

AUDIOMETRY NURSES ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA Inc.
39th ANNUAL CONFERENCE
PARRAMATTA PARKROYAL HOTEL
18TH-20TH OCTOBER 2023



Day 1- Wednesday 18th October

0830- Registration & coffee

0900- Welcome to Country- Aunty Julie Webb (Aboriginal elder)

0910- President's welcome- Tracy Hawes

0915- Aussie Deaf Kids- Ann Porter

1000- Masking/Under 3 yrs. testing workshops- Jan Pollard & Michelle Wallace (Sonic- audiologists)

1100- Morning tea

1115- Cochlear implants- ENT (Dr Joanna Walton) Westmead Children's Hospital

1200- Deafness Centre-Westmead Hospital- Dr Elizabeth Peadon (Senior paed) + social worker

1300- Lunch

1400- Masking/ Under 3 yrs testing workshops - Jan Pollard & Michelle (Sonic)

1500- Audiometry course update-Australian College of Nursing (ACN) - Linlin Ho & Kate Norton CNC

1530- Afternoon tea

1545- HAPEE program/ Plums & Hats- Sherilee McManus (Hearing Australia)

1630- Q & A information session- all members to discuss any audiometry concerns.

1800- Pre-dinner drinks Park Royal Hotel

1830- Dinner- Baba Ghanouj Lebanese restaurant across the road.





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Day 2- Thursday 19th October

0830- Registration & coffee

0900- Central Auditory Processing Disorder-(CAPD)-Audiologist from Hearing Australia

1000- Otoacoustic emissions- OAE's- Kate Newall – Audiology Nurse ACT

1030- Behavioural issues, ASD- Nicole Cuneen- Clinical Psychologist -WSLHD

1100- Morning tea

1115- Sound Scouts Update & APD tool/equipment- Lisa Teager & Carolyn Mee

11:30- Otoscopy presentation- Ear Train- TAFE, Jo O'Malley & Jean Tsembis (audiologist)

12:30- Otoscopy- workshop /hands on with ear models- Wendy Porter (Baxter)

1300- Lunch

1345- AGM

1500- Afternoon tea

1515- Clinical Advisors presentations- case studies

1600- Report writing/ Audiometry forms- Kate & Tracy

1700- New committee handover

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Day 3- Friday 20th October

0830- Registration & coffee

0900- Otitis Media Update -ENT – Dr Jessica Sandilands (Virtual presentation- Newcastle)

1000- Aboriginal Hearing Workforce project- HHSAC- Prof Luke Halvorsen (Macquarie University)

1100-Morning tea

1115- Hearing loss/autoimmune disease- personal story- Brenda Armstrong RN

1145- Eustachian tube dysfunction & ET inflation surgery- Personal story- Sarah Radburn RN

1215- Next Sense Audiology Update

1300- Lunch

1330- OOHc- Testing children from a trauma background- Kat Deveney RN (OOHC Co-ordinator WSLHD)

1400- Lions Hearing Assistance Dogs- Faye Yarroll, Robert & Sydney (doggie)



1500- afternoon tea

1515- Evaluations & finish

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- Natus
- Hearing Australia
- Sonic
- Baxter/Hillrom
- Interacoustics
- Sound Scouts