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Health Without
Mental Health

TheMHS 12TH ANNUAL MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES CONFERENCE

Sydney Convention Centre, Australia

PROGRAM AND REGISTRATION

Conference
20-22 August 2002

Pre-conference
Workshops and Forums
19 August 2002

OVER 250 PRESENTERS

OVER 1000 CLINICIANS CHOOSE THIS
CONFERENCE EACH YEAR

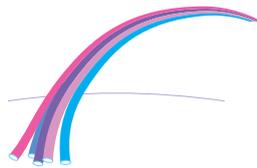
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TheMHS CONFERENCE is the largest mental health conference in Australia and New Zealand attracting over 1000 mental health clinicians, managers, consumers, carers (families), policy makers, researchers and educators annually. TheMHS attracts speakers and delegates from all over Australia and New Zealand, and this year will include speakers from the UK, USA, Puerto Rico, Sweden, Holland, India, Romania, Nepal and the Philippines.

Comments from last year's delegates

"excellent quality of speakers and relevance of issues"

"new ideas and information that can be utilised at my workplace"

"fantastic topics"

"great networking environment"

Why you should attend this year!

This year's organising committee have put together an exciting program for you. There will be over 250 speakers. The keynote speakers will each address a different aspect of the main conference topic: "There's no health without mental health". You will find many presentations to meet your interests and to help with clinical work, from clinical updates, original research results and model programs. We have specially commissioned clinically relevant seminars on Marijuana, Refugees, Management of Disasters, creative therapies and early intervention activities in the perinatal period, at schools and for psychosis. There are 44 papers about recovery from mental illness, 47 papers about service research, 30 papers about child and adolescent mental health, 32 papers about workforce and training issues, 30 papers about prevention and health promotion, 32 papers about consumer issues, 23 papers about evaluation and quality, 24 papers about psychotherapy, 19 papers about indigenous wellbeing, 11 papers about carer (family) issues, 18 papers about GP shared care, 14 papers about rural mental health issues and 17 papers about illness and treatment research.

There's no health without mental health

Mental health is an integral part of the health and wellbeing of us all. It is essential that we work together to promote and ensure positive mental health for everyone, across the spectrum of age groups, cultural backgrounds and individual needs.

TheMHS 2002 will focus on three broad themes: the mental health of individuals, populations and organisations.

- 1. The mental health of individuals** - How can mental health services promote recovery for individuals? What new and effective treatments are available?
- 2. The mental health of populations** - How do we ensure access to mental health care for all sectors of the community? How can mental health literacy be increased? What roles are there for mental health services, consumers, carers and primary care services in promoting mentally healthy communities?
- 3. The mental health of organisations and systems** - What does it mean to have a healthy organisation? In an increasingly difficult economic climate how do we ensure systems of care that meet the needs of consumers? How do we create a system of care that adequately involves consumers, carers and health professionals?

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION CLOSING 12TH JULY

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

MARGARITA ALEGRIA is Professor and Director of the Center for Sociomedical Research and Evaluation in the Graduate School of Public Health, at the University of Puerto Rico. Her research areas include equity of resource distribution, service utilization among low income groups, epidemiology of mental health service delivery among minority groups, and issues of access to services across different systems of mental health care. Margarita Alegria will speak about "Encouraging equity of access to mental health services for those in need".

VICKI KATSIFIS is a consumer advocate and trainer who has worked in the field of mental health, in particular the consumer advocacy movement since 1992. She has worked in non-government organisations, area health services, education and transcultural mental health. She currently works for the NSW Institute of Psychiatry as a consumer education co-ordinator and also runs an education consultancy. Vicki Katsifis will speak about "An Holistic Approach to Recovery".

PETER HUXLEY is Professor of Social Work in the Health Services Research Department, at the Institute of Psychiatry London. His areas of interest include work and mental health, measuring and improving quality of life for consumers and families, and evaluation of non-medical model interventions. Peter Huxley will speak about "Promoting mental health and quality of life through social inclusion".

