TheMHS Conference Program  
WEDNESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER 2003

S01 Opening Ceremony – Welcome to the Country by Ms Matilda House, Chair, Ngunnawalki Land Council

S02 Achievement Awards Ceremony: Presented jointly by Dr Harvey Whiteford and Mr Simon Champ
In Royal Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 0845 - 1000

S03 Keynote Speaker
Keynote Speech: in Royal Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1000 - 1100
From Rhetoric to Reality in meeting psychosocial needs in people with psychosis: an overview of Collaborative Therapy
David Castle

S04 Canberra Bushfires
Invited Symposium: in Royal Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Disaster Response to Canberra's Bushfires
Chris Healy  Marie Bennet  Mary Pekin  Patrick Fleming  Kandi Allen-Kelly

S05 Therapy and Treatment
Invited Symposium: in Ballroom
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Therapies and Treatments: What’s the Latest?
Michael Bird  Chris Wilcox

S06 Pathways to Care
Paper 20 Minutes: in Bradman Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Evaluating a Rural Early Psychosis Programme: Doing things right and doing the right thing.
Mark Welch  Graham Garland
Family Connections: Results of the follow-up of participants.
Duane Pennebaker  Lindy Hall
A series of qualitative interviews with dual diagnosis clients provides a perspective for viewing a development path into the tangled Dual Diagnosis delta.
David Whealing

S07 Consumers & Carer Participation in Education
Paper 20 Minutes: in Menzies Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Building Partnerships through Carer Education.
Kevan Myers  Jeanette Murphy
Consumers as Tutors- Legitimate teachers.
Cathy Owen  Joan Alfreds  Rebecca Reay
Transforming Perceptions of the Lived Experience of Mental Illness through Consumer/carer and University Staff Partnerships in Occupational Therapy Education
Moy Dibden  Catherine Ryan

S08 Consumer-led Organisations
Paper 20 Minutes: in Nicholls Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Positive risk taking within partnerships: Key factors promoting mental health and wellbeing in Grow mutual help groups.
Lizzie Finn  Brian Bishop
Consumer-led NGOs in mental health: Is it failure to say ‘this isn’t working’?
Elizabeth Morgan  Linette Bone
Rhetoric to Reality, Requires the Right Collaboration & Right Timing.
Renee Torrington  Margaret Donald
S09  Service Development & Change
Paper 20 Minutes: in Sutherland Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Integration between adult acute inpatient services and community care teams
Jacqueline Horn  Peter Abrams  Lynley Coburn  Robert Green
A Collaborative Approach to Creating Sustainable Change in Mental Health Services.
Wendy Fromhold
Developing Adult Acute Mental Health Services for the Future.
Michelle Reet  Peter McGeorge  Tony Littlejohns

S10  Family Wellbeing Symposium
Paper 20 Minutes: in Derwent Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Indigenous Men taking their rightful place in Society? A preliminary analysis of a participatory action research process with Yarrabah Health Men's Health Group.
Leslie Baird  Komla Tsey  David Patterson  Mary Whiteside  Bradley Baird
Family Well Being Program
Senimelia Kingsburra
Women Look After Your Children Indigenous Program
Mena Lewis

S11  The Challenge of Researching Mental Health Services
Paper 20 Minutes: in Fitzroy Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Reaching Our Young Minds.
Heidi Mirtl
The Family Sensitive Practice Demonstration Projects: Improving the Family Responsiveness of an Acute Inpatient Unit.
Brendan O'Hanlon
Science or Art? Mental health research and development in New Zealand.
Virginia Macewan

S12  Rehabilitation in a sex drug & R&R world
Workshop 1.5 Hrs: in Murray Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Rehabilitation to what? - What is Normal and what is Ethical in a Sex, Drugs & Rock'n' Roll World.
Mark Salter  Michael Cole

S13  Medication Alliance Symposium
Symposium 1.5 Hrs: in Swan Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1130 - 1300
Building an Enduring Alliance: Applying Medication Alliance to Every Day Clinical Practice.
Gordon Lambert  Mitch Byrne  Tim Coombs

