















CONFERENCE PROGRAM
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THURSDAY 29 AUGUST 2024			
0700-1900	Registration Open, Goldfields Theatre Foyer		
0800-1900	Industry Exhibition Open, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B		
0830-1030	Conference Opening & Multidisciplinary Plenary		
Room	Goldfields Theatre		
Chairs	Dr Phil Dundee & Dr Fairleigh Reeves		
0830-0840	Conference Opening		
0840-0900	Patrick C Walsh Lecture Evolution of Prostate Cancer Surgery and Treatment : Approaching a Cure Professor Tony Costello, AM		
0900-0920	Review of TRT for prostate cancer Professor Scott Tagawa	Supported By	
0920-0940	Outcomes from the prostate cancer UK national audit Dr Paul Cathcart	Supported By	
0940-1000	PSMA PET/CT - A new frontier Associate Professor Daniel Moon		
1000-1010	Question & Answer		
1010-1030	Knowing the Literature - Hormone sensitive metastatic disease - Overview of current papers in prostate cancer from a global perspective Associate Professor Ben Tran		Supported by
1030-1100	Morning Tea & Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B		
1100-1230	Concurrent Session 1A	1100-1230	Concurrent Session 1B
Theme	Clinical Urology High risk and locally advanced prostate cancer	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health What's New in Prostate Cancer in 2024
Room	Eureka Room 1 & 2	Room	Goldfields Theatre
Chairs	Professor David Gillatt & Dr Paul Gilmore	Chairs	Ms Rachel Heerey & Ms Evie Mertens
1100-1120	Neo-adjuvant ADT and surgery- will old become new again? Professor Niall Corcoran	1100-1110	Opening of the Nursing & Allied Health Stream
1120-1140	Management of High Risk Disease - Treatment of nodal disease and use of ADT (EBRT) Dr Jeremy de Leon	1110-1130	The changing landscapes of psychological care Mr Max Rutherford
1140-1200	Current guidelines on PLND in high risk disease Associate Professor Roderick van den Bergh	1130-1150	Prostate cancer and nutrition matters: lessons from research to inform practice Dr Brenton Baguley
1200-1215	Australian approach to nodal disease - surgery/radiation Professor John Yaxley	1150-1210	Translating survivorship research into practice Associate Professor Nicole Heneka




1215-1230	Question & Answer	1210-1230	Hot off the Press: Recent evidence for physiotherapy in prostate cancer Ms Alesha Sayner
1230-1330 Lunch & Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B			
1330-1530 Concurrent Session 2A		1330-1530 Concurrent Session 2B	
Theme	Clinical Urology Recurrent prostate cancer	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health Navigating the Leaks: Strategies for Managing Post-Treatment Incontinence 
Room	Eureka Room 1 & 2	Room	Goldfields Theatre
Chairs	Associate Professor John Yaxley & Dr Justin Peters	Chairs	Ms Shan Morrison & Professor Daniel Galvão
1330-1350	Clinical and molecular stratification for men with PSA recurrence Associate Professor Roderick van den Bergh	1330-1350	Prostate Cancer Outcomes Registry Victoria (PCOR VIC): Data on functional outcomes and future directions Ms Maggie Johnston
1350-1410	Radiation options for recurrence following RP Dr Marcus Dreosti	1350-1410	Preventing post-prostatectomy incontinence: surgical factors Dr Phil Dundee
1410-1430	Focal therapy salvage radiation Professor Nathan Lawrentschuk	1410-1430	Conservative management of post-prostatectomy incontinence Professor Paul Hodges
1430-1450	Salvage prostatectomy Dr Paul Cathcart	1430-1450	Quick look at Radiotherapy - Bladder & Bowel Side Effects. Ms Narelle Wadsworth
1450-1455	Question & Answer Discussion	1450-1510	Surgical intervention: Who, when and how? Associate Professor Daniel Moon
1500-1530	Rapid Fire Abstract Presentations	1510-1530	Being with the patients we cannot help Mr Max Rutherford