A PRELIMINARY PROGRAM IS AVAILABLE FROM THE MHS WEBSITE www.themhs.org

BELOW ARE SOME PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

INVITED SYMPOSIA

TUESDAY 20 AUGUST

Management of disasters and mass violence: mental health service responses.

Learn about mental health aspects of disaster preparation and management, potential mental health services response in terrorist situations, and get up to date information on evidence-based best practice for intervention. Prof Beverley Raphael, NSW Centre for Mental Health, Prof Richard Bryant, Department of Psychology UNSW, Prof Derrick Silove, School of Psychiatry UNSW.

The cost of everything: reflections on cost-effectiveness and mental health service delivery in Puerto Rico and Australia.

Learn about how much burden is currently averted by the mental health system in Australia, what it costs, and how much burden could be averted under an optimal system of care. Gain a better understanding of the delivery of cost-effective treatment of depression among low income groups in Puerto Rico. Margarita Alegria, Center for Sociomedical Research & Evaluation, University of Puerto Rico, Kristy Sanderson, WHO Collaborating Centre, Sydney Prof Harvey Whiteford, Psychiatry UQ.

When Words Matter: working with the mass media to reduce stigma associated with mental illness.

By focussing on issues related to the portrayal of mental health and illness in the media, learn how to encourage more positive, accurate and respectful reporting of mental illness in the media to promote destigmatisation of mental health problems in the community. Barbara

Hocking, SANE Australia, Prof Warwick Blood, School of Professional Communication, Uni of Canberra, Teresa Pomeroy, Huia Communications, NZ, Kerry Webber, Commonwealth Department of Health and Ageing, Alan Rosen, RNSH & CMHS Service, Sydney, Prof R. Srinivasa Murthy, Psychiatry Bangalore, India, Ms Raluca Nica, Romanian League for Mental Health Bucharest.

Here, there, but not quite everywhere: international approaches to the development of mental health workforce standards..

Learn about three different approaches to the development of mental health workforce standards, and the way in which such approaches can contribute to the development of a better equipped mental health workforce. Prof Harvey Whiteford, Psychiatry UQ, Mary O'Hagan, Mental Health Commission NZ, Paul O'Halloran, Sainsbury Centre for Mental Health UK.

WEDNESDAY 21 AUGUST

Marijuana and mental health: complications, and controversies for consumers and clinicians.

Get up to date evidence on marijuana and schizophrenia, and learn about issues related to marijuana and community treatment orders, violence and acute admissions; hear about both sides of the debate. Andy Campbell, NSW MH Review Tribunal, Maree Teesson, National Drug and Alcohol Research Centre, UNSW, Paul Mullen, Forensic Mental Health Service, VIC.

Learning for Life: School based interventions in mental health.

Learn about several innovative school-based mental health initiatives, from the perspective of government project planners, researchers, non-government organisations, consumers, teachers, parents and students. Judy Jones, NSW Centre for Mental Health, Carlene Hunt, Psychology Uni of Sydney and representatives from Mental Illness Education Australia (MIE-A Inc).

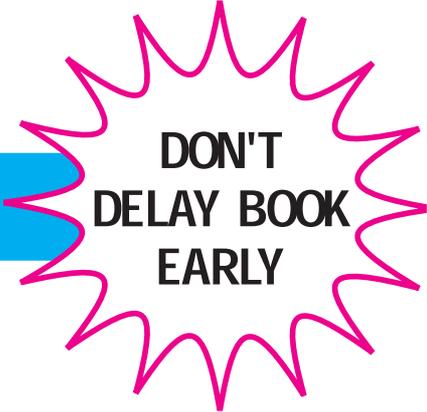
Mental health at the start of Life: integrated perinatal and infant care.

