MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

TOWARDS THE YEAR 2000

PROGRAMME

24TH - 25TH MAY 1991

GLEN ELAY HOSPITAL
PROGRAMME

FRIDAY 24TH MAY

8.15 am - 9.00 am  Registration

9.00 am - 11.00 am  PLENARY SESSION
SESSION A  Chairperson:  Dr Alan Rosen

STAFF DINING ROOM

. The Tolkien Report - A Description of a Model Mental Health Service
  Professor Gavin Andrews
  St. Vincent's Hospital,
  Darlinghurst, N.S.W.

. Myths & Rituals of Management
  Professor John Cooper
  University of Nottingham, U.K.

. Recent Advances in Psychiatric Rehabilitation
  Dr Geoff Shepherd
  Fulbourn Hospital, Cambridge, UK

11.00 am - 11.30 a.m.  MORNING TEA

11.30 am - 12.30 pm  CONCURRENT PAPERS

SESSION B  Chairperson:  Ms Wendy Weir
THE PALMS

  (Italy; Canberra)
  Dr. Stephen Rosenman
  Royal Canberra Hospital, ACT

  Dr. Robert Duckmanton
  Larundel Hospital, Vic.

SESSION C  Chairperson:  Dr David Ben Tovim
CONFERENCE ROOM 3

. Hallucinations or Visions
  Ms Joy Gebecki
  Schizophrenia Fellowship of N.S.W.

  Mr Richard Woon
  Self-Help (M.D.P.), Glenside, S.A.
Ways to Get Better Services
Chairperson: Dr David Ash

SESSION D
CONFERENCE ROOM 2

. Ranking Area Mental Health Services Across Australia: Where do you go to get Five Star Services?
  Ms Heidi Neilson
  CRUFAD - Health Services Research Group, Darlinghurst, N.S.W.

. A Model for the Provision of Comprehensive Mental Health Services to Non-English Speaking Communities.
  Dr Harry Minas
  Victorian Transcultural Psychiatry Unit.

12.30 pm - 1.30 pm LUNCH

1.30 pm - 3.00 pm CONCURRENT PAPERS & WORKSHOPS

Comprehensive Services

SESSION E
CONFERENCE ROOM 3

Chairperson: Ms Lea Samuels

. Power, Politics and Princes - Issues in Developing a Comprehensive Mental Health Service
  Dr Andrew Smallman
  Manly Hospital, N.S.W.

. A Comprehensive Integrated System of Mental Health Care with a Difference - The Hillcrest Hospital Experience
  Dr David Ash
  Hillcrest Hospital, S.A.

. The Far West Mental Health Service - An Integrated Model for Rural Services
  Mr Mark Hemming
  Far West Mental Health Services, Broken Hill, N.S.W.

Caring for Carers

SESSION F
NORTHCOTE CENTRE

Chairperson: Dr Steve Rosenman

. Understanding and Coping with Schizophrenia: A Course for Relatives by a Relative
  Dr Ken Alexander
  Schizophrenia Fellowship of Victoria

. Input of the Role of Carers in the Mental Health Field
  Ms Ann Davis
  Association of Relatives & Friends of the Mental Ill, N.S.W.

. Issues in Training Mental Health Professionals in Relating to and Working with Families (and Care Givers) of the Seriously Mentally Ill.
  Ms Ann Newham
  Alliance for the Mentally Ill, N.S.W.
SESSION G

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Workshop: Standards

Is Our Mental Health Service Doing a Good Job and How do We Tell? How to Set and Assess Standards of Care for Components of a Local Mental Health Service.
Dr Alan Rosen
Northern Sydney Area Health Service, N.S.W.
Ms Vivienne Miller AIMHS Project Research Officer
Discussant: Mr Warrick Troy Quality Assurance Consultant

SESSION H

CONFERENCE ROOM 2

Workshop: Training

Training and Retraining Strategies for Mental Health Professionals.
Ms Wendy Weir
Northern Sydney Area Health Service, N.S.W.
Mr Paul O’Halloran
University of Wollongong
Mr John Farhall
Office of Psychiatric Services, Vic.

SESSION I

NORTHCOOTE CENTRE

Workshop: Information Systems

Computerised Information and Evaluation Systems - Practical Demonstrations and Discussion on Competing Systems.
Dr. Roger Gurr
Mr Robin Parker
Blacktown Community Health Centre, N.S.W.
Mr Brodie Melvin
Orana Health Region, Dubbo, N.S.W.

3.00 pm - 3.30 pm  AFTERNOON TEA

3.30 pm - 5.00 pm  CONCURRENT PAPERS AND CONTINUATION OF WORKSHOPS

SESSION J

CONFERENCE ROOM 3

Chairperson: Dr David Leonard

Crisis Teams

A Review of the Changes Occurring with a Community Treatment Service in Newcastle.
Dr Steve Robinson
Mr Steve Ramsey
Crisis Assessment & Treatment Team, Newcastle, N.S.W.

An Operational Analysis of the Ryde Crisis Team
Mr Peter Gianfresco
Ryde Community Health Centre, N.S.W.

Glebe Crisis Team: Results of First Year of Operation
Ms Tania Alexander
Glebe Community Health Centre, N.S.W.
Residential Care Services
Chairperson: Ms Carol Churchill

NORTHCOTE CENTRE

- Rosssdale - A Supervised Apartment House for Severely Disabled Young Adults with Schizophrenia.
  Dr Margaret Leggatt
  Schizophrenia Fellowship of Victoria

- Successfully Rehabilitating the Seriously Mentally Ill in a Rural Setting Through Client - Community Interactional Processes and Infiltration
  Mr Walter Zyla
  Central Western Health Regional, N.S.W.