1500-1505	Health equity in pre-biopsy magnetic resonance imaging and transperineal biopsy access for prostate cancer in Aotearoa, New Zealand Dr Eng Ann Toh		
1505-1510	Advanced prostate cancer treatment: MR-guided adaptive radiotherapy proves safe and effective Mrs Maddison Picton		
1510-1515	Molecular interactions of androgens and androgen mimicking drugs in the androgen receptor binding cleft - implications for prostate cancer treatment Miss Bridget Shimmin		
1515-1520	⁶⁸ Ga-prostate specific membrane antigen positron emission tomography/computed tomography (PSMA PET/CT) maximum standardised uptake values and total lesion PSMA predict PSA levels and PSA density in localised prostate cancer Dr Jeremy Cheng		
1520-1525	The reliability of family history as a determinant of the age of commencement of PSA testing: an analysis of 1753 radical prostatectomy patients. Mr Yusuf Moosa		
1525-1530	Modeling the cue-signal-response balance of apoptotic parameters in prostate cancer cells Ms Diamond Mangrum		
1530-1600 Afternoon Tea & Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B			

1600-1730 Concurrent Session 3A		1600-1730 Workshop 3B		1600-1730 Workshop 3C	
Theme	Clinical Urology mHSPC sponsored by Astellas 	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health Stop the drop: Post Prostatectomy Incontinence sponsored by Rigicon 	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health "Help! I'm on ADT" sponsored by Ipsen 
Room	Eureka Room 1 & 2	Room	Goldfields Theatre	Room	Eureka Room 3
Chairs	<i>Dr Rodney Studd & Dr Paul Conway</i>	Chairs	<i>Ms Rachel Heerey & Ms Shan Morrison</i>	Chairs	<i>Mr Russell Briggs & Ms Molly Lowther</i>
1600-1620	mHSPC - Where we are now and where we are headed Associate Professor Arun Azad	1600-1615	Introduction Ms Shan Morrison & Ms Rachel Heerey	1600-1615	Introduction and a word from our sponsor IPSEN Dr Jane Crowe & Mr Russell Briggs
1620-1640	mHSPC - a Urologists perspective Associate Professor Roderick van den Bergh	1615-1730	Rotating Round Tables	1615-1730	Rotating Round Tables (15 mins with each of the below)
1640-1700	The evolution of metastatic prostate cancer Professor Chris Hovens		Pelvic Floor Muscle Training Professor Paul Hodges		ADT resources including PCFA Survivorship Care Plan Mr Russell Briggs & Associate Professor Nicole Heneka
1700-1720	Treating the primary in metastatic disease Associate Professor Matt Roberts		Surgical Management of Incontinence Mrs Sarah Moon		Counselling approaches on ADT Mr Max Rutherford
1720-1740	Exercise oncology considerations in the management of mHSPC Professor Rob Newton		Containment Options Mr Mik Cromer		ADT injection administration Ms Debra Ward
1740-1745	Question & Answer		Transperineal Ultrasound Tips and Tricks Ms Melissa Martin		Exercise and Diet on ADT Ms Molly Lowther & Dr Brenton Baguley
			Psychologically supporting patients Ms Shan Morrison		ADT health monitoring and implementing models of care Dr Jane Crowe
1745-1900 Welcome Reception, Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B					
1900-2100 Satellite Dinner Meeting					
Theme	Let's talk prostate cancer - General Practitioner Evening	1900-1905	Dr Jane Crowe, General Practitioner - Introduction		
Room	Eureka Room 3	1905-1925	Dr Benjamin Thomas, Urologist - A practical guide for prostate cancer testing in 2024		
Chair	Dr Jane Crowe	1925-1935	A/Prof David Smith, Researcher - Review of Guidelines for the Early Diagnosis of Prostate Cancer in Australia		
Audience	<i>Attendees must be a practicing GP to attend this event</i>	1935-1945	Q&A Discussion		
	Sponsored by 	2000-2050	"Can't get it up" - an Expert Panel on Managing Sexual Dysfunction Post Prostate Cancer Treatment & Case Studies Dr Jane Crowe, Dr Prassannah Satasivam, Urologist and Uro-Oncologist, Ms Evie Mertens, Urology Nurse Practitioner, Mr Max Rutherford, Clinical Psychologist.		