Hear about the latest effective models of early intervention to improve the mental health of mothers and their infants. Prof Bryanne Barnett, Paediatric Mental Health UNSW, Nick Kovalenko, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry RNS Hospital, Sydney, Anne Lyse De Guio, IPC Implementation Manual, Marie Paule Austin, Royal Hospital for Women, Sydney.

THURSDAY 22 AUGUST

Quality Improvement in the evolutionary reform of Mental Health Services.

Learn about continuous quality improvement from a number of perspectives - service, consumer and clinician. Quality improvement is an evolutionary process that involves all parties in the planning, development, monitoring and evaluation processes of service delivery. It is not a new concept and needs to be embraced by clinicians and services to ensure services are being performed in a continuously improving



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manner Paula Hanlon, Surveyor, ACHS, Douglas Holmes, NSW CAG, Andrea Taylor, Ryde Community MHC, John Lam-Po Tang Psychiatrist

The Creative Arts Therapies and Mental Health: double session - papers and workshop. Find out about both the history and modern relevance of the Creative Arts Therapies, and their particular relationship to the mental health setting. Learn some theory actively demonstrated by therapists and consumers. Participate in experiential discovery and reflection. Joanna Jaaniste, Dramatherapist, Uni of W Sydney Rosemary

Faire, Music Therapist, UTS, Helen Clarke Lapin Dance Therapy Assoc, NSW, Maralyn Nash, Art Therapist, Cumberland Hosp, Paula Hanlon Ryde M.H. Consumer Network, MH Assoc, NSW, Sam Sciduna, Liverpool/Fairfield MH Consumer Network, Catherine Keyzer, Art Therapist, and Michael Currie, Hunter MHS.

Innovations in consumer-delivered services: models from around the world. Learn about international models of consumer participation in mental health service delivery and how they might be applied in Australia and New Zealand. An

interactive session co-ordinated by Leonie Manns, consultant, recent Churchill Fellow who explored models of consumer delivered services in Italy, the UK, and the USA.

Workshop: The Media - Manipulator or Manipulated? Learn about some of the problems faced by researchers, workers and consumers wishing to promote responsible reporting of mental health issues in the media, and learn some simple skills about how to work with the media in more positive ways. Paul Dillon, Information Office, National Drug and Alcohol Research Centre, Sydney & Media Officer, The MHS Conference

WORKSHOPS AND FORUMS

PLEASE BOOK THESE WORKSHOPS AND FORUMS ON THE CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

MONDAY 19 AUGUST

CARER (FAMILY) FORUM

The Future of Carer (family) Support Groups: how do support groups make sure they are innovative, accessible, and relevant in 2002 and beyond?

This workshop is hosted by NSW Consumer Advisory Group, Carers NSW, Mental Health Association NSW, ARAFMI, Transcultural Mental Health and Schizophrenia Fellowship. It will explore the changing nature of carer (family) support groups, how to set up and maintain them, and to be able to respond to a range of different needs. Learn about e-groups on the net, teleconferencing support, starting a new group in rural areas, challenging the system (support groups and advocacy), the support group and its role in the family healing process, or training group leaders. Share what has worked for your group, or learn about the resources you need to start a new group.

CONSUMER FORUM

Is the consumer movement really a figment of our imagination?

The Sydney The MHS Consumer organising committee invites you to a pre-conference forum to share, celebrate, discuss and debate our future. Leading identities from both sides of the Tasman will be invited to discuss:

- Why do we have a consumer movement?
- How does the consumer movement affect me?
- Why am I still involved?
- What has the consumer movement achieved in my country?
- Where is the consumer movement headed?

In the afternoon choose from a variety of workshops including rural and remote issues, young people, national and international; transcultural issues; arts and laughs. There will be opportunities for you to express your views on a "Soapbox" and through debate.

INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' FORUM

Making Progress Happen: Shaping the Future of Mental Health Services for Indigenous Communities

Following a traditional welcoming ceremony by the Indigenous Owners, this forum will review past and present indigenous mental health programs throughout Oceania. It is now well recognized that there are fundamental elements necessary for improving mental health services for indigenous communities. Co-ordinated responses are needed to build the capacity of indigenous communities in terms of mental health expertise. A number of reports have pointed the way forward. The Australian National Mental Health Report 2000 (includes a number of initiatives funded through the National Mental Health Strategy) and The Action Plan on Social and Emotional Well Being 1996. Indigenous people and conference delegates who work with Indigenous communities, will find it useful to attend this forum.

WORKSHOP 1:

Leadership and Management for Clinicians

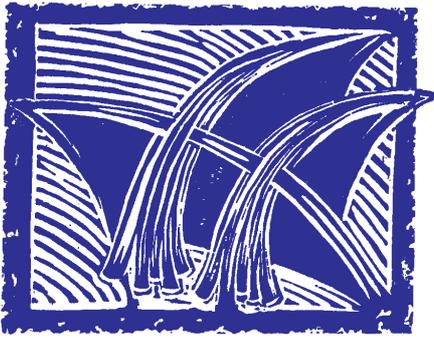
Increasingly team leaders, unit managers, psychiatrists and other clinicians in Mental Health require leadership and management skills to meet the demands of their roles. Traditionally professional training in medicine, nursing and allied health has

neglected these areas. This workshop will give clinicians an introduction which will be of immediate help in managing teams and assist clinicians to consider their own future needs. Target Audience: Clinicians - particularly trainee psychiatrists. Sessions include: Ruth Vine, Deputy Chief Psychiatrist, VIC; Kathy Eagar, Director of the Centre for Health Service Development, University of Wollongong - "How to Transmute From Being a Clinician to Being a Leader/Manager"; Tom Callaly, Clinical Director, Community & Mental Health, Barwon Health - "How to Lead Skills, Styles and Strategies"; Margaret Goding, Director, Mental Health Corrections and Drug & Alcohol Services, St. Vincent's Health, Melbourne - "How to Plan Strategically"; Alan Rosen, Director Royal North Shore Hospital & Community Mental Health Services - "How to Work Effectively in Interdisciplinary Teams"; Lyndy Matthews, Psychiatrist, New Zealand - "How to Manage Change"; Peter McGeorge, Director Mental Health Services, Capital and Coast District Health Board, Wellington, New Zealand - "How to Motivate and Manage Resistance"

WORKSHOP 2:

Every Service's Responsibility: Challenging Stigma and Discrimination

Features speakers from the World Psychiatric Association Challenging Stigma Programs in India and Romania. This workshop will give you a better understanding of what stigma means, how it impacts on people's lives, and the extent of discrimination in both the general community and mental health services. Learn about the practical steps involved in setting up local and national programs to challenge stigma and lessen discrimination, with particular reference to



the community development approach in different countries. Participants will have the opportunity to reflect on how to apply these lessons to their own work settings. Sessions include: Simon Champ - Consumer involvement in media campaigns; Garry Walter - What is stigma and discrimination?; Anne Deveson - A family perspective; R. Srinivasa Murthy - A Local Community Development Model in India; Raluca Nica - Challenging stigma in less affluent societies Romania; Gerard Vaughan - Community development initiatives in NZ; Melissa Sweet - How to work with the media to give a balanced and accurate message about mental illness; Barbara Hocking - A national perspective; Alan Rosen - What we can learn from developing and less affluent societies about challenging stigma; Liz Newton - discussant

WORKSHOP 3:

What's new in outcome measurement?

Outcome measurement is a growing and rapidly changing field. This half-day workshop will include presentations from local and international speakers on several topical areas in outcome measurement, including assessment of quality of life, updates of developments at the local level, and issues in the introduction of routine outcome measurement into mental health services. The workshop will also provide participants with an opportunity to discuss the issues and challenges they face. The workshop presenters are Maree Teesson, University of NSW, Sydney; Tom Trauer, University of Melbourne; Tom Callaly, Barwon Health, Geelong, VIC; Tim Coombs, Mental Health Outcomes and Assessment Training, NSW Institute of Psychiatry and Peter Huxley, Institute of Psychiatry, London.