- Two Year Follow Up Study of Residents in a Residential Rehabilitation Program.
  Ms Marquerite Elfrink
  Lower North Shore Mental Health Service, Mosman, N.S.W.

SESSION G

Workshop: Standards Continues

SESSION H

Workshop: Training Continues

SESSION I

Workshop: Information Systems Continues

5.15 pm - 6.00 pm

PLENARY SESSIONS

SESSION L

Chairperson: Dr Margaret Leggatt

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Listening and Talking – Communication Problems Between Professionals, Service Users and Families,

6.00 pm - 7.30 pm

DINNER

AND

TRANSPORT TO UNIVERSITY: FRONT OF ADMIN BUILDING

7.00 p.m.

Spinning Out – Anne Deveson’s New Film
(University of Adelaide, Florey Lecture Theatre)

8.00 p.m.

Public Meeting: Working Together,
(University of Adelaide, Florey Lecture Theatre)
SATURDAY 25TH MAY

9.00 am - 10.30 am  CONCURRENT PAPERS AND WORKSHOPS

SESSION M

CONERENCE ROOM 2

New Directions for Health Services
Chairperson: Dr Helen Hermann

. Teamwork in the Private Sector: The Pros and the Problems
  Dr Fiona Hawker
  Private Practice, Adelaide, S.A.
  Ms Sharon Olson

. On Being an Ordinary Psychiatrist Nurse
  Mr Paul Hunt
  Hillcrest Hospital, S.A.

. Development of Psychiatrist Executives
  Out of Clinical Leadership Roles.
  Dr. Margaret Tobin
  Lakeside Hospital, Ballarat, Vic.

SESSION N

CONERENCE ROOM 3

Patients' Rights
Chairperson: Dr Andy Campbell

. The Consumer Research Programme at Royal Park Hospital
  Mr Terry Melbourne
  Victorian Mental Illness Awareness Council, Thornbury, Vic.

. Patients' Rights Undermined
  Ms Claire Croubie-Brown
  Wentworth Area Health Service
  Kingswood, N.S.W.

. To Intrude or Not to Intrude: Outreach Ideas in Community Mental Health Practice.
  Ms Christina Pead-Erbrederis
  Hawthorn Community Mental Health, Vic.

SESSION O

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Workshop: Rehabilitation

. Rehabilitation Assessment Skills
  Dr. Geoff Shepherd
  Fulbourn Hospital, Cambridge, U.K.
SESSION P
NORTHCOTE CENTRE

Workshop: Group Therapy

  Ms Gaye Stockell
  Ms Marilyn O'Neill
  Mr Simon Richards
  Lower North Shore Mental Health Service
  Chatswood, N.S.W.
  Discussant: Michael White, Dulwich Centre, S.A.

10.30 am - 11.00 am
MORNING TEA

11.00 am - 12.30 pm
CONCURRENT PAPERS AND CONTINUATION OF WORKSHOPS

SESSION Q
CONFERENCE ROOM 2

Data Bases and Surveys
Chairperson: Dr Margaret Tobin

- Rating Rating Scales
  Dr Andy Campbell
  Rozelle Hospital, N.S.W.

- Introducing Information Technology into Mental Health Services: A Review of the Literature
  Mr John Malone
  After-Care Association of N.S.W.

- A Census of the Populations of Four Different Psychiatric Hospitals' Inpatients
  Dr David Leonard
  Royal Park Hospital, Vic.

SESSION R
CONFERENCE ROOM 3

Particular Groups
Chairperson: Mr Brody Melvin

- Creating New Opportunities: Rehabilitation For Women with Psychiatric Disabilities.
  Ms Valerie Gerrand
  Inner East Mental Health Region, Vic.

- Previous Use of Services in Sentenced Prisoners in Melbourne
  Dr. Helen Herrman
  Psychiatric Epidemiology and Services Evaluation Unit, Vic.

- Mental Health Care Delivery in the Inner City of Sydney.
  Ms. Maree Teesson
  Inner City Mental Health Service, N.S.W.

SESSION O

Workshop: Rehabilitation Continues

SESSION P

Workshop: Group Therapy Continues
12.30 pm - 1.30 pm  LUNCH

1.30 pm - 2.30 pm  CONCURRENT PAPERS

SESSION S
Chairperson:  Dr. Norman James

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Measurement and Prediction

Does Community Treatment Work: An Evaluation of Changes in Function Levels of Chronic Mentally Ill Clients Assertively Managed in the Community.
Ms Carole Pitt
Mr Michael Longhurst
Ryde Community Health Centre, N.S.W.

Factors Associated with Bad Outcome in Bipolar Affective Treatment and the Effect of a Community Treatment Team Intervention
Dr. Maura Kenny
Hillcrest Hospital, S.A.

SESSION U
Chairperson:  Dr John Hoult

CONFERENCE ROOM 2

The Community Support Scheme - A Non Professional Service for Chronically Mentally Ill.
Mr David Meldrum

Social Indicators and the Prediction of Psychiatric Service Utilisation.
Mr Philip Burgess
Psychiatric Epidemiology & Service Evaluation Unit, Vic.

2.30 - 3 p.m.

STAFF DINING ROOM

3.00 pm - 4.00 pm  PLENIARY SESSION

SESSION V
Chairperson:  Dr. Roger Gurr

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Where to from Here?

4.00 p.m.

STAFF DINING ROOM

DRINKS CONTINUED.

Conference Finishes