S14  A Cultural Journey
Paper 20 Minutes: in Royal Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
Te Wheiao - From the Darkness and before the Dawn.
Pam Armstrong  Des Martin  Candy Cassidy
Multicultural Mental Health Australia.
Meg Griffiths  Ashleigh Lynch

S15  Workforce Design
Workshop 1 Hr: in Ballroom
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
New Roles & New Ways of Working.
Barry Foley

S16  Starting a Consumer Run Organisation
Workshop 1 Hr: in Bradman Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
Starting a Consumer-Run Organization.
Janness Delaney  Carmen Edwards

S17 A Working Alliance & Research
Paper 20 Minutes: in Menzies Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
Partnerships in Care: Whose Rhetoric and Whose Reality?
Irene Howgego  Cathy Owen  Lenore Meldrum  Peter Yellowlees  Frances Dark
A Positive Experience: Services and People Working Together.
Jeannette Cooper  Thai Richard

S18 Psychiatric Disability Support
Paper 20 Minutes: in Nicholls Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
Developing a Psychiatric Disability Rehabilitation and Support Sector.
Kate Paterson  David Clarke
Measuring personal care support need.
Duane Pennebaker

S19 Re-Orienting Services-Auseinet
Workshop 1 Hr: in Sutherland Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
Building Capacity for Mental Health: Reorienting Services.
Anne O’Hanlon

S20 Positive Teamwork
Workshop 1 Hr: in Derwent Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
Positive Teamwork from a Consumer Perspective.
Lesley Nord

S21 Mental Health in the Outdoors
Paper 20 Minutes: in Fitzroy Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
Great things happen when people and mountains meet, Practical applications of Adventure.
Andrew Middleton
'Thank God you're not therapists!'.
Hans Van De Graaff

S22 A Quality Initiative
Paper 20 Minutes: in Murray Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
A Consumer, Carer and Clinician Quality Initiative
Beverley Schumacher  Sue Venohr  Robyn Jones  Pam Ewert  Sue Farnan
Evidence Based Practice to Promote Employment and Career Building Among Users of Mental Health Services: Results of a Multi-Site Study Testing Eight Vocational Rehabilitation Models.
Judith Cook  Dennis Grey

S23 Changing Policy and Practice
Paper 20 Minutes: in Swan Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
Implementing the National Mental Health Strategy in Victoria.
Valerie Gerrand
From Workshop to Community: a case study of client, family and staff responses to changes in mental health policy.
Sandra Kippen

S24 Poster Session
Poster: in Exhibition Hall/Foyer
03/09/2003 Time 1400 - 1500
P1: A Consumer, Carer and Clinician Quality Initiative.
Beverley Schumacher  Sue Venohr  Robyn Jones  Pam Ewert  Sue Farnan
P2: Carer Retreat Model - A model of carer respite, education, information and support.
Kerry Meiers
P3: Psychiatric rehabilitation services in Western Australia: Findings from a service audit.
Duane Pennebaker

P4: A collaboration between mental health services, Public Housing, an NGO support agency, community housing, consumer advisory groups and carers.
Trevor Parry  Kate Daniel

P5: Growing Together.
Nicole Teijken  Gillian Hartnell

P6: Staywell Enterprises Ltd.
Arana Pearson

P7: 'Depression·Spot·Seek·Solve' - piloting a mental health promotion model based on a community development approach to addressing depression.
Amanda Shaw

P8: The Inpatient Koori Program at St Vincents Mental Health Service Melbourne.
Ann Benson

P9: WestClub: an innovative Club promoting community participation and integration, with a flow-on affect of prevention of relapse.
Josephine Enoch  Maree Twomey

P10: 'The Station' Community Mental Health Centre Inc.
Peta O'Reilly  Linda Griffiths

P11: BRC (Buchanan Rehabilitation Centre) - Family/Whanau Support Forum
Mark Schrader

