

Infection Prevention & Control

Improving infection control & sterilisation procedures

21st & 22nd June 2017, CQ Functions, Melbourne

Key Speakers



Dr Kate Clezy
Director, Infectious Disease
PRINCE OF WALES HOSPITAL



Marija Juraja
Clinical Service Coordinator CICP
**CENTRAL ADELAIDE LOCAL
HEALTH NETWORK**



Dr Andrew Mahony
Antimicrobial Stewardship
Program
AUSTIN HEALTH



Leanne Houston
Associate Director, Infection
Prevention & Control Service
**BOX HILL HOSPITAL, EASTERN
HEALTH**

Benefits of attending

- Learn from **evidence based antimicrobial stewardship (AMS)** practices
- **Unpacking AS 4187** & developing sterilisation processes
- Evaluate & source **innovative technology solution**
- **Two days of networking & knowledge sharing**
- Learn surveillance protocol for new & emerging infection threats



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**Featuring evidence
based case studies
to embed in your fight
against infection**

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Embedding successful infection prevention procedures

"Healthcare associated infections are the most common complication affecting patients in hospitals", states *Standard 3 Preventing and Controlling Healthcare Associated Infections*.

This national two day conference will provide practical evidence based strategies to engage your workforce and reduce the spread of acute healthcare associated infections.

This conference will address:

- How to improve your **auditing processes to meet Standard 3**
- How to **improve clinician engagement** to drive infection prevention success
- How to **embed antimicrobial stewardship** into practice
- How to **sterilise & reprocess medical equipment** to meet **AS 4187**

"This was an interesting and worthwhile conference, with great networking opportunities and practical lessons that can be applied to the workplace"

Fiona De Sousa, **Sydney Adventist Hospital**
Past attendee at Preventing & Controlling Infection

"I had not expected a conference on infection control to be as engaging and interesting as this one. All the presenters were well organised and presented information that was applicable to my area of work."

Sean Fitz-Gerald, **St John of God Health Care**
Past attendee at Preventing & Controlling Infection

Who will attend?

Healthcare professionals responsible for:

- Infection Control
- Infectious Disease
- Sterilisation
- Antimicrobial Stewardship
- Nursing
- Pharmacy

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Plus key contributions from:

Dr Noleen Bennett
**VICNISS Healthcare Associated
Infection Surveillance**

Pauline Bass
Alfred Health

Kathy Taylor
Wesley Hospital

Joe-Anne Bendall
Clinical Excellence Commission

Sylvia Morris
Royal Adelaide Hospital

Susan Jain
**Prince of Wales Hospital, South
Eastern Sydney LHD**

Pene Dobell-Brown
DNV - GL

Donna Cameron
**Victorian Department of Health &
Human Services**

Helen Bucknell
HG Wright

Dr Geoffrey Playford
**Princess Alexandra Hospital, Metro
South Health**

Joanna Harris
**Wollongong Hospital, Illawarra
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Louise Hobbs
Royal Melbourne Hospital

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Day 1

Wednesday 21st June 2017

8:00 Registration, coffee & networking

8:30 Opening remarks from the Chair

Improving your auditing process & using it to drive change

8:40 How to utilise your auditing data to drive quality improvement change

- Reading your data to drive clinician engagement
- Implementing an Electronic Medical Records system for ease of auditing
- Case study: Data driving invasive devices programs

Dr Geoffrey Playford

Infectious Diseases Physician & Director,

Infection Management Services

Princess Alexandra Hospital, Metro South Health

9:20 Identifying the changes in the revised NSQHS Standard 3 requirements

- What does this mean for your auditing and sterilisation processes?
- Embedding new and improved processes for your internal audits

Pene Dobell-Brown

Health Care Certification Key Client Manager

DNV - GL

10:00 Translating AS 4187 into an auditing tool

- How to engage with your sterilisation expert
- How to develop up an audit tool
- Developing the gap analysis and the implementation plan

Joe-Anne Bendall

HAI Program Manager, Governance & Assurance

Clinical Excellence Commission

11:10 Morning tea & networking



SPEED NETWORKING 10:40

In this interactive session you will have the opportunity to meet delegates in short 60 seconds bursts, exchange business cards and set up valuable conversations for the rest of the event

11:40 Establishing effective governance for infection prevention & control

- Establishing your committee to the highest level of governance
- Creating and supporting effective representation on your committee

Helen Bucknell

Infection Prevention Control Control Quality Consultant

HG Wright

Improving clinician engagement to drive infection prevention success

12:20 How to manage infection prevention across numerous sites

- Supporting staff to drive excellence
- Tips on getting your program off the ground, with or without staff

Marija Juraja

Clinical Service Coordinator CICP

Central Adelaide Local Health Network

1:00 Networking lunch



PRODUCT SHOWCASE 2:00

In this interactive session the audience will be divided into smaller groups. Solution providers will revolve around the room talking to each group in 10 minute sessions demonstrating their products in a rapid fire showcase.