PROGRAM OUTLINE

MONDAY 19 AUGUST 2002

8.30am	Registration Desk opens
9.30am - 1.00pm	Workshop 1 - Leadership and Management
9.30am - 1.00pm	Carer (Family) Forum
10.00am - 5.00pm	Consumer Forum
1.30pm - 5.30pm	Indigenous People's Forum
1.30pm - 5.00pm	Workshop 2 Challenging Stigma & Discrimination
1.30pm - 5.00pm	Workshop 3 Outcome Measurement

TUESDAY 20 AUGUST 2002

8.00am	Registration Desk opens
8.45am	Conference opening, awards presentation and keynote address followed by 12 concurrent sessions throughout the day
6.00pm - 8.00pm	Welcome Reception

WEDNESDAY 21 AUGUST 2002

8.30am	Registration desk open
8.45am	Keynote Address, followed by 12 concurrent sessions throughout the day
5.15pm	Meetings of associations, groups
7.30pm	Dinner & other social events

THURSDAY 22 AUGUST 2002

8.30am	Registration desk open
8.45am	Keynote Address followed by 12 concurrent sessions throughout the day
4.30pm	Finish of conference

OPENING AND CLOSING CEREMONIES

An elder of the Traditional Owners of the land will open the conference. This will be followed by the presentation of the bi-national Australian and New Zealand Achievement Awards, by Dr Norman Swan, the ABC's leading medical journalist.

The conference closing ceremony will include entertainment, speakers and the ceremonial handover of the TheMHS banner to next year's conference committee.



ARTS AND SOCIAL PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

QUILT DISPLAY

The National Standards Quilt was conceived at the National Standards [for mental health] Festival in October 2000. This creative testament to the [Australian] Standards consists of 19 panels, depicting all the standards. "I'm Made to a High Standard" is the centrepiece. Watch out for the display at the conference. An initiative of the NSW Consumer Advisory Group MH Inc

WELCOME RECEPTION

6.00 - 8.00PM TUESDAY 20TH AUGUST

Come to the conference reception where you can eat, drink, be entertained, and meet with your friends and colleagues. Conference delegates will be welcomed to NSW by Her Excellency Professor Marie Bashir AC, Governor of New South Wales. We are honoured to have Her Excellency at The MHS Conference, particularly as she is the first psychiatrist to become a governor in Australia.

PSYCHIATRIC FILM FESTIVAL

8.00PM TUESDAY 20TH;

7.30PM WEDNESDAY 21ST AUGUST

Your chance to review, reflect and discuss the impact of landmark Australian and New Zealand movies with psychiatric themes. Convened by the Psychiatric Stigma & Stereotypes Study Group.

DINNER

7.30PM WEDNESDAY 21ST AUGUST

Enjoy a Chinese Banquet at a local Chinese restaurant, within 2 minutes walk from the Convention Centre. Dinner includes 9 courses plus tea or coffee. Vegetarians will also enjoy this meal. All beverages are extra. Numbers are strictly limited - entry by ticket only. Book in early using the conference registration form.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Check at the registration desk for details of social events. There will be a number of choices, whether you want to cruise on Sydney Harbour, meet friends at a pub, or wander around the Rocks. If you would like to take part in one of these events, you must put your name on the list for that event at the registration desk.

SYDNEY ATTRACTIONS

Within easy reach of the conference venue, are many spectacular attractions. The central business and shopping district of Sydney is only a few minutes away by foot or monorail.