Lisa Woolcock  John Blunden

P13: Discharge Planning from the Consumer's Perspective
Lesley Nord

S25 Writing History of Reform
Invited Symposium: in Royal Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700

Writing the History of Mental Health Reform in Australia
Robert King  Harvey Whiteford  Grace Groom  Graham Martin  David Dunstan

S26 Lifeline MH Initiatives
Symposium 1.5 Hrs: in Ballroom
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700

Lifeline South Coast (NSW) mental health initiatives.
Andrew Phipps  Marc Baur  Frank Deane  Marcella Barisic

S27 Evaluating Practice
Paper 20 Minutes: in Bradman Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700

Engaging Area Mental Health staff in utilising evidence based practice: The TRIP project.
John Farhall  Robyn Humphries  Allan Pinches  Mary Macrae  Noel Renouf  Suzanne Vile

Rationing of health care:clinician and consumer decisions about treatment for anxiety disorders.
Cathy Issakidis

Comparison between providers and consumers in important mental health service attributes: Implications for quality improvement.
Duane Pennebaker

S28 Interpersonal Therapy
Workshop 1.5 Hrs: in Menzies Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700

Introduction to Interpersonal Psychotherapy for Depression
Rebecca Reay  Yvonne Fisher

S29 Training Mental Health Workers
Paper 20 Minutes: in Nicholls Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700

Training Community Health Workers in Common Mental Disorders: A Pilot.
Biliana Agin  Carol Hulbert

Sustaining and containing the learning The Network for mental health workers addressing sexual abuse issues.
Dianna Dureau
Training Needs Survey of PDRS Staff.
John Dunton

S30 Promoting Mental Health
Workshop 1.5 Hrs: in Sutherland Theatre
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Promoting Mental Health - Musical and Artistic Project.
Catherine Ross Mike Maire Lina Samu

S31 Brief Papers
Brief Papers 10 minutes: in Derwent Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Mothers Support Program: Development of a Mentor Program.
Robyn McVeigh Julie-Anne Leslie
The little red engine - I think I can’t… I think I can… I know I can.
Robyn Marshall
Congratulations you got the job! The challenge of coping begins - reflections of a support group for people with a mental health issue who are employed.
Jane Nguyen Jacqueline Gordon
An Alternative Model for Autism Assessments.
Sian Hughes Ernest Luk Peter Birleson
'Who Holds the Baby?'
Katy Curtis Anne Fahey

S32 Medicines, Policy & Health
Paper 20 Minutes: in Fitzroy Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Consumer participation in medicines policy development; The societal view
Janine Bevan Ken Nobbs
Medicines in Health
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Medication Adherence: Developing Pragmatic Clinical Strategies to Enhance Patient Compliance.
Reshin Maharaj Penny Plumbe Jim Sheedy

S33 Practical Public Speaking
Workshop 1.5 Hrs: in Murray Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Whether You Laugh, Cry or Shake You Can Still Be a Wonderful Public Speaker.
Fay Jackson John Strang

S34 Recovery Through Education and Employment
Paper 20 Minutes: in Swan Gallery
03/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
The role of mental health services in vocational rehabilitation for people with a psychiatric disability.
Vanessa Rose Elizabeth Harris
Supported Education & Supported Employment, continuum of recovery for people with a psychiatric disability.
David Edwards

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S35 Keynote Speaker
Keynote Speech: in Royal Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 0900 - 1000
The Language of Madness: A Meditation on Madness, Language and Poetry.
Sandy Jeffs
S36 Images of Mental Illness and Mental Health
Paper 20 Minutes: in Royal Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

They're mad I tell you: a social construction approach to media depictions of mental illnesses.
Ray Nairn

Stigma: Rhetoric or reality.
Liz Prowse

Ten years on since the National Aboriginal Mental Health Conference? What has changed, what needs to be done?
Robyn Shields

S37 Measuring Outcomes
Paper 20 Minutes: in Ballroom
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