- Hand hygiene solutions
- Water filtration systems
- Cold storage solutions
- Sterilisation equipment
- Disinfection solutions
- UV light

3:00 Supporting your automated stewardship team

- Tracking and monitoring multi drug resistant organisms list in the CARI report
- Tracking patient movement
- Reviewing anti microbe biograms

Louise Hobbs

Manager Infection Prevention & Surveillance Service

Royal Melbourne Hospital

3:30 Afternoon tea & networking

Sterilising & reprocessing medical equipment to meet standard AS 4187

4:00 Breaking down AS 4187 & prioritising action plans

- Grouping instruments into the right product family categories to enable correct reprocessing
- Establishing correct workflow within difficult limits

Sylvia Morris

Sterilisation Course Coordinator

Royal Adelaide Hospital



ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

4:40 Protocol & equipment to lead the sterilisation transformation

5:20 Closing remarks from the Chair & close of day one



5:30 Networking Drinks

Day 2

Thursday 22nd June 2017

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5th May 2017*

8:00 Welcome, coffee & networking

8:30 Opening remarks from the Chair

New & emerging threats

8:40 Developing a consistent national practice to AMS

- What does the evidence base say about AMS
- Identifying the best clinical practice for surveillance
- What do the changing standards mean for AMS

Dr Noleen Bennett

Senior Infection Control Consultant

VICNISS Healthcare Associated Infection Surveillance

9:20 Mycobacterium Chimaera: Infection control & prevention in action

- Embedding surveillance procedures
- How to clean your cardiac heater unit
- Developing a whole of hospital outbreak response to Chimaera

Dr Kate Clezy

Director, Infectious Disease

Prince of Wales Hospital

10:00 Developing procedure & surveillance techniques for Carbapenemase-Producing Enterobacteriaceae (CPE)

- What do the revised Victorian standards for CPE mean for you?
- How to establish outbreak control procedure at your facility
- Unpacking the CPE guideline for long-term residential care facilities

Donna Cameron

Infection Control Consultant Microbiological

Diagnostic Unit Public Health Laboratory

University of Melbourne & Victorian Department of Health & Human Services

10:40 Morning tea & networking

How to embed antimicrobial stewardship into clinical practice

11:10 How to establish successful infection programs & engage your staff

- Our flu vaccination program and hand hygiene program
- Driving programs from a local level
- Developing knowledge and ownership in staff

Pauline Bass

Infection Control & Prevention Program Manager

Alfred Health

11:50 The Wesley Hospital's story of Legionnaires disease from unconscious incompetence to conscious competence

- Identifying potential sources of risk in water systems and uses in healthcare
- What needs to be included in a water risk management plan

Kathy Taylor

Infection Control Manager

Wesley Hospital

12:30 Networking lunch

1:30 How to prepare & manage redevelopment works to reduce hygiene issues

- What variables do you need to be aware of?
- Minimising risk at the design and planning stage
- Embedding supervision practices during construction

Leanne Houston

Associate Director, Infection Prevention & Control Service

Box Hill Hospital, Eastern Health



INDIVIDUAL SPOTLIGHT

2:10

You will have the opportunity for reflective discussion with other participants and identify solutions to your infection control problems

2:40 Afternoon tea & networking

3:10 Developing & implementing an electronic systems to drive AMS

- Implementing auditing and monitoring processes electronically
- Developing stewardship training and education for ward staff:
- Peripheral lines and gloves training

Dr Andrew Mahony

Antimicrobial Stewardship Program

Austin Health

3:50 Reducing the use of gloves & developing handwashing protocols for your staff

- The benefits and drawbacks of working with gloves
- Establishing risk assessment program
- Removing contact precautions
- Embedding hand washing procedures

Joanna Harris, Nurse Manager

Infection Management & Control Services

Wollongong Hospital, Illawarra Shoalhaven LHD

& Susan Jain, Clinical Nurse Consultant

Prince of Wales Hospital, South Eastern Sydney LHD

4:30 Closing remarks from the Chair & close of conference



15 fantastic speakers

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