

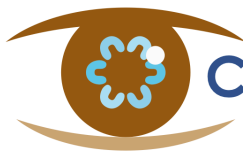
Close the Gap for Vision by 2020

Striving Together

National Conference 2018

2018 Conference Day One, Thursday 15 March

The Roadmap's Progress, Building on Successful Approaches		
9.00 - 9.30	Registration	
9.30 - 10.00	Welcome to Country <i>Didgeridoo Performance</i> Welcome Day One	Aunty Joy Wandin, Senior Wurundjeri Elder Kiernan Ironfield, University of Melbourne Professor Hugh Taylor, Indigenous Eye Health
10.00 - 10.30	Opening Keynote: <i>Striving Together</i>	Professor Marcia Langton, University of Melbourne
10.30 - 11.00	Opening Address	Hon Greg Hunt MP, Minister for Health
11.00 - 11.30	Morning Tea & <i>Close the Gap Day</i> Celebration	
Session 1: Close the Gap for Vision by 2020 – <i>Striving together</i>		Professor Hugh Taylor, Indigenous Eye Health
11.30 - 12.45	Sustaining Progress in Eye Health for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples Glenys Beauchamp, Australian Government Department of Health NACCHO's Perspective on Community Led Eye Care Dr Dawn Casey, National Aboriginal and Community Controlled Health Organisation (NACCHO) Sector Panel Discussion: Department of Health: Glenys Beauchamp Optometry Australia: Lyn Brodie Vision 2020 Australia: Carla Northam	NACCHO: Dr Dawn Casey RANZCO: Guy Gillor
12.45 - 13.45	Lunch - Trachoma Community Art Mural Exhibition, Multimedia & Trade Table Displays	
Session 2: Building on What Works: Emerging Initiatives and Successful Approaches		
13.45 - 15.15	Table Top Presentations <i>Delegates choose up to 7 topics within the session. Each presentation will be approximately 10 minutes</i>	Nick Schubert, Indigenous Eye Health
	TT.01 - Environmental Health & the SAFE Bathrooms Check	Matthew Lester, WA Health & Chicky Clements, Nirrumbuk, WA
	TT.02 - Trachoma & the NT Department of Education	Paula Wines, Centre for Disease Control, NT
	TT.03 - Feltman Eyes Health Promotion Resource	Colin Mitchell, Diabetes Victoria, Vic
	TT.04 - Churchill Fellowship: Integrated models in primary health care to improve Indigenous eye health – Canada, USA	Lisa Penrose, IUIH, Qld
	TT.05 - Supporting and delivering eye health equipment & training in Indigenous health services	Christina Ly, Brien Holden Vision Institute, NSW
	TT.06 - Using regional stakeholder collaboration to support patient coordination	Tony Coburn, CheckUP, Qld
	TT.07 - The IDEAS Van: Don't be blinded by Diabetes	Lyndall de Marco & Rowan Porter, Inala Indigenous Health and IDEAS Van, Qld
	TT.08 - Success Stories from WNSW Regional Group	Jane Hager, Rural Doctors Network, NSW
	TT.09 - VASSS: Supporting access to affordable spectacles and uptake of eye examinations	Neville Turner, Australian College of Optometry, Vic
	TT.10 - PHN supporting increased uptake of MBS Item 715 Health Assessments	Anna Feiss, Murray Primary Health Network, Vic
	TT.11 - Visiting Optometrists Scheme expansion and focus to Indigenous eye care	Gary Crierie, Optometry Australia, WA
	TT.12 - Hospitals supporting Indigenous eye care and cataract surgery outcomes	Renee Chmielewski & Robyn Bradley, Eye and Ear Hospital, Vic
TT.13 - 'Check Today, See Tomorrow' & DR screening in primary care	Rosamond Gilden, Indigenous Eye Health, Vic	
15.15 - 15.30	Afternoon Tea - Trachoma Community Art Mural Exhibition, Multimedia & Trade Table Displays	
15.30 - 16.10	Success Stories: <i>Striving Together</i> 10 minutes presentations	Emma Stanford, Indigenous Eye Health
	- History and Successes of the Victorian State Committee	Levi Lovett, Victorian Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation, Vic
	- Coordinating Regional Eye Care Activity through the Fundholder and Statewide Committee	Claire O'Neill, Rural Doctors Network, NSW
	- Telemedicine's success in Progressing Eye Care Outcomes	Associate Professor Angus Turner, Lion's Outback Vision, WA
	- Melbourne Football Club Supporting Trachoma Elimination	Neville Jetta, Alisha Newman, Ashleigh Guest, Melbourne Football Club, Vic
16.10 - 16.50	State & Territory Catch Up <i>An opportunity for state, territory and national groups and organisations to come together to reflect and plan close the gap for vision activities</i>	Nick Schubert, Indigenous Eye Health
16.50 - 17.00	Day 1 - Wrap up and Close	Professor Hugh Taylor, Indigenous Eye Health
18.30 - 21.00	Conference Dinner & Leaky Pipe Awards - The Pavilion Room, Level 8, Arts Centre Melbourne (same location as the Conference)	