MHOAT Implementation in a busy 7-day acute care team: challenges, strategies and successes.
Patrizia Fiorillo  Ame Cullen

Glen Tobias  Tom Trauer

From rhetoric to reality: Improving data quality in routine mental health outcome measurement.
Michelle Hudoba

Factors affecting the completion of a self-rating measure in routine outcome measurement.
Thomas Trauer

S38 Back to Basics
Invited Symposium: in Bradman Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

Back to Basics - Are you right about consumer rights?
Linette Bone  Janet Meagher  Peter Wise

S39 Awareness of Depression & Suicide
Paper 20 Minutes: in Menzies Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

The development, implementation and evaluation of the Depression Awareness Research Project: a community development approach to raising depression awareness.
Maggie McGuiness  Kylee Bellingham  Suresh Sundram

'Suicide & Other Ends’ New Dimensions for Intervention & Recovery.
Tony Humphrey

Multicultural Men & Depression Treatment in a non-clinical setting.
Joe Chuong

The experience of depression: Women's perspectives.
Helen Vidler

S40 Families, Siblings, Parents
Paper 20 Minutes: in Nicholls Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

Focus on carers - the impact of carer support and training programs.
Patricia Berrutti  Erica Pitman

Family to Family Volunteer Project
Kate Walker

Learner's Permits for Parents: A parenting support program for parents with mental illness and parents of children with ADHD/ADD, ODD and Conduct Disorder.
Barbara Anderson

Inspirations - (Mothers group/playgroup).
Lynne Harrold  Sherry Gregory

S41 Mental Health & Inpatient settings
Paper 20 Minutes: in Sutherland Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

Development of an Admission Video for Acute Mental Health Unit
Michael Burge
Post-seclusion counselling (PSC): Aims, implementation and evaluation of a therapeutic intervention.
Lillian Nejad  Gerda Wesseling

The Two Bed Special Care Suite in the Rural Hospital Setting.
Stephen Brand

Psychiatric Intensive Care: Fact or Fiction.
Margaret Jones

S42  Brief Papers
Brief Papers 10 minutes: in Derwent Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

Virtual Support for Carers in Isolated Circumstances.
Marj Bloor

Working Together.
Jenny Burger  Brett Bridges

Raising the Profile of Older Persons Mental Health: A Partnership between Key Stakeholders and Funders and Planners.
Linzi Jones

Living with an Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator (ICD): Development of a cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT) booklet for ICD recipients and their families.
Alan Grochulski  Ann Kirkness

Peninsula Carer Council Model - A Best Practice in Carer Consultancy
Hanna Jewell  Anne Forbes

Rehabilitation Programmes in Mental Health and their Importance for the Recovery of the Consumer
David Cochavy

S43 How to Work Better with the Media
Paper 20 Minutes: in Fitzroy Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

Workshop: The Media – Manipulator or Manipulated?
Paul Dillon

S44 Partnerships & Networks
Paper 20 Minutes: in Murray Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

The Yellow Brick Road - Brick by Brick
Karen McCann  Kerry Geraghty

Carers 'reality test' mental health services: The Northern Sydney Carers Mental Health Promotion Project.
Frank Flannery  Beverly Page  Rhoda Immerman  Cindy Dargaville

Network for Carers of People with a Mental Illness - Supporting Carers in their Roles.
Carmen Hinkley  Patrick Hardwick  Gill Palmer  Nives Marelic

On the Road to Mental Health: Same bus new passengers.
Janette Hannaford  Barry Butler

S45 Evidence into Practice
Paper 20 Minutes: in Swan Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230

The Assessment of Functional Monetary Skills: Are we doing the Right Thing?
Chris Lloyd  Hazel Bassett

Partnerships: Working together to put evidence into practice.
Chris Lloyd  Robert King

Beyond Day Program.
Peggy Ronnau  Richard Elmer

Best Practice at Amaroo.
Judy Hamann  Karen Dod

S46 Marijuana & Psychosis
Invited Symposium: in Royal Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500

