in sickness and in health
- 10.30 - 11.00 Morning tea (The Gallery)**
- 11.00 - 12.30 Concurrent Sessions 3**
- Obesity - Food and Nutrition (National 1) Chair: Gabrielle O’Kane**
- 11.00 - 11.15 Nutritional labelling helps consumers make healthier food choices: What is the evidence? - M Gomez
- 11.15 - 11.30 A tailored lifestyle intervention for mothers with young children - G Monteiro
- 11.30 - 11.45 Australian print news media framing of sweet, non-alcoholic drinks - C Bonfiglioli
- 11.45 - 12.00 Food choice and trust - J Henderson
- 12.00 - 12.15 An Australian Obesity Policy Audit: What is the policy approach to obesity prevention? - K Gibson & S Heywood
- 12.15 - 12.30 Comparing the health burden of eating-disordered behaviour and obesity in women - J Mond

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Obesity in Children (National 2) Chair: Karen Campbell

- 11.00 - 11.15 Television food advertising to children: a global perspective - B Kelly
11.15 - 11.30 Health promotion in the early childhood sector: Making Munch and Move matter - L Farrell
11.30 - 11.45 Implementing a childhood obesity program in a rural setting - I Evans
11.45 - 12.00 School kitchen garden programs: improving health for children, teachers, parents and volunteers? - M Townsend
12.00 - 12.15 Estimating the level of investment in childhood obesity prevention programs in NSW - B Stickney

Equity and Health (National 3) Chair: Rosemary Korda

- 11.00 - 11.15 Neighbourhood level social determinants of health - a Sydney study - P Morton
11.15 - 11.30 Avoidable Mortality in Victoria 2001-2005 - E Headley
11.30 - 11.45 Improving equity in health outcomes through resource allocation in NSW - D Kirigia
11.45 - 12.00 The equity of bowel cancer screening in South Australia: an ecological analysis - P Ward
12.00 - 12.15 The end of neo liberalism and the future of public health - G Mooney
12.15 - 12.30 Got it? Got it. Good! Working with communities to improve health and well-being in poor neighbourhoods - D Warr

Interventions (National 4) Chair: Helen Keleher

- 11.00 - 11.15 CONNECT Program Pilot: An RCT to improve outcomes for people with cancer - J Harrison
11.15 - 11.30 Impact of sleep interventions on child behaviour and learning: a randomised controlled trial - J Quach
11.30 - 11.45 Experience of comparison communities in RCTs: insights from key informants - T Riley
11.45 - 12.00 The Impact of an Australian Area-Based Intervention on Health and Well Being - M Kelaher
12.00 - 12.15 Does vitamin D supplementation really reduce hip fracture risk? A meta-analysis - J Lai
12.15 - 12.30 Rural Screening for Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm - S Flecknoe-Brown

Workforce and Physical Activity (North High Court Yard) Chair: Sandra Thompson

- 11.00 - 11.15 Developing the public health leadership of the future in NSW - C Bowen
11.15 - 11.30 Feasibility Study into a nationally-accessible MPH program specialising in Indigenous health - B Genat & J Jessen & W Anders
11.30 - 11.45 Tracking the global and local distribution of the public health workforce: Contributions from the Medical Students Outcome Database - J Gerber
11.45 - 12.00 Promoting physical activity through potential windows of opportunity in men's health - T Groves
12.00 - 12.15 How does leisure relate to young adults and physical activity anyway? - K Mann
12.15 - 12.30 Comparing parental knowledge with the draft Australian Physical Activity Recommendations for 0-5-year-olds - K Hesketh

Bridging the evidence-policy-practice gap 2 (South High Court Yard)

Chair: Gabriele Bammer

- 11.00 - 11.15 Research to practice in community aged care - J Hoffmann-Ekstein & B Squires
11.15 - 11.30 Do ethical Guidelines make a difference? - M Osborn
11.30 - 11.45 Making it happen: project managing a public health intervention based on research - J Payne
11.45 - 12.00 The role of a funded research centre in translating evidence into policy and practice - L King
12.00 - 12.15 Health in All Policies: A framework for policy action - A Lawless
12.15 - 12.30 The impact of self-determination policies on Indigenous health - D Scrimgeour

12.30 - 2.00 Lunch and PHAA Special Interest Group AGMs (The Gallery)

2.00 - 3.00 Concurrent Sessions 4

Maternal and Child Health (National 1) Chair: Rhonda Small

- 2.00 - 2.15 Inquiring about women's psychosocial health after birth: opportunities lost in primary care - J Yelland
2.15 - 2.30 Using indicator data to improve public health outcomes for Victorian children - C Tobin
2.30 - 2.45 Characteristics of children with asthma in South Australia using a state wide monitoring and surveillance system 2004-2008 - J Tuckerman
2.45 - 3.00 Economic evaluations of interventions to improve breastfeeding - J Smith & I McKenzie

