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    : Implementing cognitive remediation and social cognitive interaction training into standard psychosis care within Australia nd our near neighbours – Indonesia and India

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**Objectives/aims** (Please describe the objectives and/or aims of the study or activity you wish to present on, or for the panel you suggest to include in the GEIS 2018 program. Max 600 characters.)

     To describe the dissemination of cognitive rehabilitation therapies within Australia and in Chennai, India and Jakarta, Indonesia.

**Methods** (What methods were used as part of your study or activity? If you are submitting a panel proposal, what will be the format of your session? Max 600 characters.)

     **Aim:** Is to describe the dissemination of cognitive rehabilitation therapies within Queensland and New South Wales and to Chennai, India and Jakarta, Indonesia.

**Method:**

The implementation plan in each site will be described.

Descriptive data will be presented on staff trained and programs run in Queensland, Orange NSW, Concord NSW and Chennai India and Jakarta Indonesia.

The role of organisational support and funding will be highlighted.

The process of cross cultural translation of the therapies for use in the low resource setting of a non government organisation in India will be described and training outcomes presented.

**Main findings** (Please describe the results and/or outcomes of your study or activity. If you are submitting a panel proposal, describe the expected results from this panel. Max 600 characters.)

     Within Queensland cognitive rehabilitation therapies (CR and SCIT) are now embedded within the mental health rehabilitation settings in Cairns, Townsville, Bundaberg, Toowoomba, Brisbane and the Gold Coast.

A regional centre in Orange, NSW was successful in getting a government grant that has enabled them to embed cognitive remediation within their teams. Local hospital funding has enabled Concord hospital to be trained in another Cognitive therapy, Social Cognitive Interaction Training.

An online introductory course in cognitive remediation developed by the Queensland Centre for Mental Health Learning has been accessed by staff throughout Australia but also clinical staff in India where tertiary training is conducted in English. The online training with face to face learning and monthly skype supervision has enabled the establishment of cognitive therapies in the low resource setting of a non government organisation in Chennai, India.

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