Marijuana and Psychosis
Andy Campbell  Tim Rolfe  Wendy Swift
S47 Perspectives on Service Implementation & Evaluation
Paper 20 Minutes: in Ballroom
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
Intake, Allocation and Clinical Management Data Documentation to Improve Service and Implementation Service-wide as a Key Performance Indicator and Quality Improvement Tool.
Herbert Krueger
Pathways to Care for Mental Disorders in Australia.
Cathy Issakidis
Discharge from a Consumers Perspective.
Lesley Nord

S48 Realities of Recovery & Employment
Workshop 1.5 Hrs: in Bradman Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
Realities of Recovery, Rehabilitation, Readiness and Employment Programs: The neglected end of the Mental Health Services Spectrum. An NGO Perspective.
Janet Meagher  Careena Cook  Mohammed Alkhub  Robert Hefferman

S49 Mapping Housing Needs
Paper 20 Minutes: in Menzies Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
High Support Housing for People with Mental Illnesses: The Impact of Service Characteristics on Need and Satisfaction Among Users
Adele Freeman
Marginal Housing and People with a Mental Illness in Regional and Rural Victoria.
Lisa Ryan  Margaret Grigg
The connection between mental health and housing for Aboriginal and Torres Strait People
Cliff Foley

S50 Healthy Adolescents
Paper 20 Minutes: in Nicholls Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
Kids at Risk: Prevention is Better than Cure.
Hazel Bassett  Chris Lloyd
Some Contexts Have Health Outcomes On Our Lives - the SCHOOL as a health promoting context.
Meg Richens
Intensive outreach with adolescents - Five years of an Australian Experience.
Peter Brann  Kate MacKey  Tina Smith

S51 Quality, Restraint, Proaction
Paper 20 Minutes: in Sutherland Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
Individuals and Services: We Are More Than The Sum Total Of Our Parts.
Fay Jackson
A Toolkit for Reducing/Eliminating the Use of Seclusion and Restraint in Psychiatric Inpatient Settings.
Judith Cook  Dennis Grey
Do quality indicators measure what consumers value
Natalie Cutler  Grant Sara  David Duerdon  Kerrie Gill  Christine Hauptstein  Keith Chaffey

S52 Perspectives on Health
Paper 20 Minutes: in Derwent Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
Hidden Dis-ease and the Gifts of Flowers
Clarissa Diamond
Nutritional & Environmental Psychiatry.
Judith Gleeson
SS3 A Collection of Issues
Paper 20 Minutes: in Fitzroy Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
What are my Voices really Telling Me? Exploring the symbolism of psychotic experiences with mentally ill offenders through the use of story and metaphor.
Jim Poulter
National Consumer and Carer Forum - Promoting Partnerships Between Consumers and Carers
Steve Morris
CommunityLIFE: Building Community Capacity for Suicide Prevention
Tony Ellit

SS4 A Mental Health Commission?
Symposium 1.5 Hrs: in Murray Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
Does Australia Need a Mental Health Commission? The Case for the Affirmative

SS5 Stress & Trauma
Paper 20 Minutes: in Swan Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
PTSD - The 'Silent Witness'
Irene Howgego  Cathy Owen
Daring to Quake: Bearing the Tension of Divisive Forces.
Jan Giffin
What can the children of Australia’s Vietnam veterans teach us in 2003?
Ann O’Kane

SS6 Symposium Reducing Stigma
Symposium 1.5 Hrs: in Royal Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1700
Reducing Stigma - Mental Health Literacy and beyond’
Barbara Hocking  Kathy Griffiths  Chris Hansen  Alan Rosen  Natasha Mitchell

SS7 Government Strategies
Invited Symposium: in Ballroom
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Government Mental Health Strategies - highlights and updates
Dermot Casey  Janice Wilson

SS8 Promotion, Prevention & Early Intervention
Symposium 1.5 Hrs: in Bradman Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
PPEI (Promotion, Prevention and Early Intervention) and Mental Health Service.
Jennie Parham  Debra Rickwood