5 MINUTES WALK:

- Powerhouse Museum of Applied Arts and Science
- Chinese Garden of Friendship
- Australian National Maritime Museum
- Sydney Aquarium
- The Outback Store and Gallery: free film shows daily
- Gavalá Aboriginal Art Centre
- Harbourside: dining, shopping, entertainment
- Cockle Bay: food, music and art
- Sydney's Paddy's Market, a traditional market
- Market City Shopping Centre: shops, food, cinema
- Queen Victoria Building shopping arcade: free tours twice daily

BY A FERRY, BUS, MONORAIL OR FOOT:

- Sydney Opera House for opera, drama, music
- Customs House for galleries, stores, food
- The Rocks Walking Tours, to step back into Sydney's colonial history
- Botanical Gardens, take a stroll
- Climb the Harbour Bridge

THE WEATHER

Sydney enjoys a temperate climate, making it the perfect destination year-round. It has an average 340 sunny days per year with the average maximum temperature in August being 19 deg C (67 deg F).

PASSPORTS AND VISA REQUIREMENTS

All international visitors require a valid passport and visa for entry into Australia (New Zealand visitors require a valid passport only).

SYDNEY AIRPORT

The domestic and international terminals are connected by a five minute bus trip, with the airport only 20 minutes by taxi to the Central Business District; you can expect to pay \$A25 depending on traffic conditions. The Airport Express bus service into the city operates every 20 minutes and stops at all major hotels in the Central Business District for \$A10 return.

The rail Airport Link enables a quick 10 minute journey to the centre of Sydney or 15 minutes to Circular Quay. Airport Link train fares from the International Airport to the city start at \$A10.40 for a single fare. Group fares are also available for groups of up to 4 people starting at \$A20 for the group from the International Airport to the city.

TRANSPORT

The Sydney Convention Centre is very close to many forms of transport: monorail, bus, ferry, taxi.





AIRLINE TRAVEL

We are pleased to announce QANTAS has been appointed official airline for the TheMHS Conference 2002.

Qantas is able to offer up to a 40% discount off the full economy airfare (excluding taxes) for delegates travelling to TheMHS Conference 2002. These fares will be available on Qantas domestic scheduled services subject to class availability at time of booking. Please quote your

Association Profile Number **"2941148"** and the name of the conference when making your reservation.

Conference Airfares are not available on Qantaslink (Sunstate Airlines) to/from the following ports: Thursday Island, Whitsunday Connections (South Molle, Daydream, Shute Harbour, Hayman Island).

Qantas recommends that all delegates co-ordinate their travel solely through the Qantas Association Sales telephone Toll Free 1800 684 880.

INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

Any incoming international delegates should contact Qantas Telephone Sales, Qantas Travel Centre or Local Travel Agent for the best available fare of the day.

TheMHS AIMS TO:

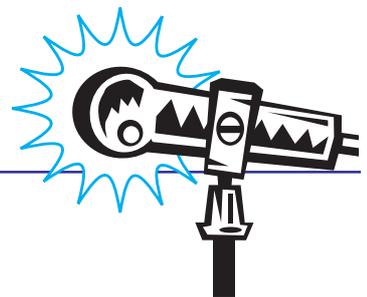
1. Provide a forum for the presentation and exchange of ideas about best ways of ensuring high quality mental health services for people affected by mental illness and disability.
2. Promote positive attitudes about mental health and mental illness.
3. Provide a forum for professional development of people associated with mental health services i.e. an opportunity to present current innovations, strategies, research policies and future directions.
4. Provide a forum for professionals, consumers, carers and managers to meet and debate mental health services.
5. Stimulate debate which will challenge the boundaries of present knowledge and ideas about services for people with mental health disabilities.

TheMHS SECRETARIAT (SYDNEY)

Andy Campbell, Lynne Dunbar, Roger Gurr, Paula Hanlon, Douglas Holmes, Cathy Issakidis, Kevin Kellehear, Leenie Manns, Vivienne Miller, Sadie Robertson, Alan Rosen, Maree Teesson

SYDNEY COMMITTEE (IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER)

Michael Appleton, Jodie Brown, Gillian Church, Anne-Lyse De Guio (past member), Lynne Dunbar, Douglas Holmes, Rhoda Immerman, Cathy Issakidis (Convener), Joanna Jaaniste, Kevin Kellehear, Elizabeth Priestly (past member), Sadie Robertson, Maree Teesson, Laraine Toms, Maurice Walker.