		2050-2100	Question & Answer		
FRIDAY 30 AUGUST 2024					
0645-1730 Registration Open, Goldfields Theatre Foyer					
0700-0815	Clinical Urology Exploring salvage radiotherapy options in recurrent prostate cancer - A case based discussion <i>sponsored by GenesisCare</i> 				
Room	Eureka Room 1 & 2				
Chairs	Dr Phil Dundee & Dr Mario Guerrieri				
Speakers	Associate Professor Roderick van den Bergh, Professor Scott Tagawa, Dr Paul Cathcart, Professor Nathan Lawrentschuk, Professor Michael Ng & Associate Professor Matt Roberts				
	Biochemical recurrence following radical prostatectomy presents a pivotal challenge in the management of prostate cancer. The introduction of PSMA PET/CT has lead to detection of disease at extremely low PSA levels and revealed patterns of recurrence that require a more sophisticated approach to salvage therapies. Through detailed case studies, a multidisciplinary panel will dissect the decision-making process involved in diagnosing and managing BCR and explore the different radiation and systemic therapy options available to optimise both treatment and quality of life outcomes.				
0800-1730 Industry Exhibition Open, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B					
0830-1030 Multidisciplinary Plenary					
Room	Goldfields Theatre				
Chairs	<i>Professor Nathan Lawrentschuk & Dr Marlon Perera</i>				
0830-0850	Developments in active surveillance Associate Professor Roderick van den Bergh				

0850-0910	Artificial intelligence Applications in Urology Professor Giovanni Cacciamani	
0910-0930	Lineage plasticity as a driver of resistance to AR targeted therapies Associate Professor Luke Selth	
0930-0950	Knowing the Literature - What's new from a urologist's perspective? Professor Niall Corcoran	
0950-1000	Question & Answer	
1000-1030	MDT Panel / Panel Discussion	
	Active Surveillance Patient selection, monitoring protocols and triggers for discontinuation of prostate cancer surveillance continues to evolve. The panel will participate in a case based MDT discussion, exploring the current role of active surveillance in prostate cancer. Chair - Dr Fairleigh Reeves Panellists - Associate Professor Roderick van den Bergh, Mr Russell Briggs, Professor Niall Corcoran, Dr Jane Crowe, Dr Mario Guerrerri, Dr Marlon Perera	
1030-1100	Morning Tea & Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B sponsored by Astellas 	
1100-1300	Concurrent Session 4A	Concurrent Session 4B
Theme	Clinical Urology Staging and diagnostics	Theme Nursing & Allied Health Sexual Recovery After Prostate Cancer Surgery
Room	Eureka Room 1 & 2	Room Goldfields Theatre
Chairs	Associate Professor Daniel Moon & Associate Professor Matthew Roberts	Chairs Ms Evie Mertens & Ms Francesca Rogers
1100-1120	PSMA PET/CT imaging in diagnosis of the primary Dr James Buteau	1100-1120 The hard facts on male sexual function Mr Adam Cuthbertson-Chin
1120-1140	Developments in screening Associate Professor Roderick van den Bergh	1120-1140 Pharmacological intervention for erectile dysfunction Dr Jason Truong
1140-1200	ctDNA and risk stratification Associate Professor Bernie Pope	1140-1210 Navigating intimacy, relationships, and communication Ms Sylvia Burns
1200-1220	Quadra v standard PSMA PET/CT imaging Dr Rob Ware	1210-1230 An update on surgical treatments for Erectile Dysfunction Dr Gideon Blecher
1220-1240	Substratification of intermediate risk disease Dr Marlon Perera	1230-1250 Navigating Sexual Side Effects of ADT Ms Francesca Rogers
1240-1300	Rapid Fire Abstract Presentations	1250-1300 Q&A and Discussion
1240-1245	Could 68ga-prostate specific membrane antigen positron emission tomography/computed tomography assist in determining suitability of active surveillance in localised prostate cancer? Dr Jeremy Cheng	
1245-1250	Outcome measures for radiation cystitis treatment; benefits of a data registry to define benefit of treatment effect with hyperbaric oxygen A/Prof Susannah Sherlock	
1250-1255	Detection of biochemical recurrence in prostate cancer using extended field of view PET: a retrospective analysis Dr Jason Callahan	
1255-1300	Lower utilisation of treatment intensification for metastatic prostate cancer among men from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds in Victoria, Australia Mr Koku Sisay Tamirat	

1300-1305	Prostatectomy patients in intensive care by hospital type: a national cohort study over 10 years Dr Jessica Paynter		