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Emerging Challenges, Identifying Solutions		
9.00 - 9.05	Welcome Day Two	Professor Hugh Taylor, Indigenous Eye Health
9.05 - 9.25	Keynote: Uluru Statement & Close the Gap Refresh	Dr Jackie Huggins, National Congress of Australia's First Peoples
Session 3: What Gets Measured Gets Done: Monitoring Eye Care Data Philip Roberts, Indigenous Eye Health		
9.25 - 9.45	Keynote: The Importance of Indigenous Data Governance and Empowerment	Ian Hamm, Victorian Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation
9.45 - 10.50	<p><i>Presentations 10 minutes followed by a Q&A session</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The National Picture for Indigenous Eye Care – 2018 Update Professor Hugh Taylor, Indigenous Eye Health, Vic - Indigenous Eye Care Data from a Fundholder Perspective Karen Hale-Robertson, CheckUP, Qld - The CABIEHS Regional Data Story: Illustrating the Process and Outcomes of Regional Data Collection Lola Susuico, FHF, NT - Importance of Regional Data to Support Delivery of Services and Care Anne-Marie Banfield, Windmara, Vic - Surveillance Data to Support Trachoma Elimination Professor John Kaldor, Kirby Institute, NSW 	
10.50 - 11.20	Morning Tea - Trachoma Community Art Mural Exhibition, Multimedia & Trade Table Displays	
Session 4: Overcoming Common Issues Mitchell Anjou, Indigenous Eye Health		
11.20 - 11.40	Keynote: A Matter of Cultural Safety	Richard Frankland, The Wilin Centre for Indigenous Arts & Cultural Development
11.40 - 12.45	<p><i>Common issues and challenges in eye care will be presented in a short 5-7 minute presentation, with further input from delegates on possible solutions</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Challenge 1: Subsidised Spectacle Schemes Gary Cerie, Optometry Australia, WA Challenge 2: Sustaining Regional Stakeholder Eye Care Activities Faye Clarke, Ballarat and District Aboriginal Cooperative, Vic Challenge 3: Cultural Safety in Eye Care Derek Harris, Ngaaytjarra Council, WA Challenge 4: Local Service Level Coordination Jennifer Merryweather, Fred Hollows Foundation, Vic Challenge 5: Community Engagement and Leadership for Trachoma Elimination Trevor Buzzacott, Aboriginal Community Services, SA Challenge 6: Diabetic Retinopathy Treatment Dr Rowan Porter, Inala Indigenous Health and IDEAS Van, Qld Challenge 7: Identifying and Treating Trichiasis Dr Andrew Rowan, Central Australia Aboriginal Congress, NT 	
12.45 - 13.45	Lunch - Trachoma Community Art Mural Exhibition, Multimedia & Trade Table Displays	
Session 5: Collaborating and Leveraging Partnerships Dr Tessa Saunders, Indigenous Eye Health		
13.45 - 15.00	<p>Facilitated Workshop Jenny Riley, Navigating Outcomes</p> <p><i>In line with this year's conference theme, 'Striving Together', this session will focus on strategies for working collaboratively to achieve lasting change. Based on the key elements of the collective impact approach, attendees will have an opportunity to work through some of the challenges of working to Close the Gap for Vision</i></p>	
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15.15 - 15.35	Keynote: Indigenous Leadership & the Reform Agenda	Romlie Mokak, The Lowitja Institute
15.35 - 15.50	Soapbox: Gnarly Eye issues	Fiona Lange, Indigenous Eye Health
<i>Gnarly eye issues are good, bad, bumpy and twisted! If you have something to share, speak up during this session</i>		
15.50 - 16.15	Close the Gap for Vision by 2020 - Next Steps	Philip Roberts, Indigenous Eye Health
16.15 - 16.30	Day 2 - Wrap Up and Close	Professor Hugh Taylor, Indigenous Eye Health