SS9 Eating Disorders Performance & Evaluation
Workshop 1.5 Hrs: in Menzies Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Any Body’s Cool.
Jenni Savigni  Charmane Head  Debra Rickwood  Kerry Sargent-Cox

SS0 Planning and Development
Paper 20 Minutes: in Nicholls Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Mental Health Workforce Development, A Model of National Coordination and Collaboration
Robyn Shearer
Removing the barriers to cross-border mental health services
Bruce Paterson
Evolving Issues in Aboriginal Mental Health: Trained Mentors as a Student Support Arrangement
Tom Brideson
S61 Consumer Evaluation of MHS
Symposium 1.5 Hrs: in Sutherland Theatre
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Consumer Evaluation of Mental Health Services: the experiences of consumers as researchers
John Strang Turner T Sperling J Foster D Malins G Oades L Viney L Huntriss D Williamson D Dowson T Aspden S Morland K

S62 Brief Papers
Brief Papers 10 minutes: in Derwent Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
They don't have Family or a Carer?
Anna Love
Enhanced Consumer and Carer Participation
Michael Burge
Forming a Partnership to Provide a Collaborative Approach for People Living in Community Hostels.
Catherine Harper Ruth Hayward Kathy Caveny
Your true potential but from who's perspective.
Vicki Mills Craig Hutchison
Consumer Perspective of 'The Station'
Phillip Williams
Rehabilitation & Recovery: Where are they? How will I know them when I find them?
Mark McMahon

S63 Beyond Rehabilitation
Paper 20 Minutes: in Fitzroy Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Matching Philosophy with Practice in Psychiatric Rehabilitation.
Arthur Papakotsias Peggy Ronnau
Empirically based program descriptors for improving psychiatric rehabilitation services in the public mental health services.
Duane Pennebaker
Shifting Sands: Issues for NGOs working in the Mental Health Sector.
Jenna Beteman Marion Blake

S64 Recovery and Hope
Paper 20 Minutes: in Murray Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
The voice of consumer experience.
Monica Cartner
Genuine Partnerships in Care with Consumers in the Driver's Seat: The Rewards, Opportunities and Challenges of Chronic Disease Self-Management (CDSM) Principles applied to Mental Health Populations.
Sharon Lawn Trevor Parry
Hope Unpacked.
Linda Duffell

S65 Ingredients for Recovery
Paper 20 Minutes: in Swan Gallery
04/09/2003 Time 1530 - 1700
Housing - a missing ingredient in recovery, evidence based but what now? A case study in research and policy evolution.
Phyl Halpin Kate Paterson
Beyond Clinical Care - Meeting the Human Needs of People Living with a Mental Illness.
Kelly Thompson Jonathan Millar
Homelessness & Mental Illness
Rachael McGuin Vince Champion
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S76 Keynote Speaker
Keynote Speech: in Royal Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 0900 - 1000
Phil Barker

S77 Mood Disorders
Invited Symposium: in Royal Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Mood Disorders - What works?
Gordon Parker Kathleen Griffiths Helen Christensen A.F Jorm

S78 For Young People
Paper 20 Minutes: in Ballroom
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Seeing Through the Mist: An intervention for young people with dual disorders.
Gillian Holt Gabriella Holmes
Sex and the Young Mental Health Client.
Heather Shield Helmut Obmann Greg Fairbrother
Reality Check.
Jacqueline Joyce
WA Aboriginal Suicide Prevention Steering Committee, MCSP "Building Healthy Lives: Partnerships to promote Aboriginal child and youth resilience
Adele Cox

S79 Clinical Information & Measurement
Paper 20 Minutes: in Bradman Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Preliminary work towards the development of a self-assessed measure of consumer outcome for New Zealand.
Sarah Gordon
Findings of the National Review of Consumer Self-Rating Outcome Measures.
Lorna Payne
Historical Development of Clinical Information Systems and Associated Quality Management Processes at a Victorian Mental Health Service.
John Reilly Rosemary Dowling