ANZ ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

These awards are given in recognition of innovations and achievements by mental health services, consumer organisations and individuals. TheMHS administers, and the governments of Australia and New Zealand fund these awards. A formal presentation of awards is made at the conference.



TheMHS CONFERENCE BURSARIES

TheMHS is pleased to be able to offer a limited number of bursaries for consumers to attend the conference. These bursaries provide airfares and a free registration, but do not include accommodation. Priority is given to those people who are presenting a paper, workshop, symposium or poster at the conference or forums, and who would otherwise have difficulty attending the conference due to financial reasons. Contact TheMHS Office immediately to obtain your application form. Be sure to apply early as the first round of offers will be announced in June 2002.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

If you require a certificate of attendance at this conference to fulfil your Continuing Professional Education (CPE) requirements, please fill in appropriate box on the Registration Form. Please go to the Registration Desk at lunch time on the first day of your attendance at the conference to arrange your CPE Certificate. Psychiatrists attending this conference can claim 2 points per hour to a maximum of 12 points per day under the MOPS Category "educational meetings".

CLOSING DATE FOR REGISTRATIONS

Posted registration form and fees must be received by 9 August 2002. On-site registrations will be accepted, depending upon space availability, but must be accompanied by the total amount due. Earlybird registration fees must be received by 12 July 2002.

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			AUD	Amount Paid \$AUD ONLY
<input type="checkbox"/> Full fee 3 days			\$590	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Earlybird fee 3 day (if received by 12 July 2002)			\$540	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Concession 3 days **			\$240	\$
Full fee- Day only	<input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday	20/8/02	\$230	\$
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	<input type="checkbox"/> Thursday	22/8/02	\$230	\$
Concession - Day only**	<input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday	20/8/02	\$ 80	\$
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	<input type="checkbox"/> Thursday	22/8/02	\$ 80	\$

PRE-CONFERENCE FORUMS - Monday 19 August 2002

<input type="checkbox"/> Consumers Forum (full day)			\$25	\$
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	<input type="checkbox"/> Carers		\$55	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Carers-Concession**		\$25	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Indigenous Peoples Forum (half day)				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Full Fee		\$55	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Concession**		\$25	\$

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS# - Monday 19 August 2002

<input type="checkbox"/> Workshop 1 -	Outcome Measurement (half day)		\$ 115	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Workshop 2 -	Challenging Stigma and Discrimination (half day)		\$ 115	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Workshop 3 -	Leadership and Management (half day)		\$ 115	\$

DINNER

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			\$38	\$
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CPE CERTIFICATE

<input type="checkbox"/> Please supply a Continuing Professional Education Attendance Certificate (to be collected on the last day of Conference)			\$10	\$
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TOTAL \$

10% Goods and Services Tax (GST) has been included in the above Australian dollar fees

NOTE 1: ** Concessions are given to full time students, pension card holders, beneficiaries, and unemployed people. Evidence must be produced eg photocopy of pension card or student card.

NOTE 2: # Limited concessions available for workshops - apply to TheMHS Office for details.

*TheMHS Conference fees are designed to cover all costs, to provide subsidised concessions, and Australian GST.



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- Colleague or friend Received brochure in mail from TheMHS TheMHS Website
- Advertisement in journal/newsletter (please specify)
- Other

METHOD OF PAYMENT

DIRECT DEPOSIT: If your organisation intends to pay by Direct Deposit, please ensure that TheMHS Office is notified of this ASAP, and quote Invoice Number.

