



The Australian Public Health Nutrition Academic Collaboration (APHNAC) presents:

**The Nurture and Nourish Colloquium:
Emerging methodologies and theoretical aspects of public health nutrition**

Wednesday 25th May

9am – 5pm

**FLINDERS UNIVERSITY VICTORIA SQUARE
182 Victoria Square (Old Reserve Building)
Adelaide, South Australia**

*******Deadline for abstracts extended to 21st February 2011*******

Interest in the burgeoning field of public health nutrition in the last quarter of a century, and particularly interdisciplinary research endeavours, has seen a growth of new ideas that build upon conventional methodologies and methods in public health. Moreover the explicit use of social theory in public health nutrition has paved the way for new thinking giving rise to new and emerging paradigms.

This Colloquium will explore the ways in which new methodologies, and their theoretical underpinnings, are making an impact on public health nutrition. In particular, it will open up for discussion novel ideas for research, field work, practice and policy making.

The Colloquium will be of interest to researchers, policy makers and practitioners in public health nutrition, community nutrition and dietetics, and also those working in social science and humanities on food and health related issues.

The Colloquium will comprise seminars with time allocated for full discussion and debate of papers, which will be pre-circulated to participants. All papers will be considered for publication in the Journal of Critical Dietetics.

Papers exploring the following will be of particular interest:

- Social and cultural theories applied to public health nutrition
- Emerging methodologies for public health nutrition
- Rapid assessment methods
- Critical policy analysis
- Emerging concepts and applications of evidence-based practice for public health nutrition policies and programs
- Ethical issues for new methodologies
- Social science research to inform food policy
- Emancipatory and participatory community nutrition research methods
- Critical epidemiology and associated paradigms

Call for abstracts and process:

Abstracts of no more than 300 words should be submitted by February 21st, 2011 and emailed to john.coveney@flinders.edu.au

Authors will be notified of acceptance by 7th March, and full papers will be required by 18th April, 2011.

Registration: \$100.00 (includes lunch, morning and afternoon tea)