TheMHS is proud to announce its seventh annual Summer Forum.

Institution to Sydney

When will be the time before you begin to hold a similar conference that Bondi Beach in Sydney? Bring your family or friends for a holiday before or after the forum. In Sydney in early morning of the first day or at a slow stroll along the beach at the end of the day. The conference hotel has spectacular views over Bondi Beach and is within easy walk of many local restaurants, cafes and shops.

Announcing the 7th TheMHS Summer Forum

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What are some effective responses and effective treatments?

■ Treating substance use problems comorbid with psychosis
■ Reducing the harm from injecting drug use
■ Increasing access to treatment for people who inject drugs
■ Reducing the risk of drug use

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The leading causes of disease burden for nine out of ten young people in developed countries are non-communicable diseases (NCDs). NCDs are responsible for 70% of all deaths, 80% of people with disabilities, and 80% of all NCD-related disabilities.

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What is MHD?

The relationship between drug use and

The effects of the increased use of drugs and alcohol use on hospital treatment and care.

The latest evidence on treating young people with concurrent mental health and drug use problems.

The focus will be on effective responses, including:

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