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- Australian dollar cheque/bank draft payable to The Mental Health Services Conference Inc
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CANCELLATION POLICY

For refund of fees in the event of cancellation the following applies:

Fees will be refunded in full if TheMHS is notified by the 20 July 2002. 50% of fee will be refunded if notification is received by 9 August 2002. No refund will apply after the 9 August 2002 except in exceptional circumstances.





ACCOMMODATION BOOKING FORM

**THEMHS ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2002
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SYDNEY CONVENTION CENTRE, DARLING HARBOUR**

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All rates are per room/apartment per night and single/double/twinshare unless otherwise stated. Rates are in AUS dollars and include GST.

THE CARLTON CREST HOTEL **10 minutes walk to venue** **\$125.00**

A 4 star hotel in the heart of the entertainment district of Sydney and only 10 minutes walk to Darling Harbour. The hotel is also a 1 minute walk to the Light Rail which will take you close to the Convention Centre in Darling Harbour. Rooms are comfortable and spacious and have either 1 King size bed or 2 Queen Beds (for those twin sharing). In-room facilities include mini bar, tea/coffee making, Pay video, air-conditioning, 24 hour room service, fax/modem fittings. General facilities include outdoor heated pool, spa, late closing Cafe Theatrix Restaurant and the Carlton Lounge Bar.

IBIS DARLING HARBOUR **3 minute walk to venue** **PYRMONT VIEW** **\$135.00**
DARLINGHARB.VIEW **\$155.00**

A 3 star travellers style hotel only 3 minutes walk to the Convention Centre. Offering great value for its location this hotel is recommended for singles only as the rooms are compact. Twinshare rooms are, of course, available. Room facilities include ensuite, Video/In-house movies, coffee/tea making, telephone. General facilities: Terrace Restaurant and Skyline Bar.

NOVOTEL CENTURY HOTEL **4 minute walk to venue** **\$145.00**

A modern 4 star hotel located on the edge of Darling Harbour close to Chinatown. It is approximately a 4 minute walk to the Convention Centre. This stylish hotel has comfortable accommodation rooms all with 24 hour room service, mini bar, data ports, voicemail and E-mail access, tea & coffee making facilities. General facilities include gymnasium/health centre and indoor heated lap pool.

GRAND MERCURE APARTMENTS **5 minute walk to venue** **PYRMONT VIEW** **\$253.00**
DARLING HARBOUR VIEW **\$329.00**

A 5 star apartment style property on Darling Harbour and only 5 minutes walk to the Convention Centre. Each two bedroom apartment offers 1 x Queen Bed and 2 x Single Beds. Facilities include two bathrooms, fully equipped laundry and kitchenette, mini bar, dining/lounge area and balcony. General facilities include heated indoor lap pool, gymnasium, sauna/spa.



THE HOTEL NETWORK

ACCOMMODATION SECURITY DEPOSIT

ABN: 86 101 807 755

All rates include GST.

Please reserve me a

- Single room Double room Twin room sharing with
- Smoking Non-smoking Disability access

Please tick

Please indicate 1st & 2nd Preference

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| <input type="checkbox"/> The Carlton Crest Hotel | \$125.00 AUD | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IBIS Darling Harbour - Pymont View | \$135.00 AUD | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IBIS Darling Harbour - Darling Harbour View | \$155.00 AUD | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Novotel Century | \$145.00 AUD | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grand Mercure Apartments - Pymont View | \$253.00 AUD | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grand Mercure Apartments - Darling Harbour | \$329.00 AUD | |

Check-In Date/...../..... Check-Out Date/...../..... No of Nights

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Organisation

Postal Address

Suburb/City State/Territory

Country Postcode

Ph (Work) Fax

Mobile Phone Ph (Home)

Email (Please write clearly)

Room reservations for the Hotels must be accompanied by a deposit equivalent to one nights accommodation, or preferably quote a credit card number which we can pass onto the hotel to secure your room

**PLEASE SEND THE ACCOMMODATION BOOKING FORM
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