S80 Better Inpatient Services
Paper 20 Minutes: in Menzies Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Stakeholder Involvement in Discharge Planning in an Acute Inpatient Mental Health Service - Rhetoric and Reality.
Vicki Biro Frank Deane Patrick Crookes
Historical Survey of Nurses perceptions on Aggression.
Wayne Rigby Lesley Burrows
Continuing Advocacy in Involuntary Treatment: an empirical study of efficacy.
Stephen Rosenman Ailsa Korten Leigh Newman

S81 Workforce Training & Retention
Paper 20 Minutes: in Nicholls Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Aboriginal Mental Health Workforce Issues: Moving Beyond the 'Seasonal Work Syndrome'
Tom Brideson
Working Together - Clinical Supervision for Nurses.
Linda Curtis Bruce Metcalfe
Caring for Nurses' Mental Health.
Terry Ann Joyce  Angela Garvey

Targeting clinical supervision in transcultural mental health.
Christine Senediak  Tereza Petric

S82  Partnerships with General Practice
Paper 20 Minutes; in Sutherland Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Medical Practice-based Counselling: Partnerships in Mental Health Care in regional South Australia.
Meme Lau  Peta Papst
Is There a Role for Group Supervision in Primary Care Psychiatry?
Rachael Murrihy
Promotion, prevention and early intervention for mental health: The general practice setting.
Anne O'Hanlon  Leanne Wells  Jannie Parham
GP Shared Care on the Lower North Shore Sydney
Simon Richards

S83  Brief Papers
Brief Papers 10 minutes; in Derwent Gallery
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Consumers Shaping Mental Health Services
Tina Philip
Mental Health Respite - making it a preventative intervention for carers.
Kerry Meiers
An Integral Vision and an Integral Practice.
Hugh Norriss  Gary Platz
How do we respond?
Sheila Nicolson
From Rhetoric to Reality - the Role of the Consumer Consultant in Creating Bridges.
Nicky Bisogni  Ruth Hayward
Consumer Involvement within a Mental Health Service.
Cavell Morrow
Rural Mental Health for the Non-Mental Health Professional.
Daniel Hitchcock
Giving voice to depression and anxiety', the beyondblue & bluevoices story.
Ingrid Ozols  Nicole Highett  Bernard McNair

S84  Physical Health is Important
Paper 20 Minutes; in Fitzroy Gallery
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
'Shape Up' Addressing physical health issues for people experiencing mental illness throughout Victoria
Julie Rowse
All Woman!....What about Pap tests for women with mental illness?
Sue Giffney
'No butts allowed' - Smoking reduction and cessation program for people with schizophrenia.
Kim Clark  Kristen Moeller-Sazone

S85  Diverse Cultures
Paper 20 Minutes; in Murray Gallery
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Transforming awareness into real service options for people of diverse cultural and linguistic backgrounds.
Barry Petrovski
Description of individuals treated for mental health problems and treatment approaches as described by general health workers in Papua New Guinea.
Betty Koka  Frank Deane  Gordon Lambert
Papua New Guinea - Identifying strategies for improving mental health rehabilitation to assist the recovery process.
Wendy Weir  Michael Lekara
The lived experience of caring for a person with mental illness: a transcultural study.
Gihane Endrawes
S86 Distress, Triage & Service Delivery
Paper 20 Minutes; in Swan Gallery
05/09/2003 Time 1030 - 1230
Defining The Relationship Between Case Complexity And Caseload Allocation: 'The Caseload Allocation Tool (CAT)'.
Theresa Marshall  Duane Pennebaker
Psychological distress in callers to the telephone counselling service 'Lifeline'.
Rob Naylor  Amy Kercher  Tim Slader
Mental Health Triage - Doing it Better.
David Etherington  Carey Harris
A model of effective interface between telephone based mental health services and face to face service delivery.
Darya McCann  Matthew Castle