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- Equity and Health including Prisoner Health (National 2) Chair: Peter Higgs**
- 2.00 - 2.15 Promoting sexual health amongst young people with refugee backgrounds - C McMichael
- 2.15 - 2.30 Impact of a Mass Media Campaign on Hard-To-Reach Communities - M Hardy
- 2.30 - 2.45 Identifying Deaths among Ex-Prisoners: How Comprehensive is the National Coroners Information System? - J Wade
- 2.45 - 3.00 Drug related mortality after release from prison: A National Study - J Andrews
- Communicable Diseases (National 3) Chair: Hassan Vally**
- 2.00 - 2.15 Flutracking: Is this Australian community online survey a valid measure of influenza? - S Carlson
- 2.15 - 2.30 Implementation of the National Human Papillomavirus Vaccination Program in Australia - J Bourne
- 2.30 - 2.45 The experience of having tuberculosis (TB) and interacting with health services in Auckland: patient perspectives - D Hay
- 2.45 - 3.00 Media representations of HIV positive refugees: Lessons for public health - F McKay
- Environment and Climate Change (National 4) Chair: Peter Sainsbury**
- 2.00 - 2.15 Climate change in 2025: Review of policy frameworks that averted collapse of civilization - L Hanna
- 2.15 - 2.30 Modelling the environment – public health nutrition relationship to inform food policy - M Lawrence
- 2.30 - 2.45 Epidemiological Study of the effect of Ultrafine Particles from Traffic Emissions on Human Health - L Morawska & R Fletcher
- 2.45 - 3.00 Measuring amount and quality of urban green space using Google Earth - B Taylor
- Injury (North High Court Yard) Chair: Richard Franklin**
- 2.00 - 2.15 From NSW Falls Injury Prevention Policy, to Area Data to Practice Change - P Bourke
- 2.15 - 2.30 The importance of school connectedness in adolescent risk taking and injury prevention - R Chapman
- 2.30 - 2.45 Addressing sports injury prevention at the community club level - J Nethery
- 2.45 - 3.00 Understanding the reasons for risky beach behaviour: Why are you swimming there? - A Williamson
- Oral Health, Food and Nutrition (South High Court Yard) Chair: Leonie Short**
- 2.00 - 2.15 'Denticare Australia' - Good public policy for oral health? - B Simmons & J Rogers
- 2.15 - 2.30 Using a research framework to identify knowledge gaps in research on food marketing to children in Australia - B Kelly
- 2.30 - 2.45 Do Socioeconomic Factors Influence Supermarket Content and Shoppers' Purchases? - M Gomez
- 2.45 - 3.00 Double jeopardy: Do deprived Sydney neighbourhoods have poor access to healthy food options? - R Khan
- 3.00 - 3.30 Afternoon tea (The Gallery)**
- 3.30 - 4.30 Douglas Gordon Oration - John Powles: The role of knowledge in health transitions (National Ballroom)**
- 4.30 - 5.30 Workshops reflecting on bridging the evidence/practice gap**
- Interventions/ Bridging the evidence-policy-practice gap/ Equity & Health including Prisoner Health (National 1)
- Environment & Climate Change/ Communicable Diseases (North High Court Yard)
- Obesity/ Maternal & Child Health/ Oral health, Food & Nutrition (National Ballroom)
- Workforce and Physical Activity/ Injury (National 4)
- 7.00 - 11.00 Conference Dinner – Old Parliament House, Canberra**

Wednesday, 30th - Day Three

The way forward for improving health outcomes: facing the key challenges in public health

- 8.00 - 9.00** **Workshop: Meet the Editors of the Australian & New Zealand Journal of Public Health (National 4) Chair: Jeanne Daly**
- 8.30 - 9.00** **Registration (The Gallery)**
- 9.00 - 11.00** **Plenary 3 – The way forward for improving health outcomes: facing the key challenges in public health (National Ballroom) Chair: Tony McMichael**
- David Whiteman** - The place of “blue sky” epidemiology
Sharon Friel - The way forward for improving health outcomes: key challenges in public health
Rob Moodie - Australia - the next steps to improve population health
- 11.00 - 11.30** **Morning tea (The Gallery)**
- 11.30 - 12.30** **Workshop on facing the key challenges in public health (National Ballroom)**
The way forward for improving health outcomes
- 12.30 - 2.00** **Lunch (The Gallery)**
- 1.00 - 2.00** **PHAA AGM (National Ballroom)**
- 2.00 - 3.30** **Conference Resolutions - Combined session and closing comments (National Ballroom)**