S87 Transcultural Mental Health
Invited Symposium: in Royal Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
Transcultural Mental Health
Stephen Druitt  Greg Turner  Nicholas Procter  Conrad Gershevitch  Meg Griffith

S88 A Skilled Workforce
Paper 20 Minutes; in Ballroom
05/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
The Case for Recognition of the Specialist Profession of Clinical Psychology.
Bob Montgomery
The Challenge of Implementing a Sustainable Multi-disciplinary Education Program into Queensland Mental Health Services.
Amanda Smith  Anne Bubbers
National Practice Standards for the Mental Health Workforce.
Beverley Raphael  Doris Corcoran

S89 Language & Spiritual Wellness
Paper 20 Minutes; in Bradman Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
Community participation in transcultural worker training: issues in the use of community and professional knowledge.
Mark Loughhead
Soul Searching.
David Lui  Lee Schwenke
The language of relationships in contemporary mental health care.
Kevin Kellehear

S90 Evaluation and Evidence Based Practice
Paper 20 Minutes; in Menzies Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
An Approach to Evaluation in a Specialist Mental Health Service
David Watkins  Felicity Lawrence
Is the public mental health system providing carers with services they need? Identifying carers' standards for evaluation.
Cathy Bentley  Linda Viney
The Assessing Cost-Effectiveness (ACE)-Mental Health study: helping policy makers choose evidence-based health services.
Michelle Haby

S91 Young People and Families
Paper 20 Minutes; in Nicholls Theatre
05/09/2003 Time 1330 - 1500
A Journey of Self Discovery with Young People with a Dual Diagnosis.
Tracy Thompson  Robert Crombie  Mary Gianakis  Sally Bramley
Double Trouble - a support and information programs for families of people with a dual diagnosis (mental illness and substance use): Evaluation results.
Sue Farnan  Rebecca Shiels

Integrating mental health promotion, early intervention and prevention into the practice of a rural CAMHS service.
Jo Lawrence  John Corcoran

S92  Essential Skills for Treatment
Paper 20 Minutes: in Sutherland Theatre
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Group Interpersonal Psychotherapy for Postnatal Depression: a pilot study
Rebecca Reay  Yvone Fisher  Emma Adams  Cathy Owen

Battling Boredom Group: A cognitive behaviour therapy program for negative symptoms.
Rebecca Barnett  Lisa Meehan

Improving Group Skills for Nurses within a Participatory Action Research Project.
Daniel Nicholls  Mervyn Love

S93  Brief Papers
Brief Papers 10 minutes: in Derwent Gallery
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The development of a Peer Critical Incident Stress Management Team in a large Psych Disability Support Service
Malcolm Morgan  Julie Lengyel

Depression among Nurses.
Steven McKay  Tara Walker

Nicole Cavalieros  Nick Hansen

Goal Setting Made Easy.
Nicky Bisogni  Joan Clarke

Yes we closed the institutions but how do we make our services better.
Peter Boyle  Daniel Eltringham

To Infinity and Beyond: Promoting the Possible…Change in Action!
Kelly Johnstone

Key Performance Indicators For Public Mental Health Services
Simon Darlington

S94  Recovery, Rights & Responsibilities
Papers 20 minutes: in Fitzroy Gallery
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Have Things Really Changed?
Janet Meagher  Desley Casey

S95  Partnerships: Public/Private NGO
Paper 20 Minutes: in Murray Gallery
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Partnerships in Mental Health - are they possible?
Lisa Gill

The 'Consumer Collaborative’ Project - South Australia  A Mental Health Service and a Non Government Organisation, also a City Council plus a Consumer Advisory Group, all working in partnership.
Trevor Parry

S96  How Important is Employment?
Paper 20 Minutes: in Swan Gallery
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Improving Employment Outcomes for Consumers.
Joan Clarke

Applying Psychosocial Rehabilitation Principles To Improve Employment Outcomes For People With Psychiatric Disability.
Phil Nadin

Improving employment opportunities for people who experience schizophrenia: A successful innovation.
Christine Randall