1300 -1400	Lunch & Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B sponsored by AstraZeneca 		
1400-1530	Concurrent Session 5A		Concurrent Session 5B
Theme	Clinical Urology mCRPC	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health Innovations in Prostate Cancer
Room	Eureka Room 1 & 2	Room	Goldfields Theatre
Chairs	Dr Tom Shannon & Dr Louise Kostos	Chairs	Professor Daniel Galvão & A/Prof Nicole Heneka
1400-1420	Lutetium - who and when? Professor Scott Tagawa 	1400-1415	What's new in prostate cancer in 2024 Professor Niall Corcoran
1420-1440	Genetics testing in prostate cancer - who, what and when Associate Professor Matt Roberts	1415-1430	Exercise Medicine to enhance radiation effectiveness to prostate cancer Dr Oliver Schumacher
1440-1500	Immunotherapy/PARP inhibitors for prostate cancer Professor Shahneen Sandhu	1430-1445	Focal Therapy Professor Nathan Lawrentshuck
1500-1520	Is there a role for mets directed therapy in CRPC ? Professor Scott Tagawa 	1445-1530	Rapid Fire Abstract Presentations
1520-1530	Q&A and Discussion	1455-1500	Development of a General Practitioner (GP) Androgen Deprivation Therapy (ADT) Management Action Plan in a Regional Setting. A 5-year review - Ms Sonia Strachan
		1500-1505	Understanding and supporting the unmet survivorship care needs of men on active surveillance for prostate cancer in the first 12 months following diagnosis - Mr Russell Briggs
		1505-1510	A qualitative exploration of physiotherapists' experiences working with people with prostate cancer in metropolitan and regional Victoria - Ms Alesha Sayner
		1510-1515	Pro-health: Co-Design of a Remotely -Delivered Nutrition and exercise web-program for men with prostate cancer on androgen deprivation therapy - Dr Brenton Baguley
		1515-1520	The Intracavernosal Injection (ICI) Learning and Teaching Practices of Urology Nurses - Ms Evie Mertens
		1520-1525	A new public physiotherapy service for patients undergoing prostate cancer treatment: access, demand and outcomes - Ms Kimia Sharifi Nasab
		1525-1530	Improving sexual wellbeing support for prostate cancer patients: the health professional perspective - Dr Tenaw Tiruye
1530-1600	Afternoon Tea & Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B		
1600-1730	Concurrent 6C		Concurrent Session 6B
Theme	Clinical Urology Local Anaesthetic Transperineal Biopsies in the Outpatient Setting sponsored by BXTA 	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health Equity In Prostate Cancer Care: Supporting Diverse Populations sponsored by Movember 
	Eureka Room 3	Room	Goldfields Theatre
	Dr Fairleigh Reeves	Chairs	Mr Max Rutherford & Mr Marc Diocera
	Introduction to Local Anaesthetic Transperineal Biopsies Dr Fairleigh Reeves	1600-1620	Connecting country patients to timely care - role of the prostate cancer specialist nurse Ms Mia Percy

	The What How and Why of Transperineal Biopsies under Local Anaesthetic, Including real world experience and results from Fiona Stanley Hospital A/Prof Matthew Brown	1620-1640	The ABCs of LGBTQIA+ Dr Jaco Erasmus		
	Essential Role of the Nurse : From initial introduction of LAMP in the clinic to the patient experience Mr Mik Cromer	1640-1700	Lost in translation: Supporting patients from Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Backgrounds Dr Natasha Roberts		
	Workstation 1 : LA Infiltration with Mik Cromer Workstation 2: Taking Biopsies with A/Prof Matthew Brown Workstation 3: Taking Biopsies with Dr Fairleigh Reeves	1700-1720	Best practices in public health for working with First Nations Peoples Dr Kyle Turner		
		1720-1730	Q&A and Discussion		
1900-2330	Conference Celebration Event, Melbourne Aquarium				
SATURDAY 31 AUGUST 2024					
0830-1400	Registration Open, Goldfields Theatre Foyer				
0830-1430	Industry Exhibition Open, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B				
0900-1030	Multidisciplinary Plenary				
Room	Goldfields Theatre				
Chairs	Associate Professor Daniel Moon & Professor Niall Corcoran				
0900-0920	Use of PIFU - patient initiated follow-up following RARP Dr Paul Cathcart	Supported by			
0920-0940	Novel PSMA targeted therapies Professor Scott Tagawa	Supported by			
0940-1000	Generative AI in healthcare: Premises and perils Professor Giovanni Cacciamani				
1000-1020	Knowing the Literature - Exercise Medicine in Prostate Cancer Professor Rob Newton				
1020-1030	Presentation of Poster Awards (Clinical Urology and Helen Crowe Poster Award)				
1030-1100	Morning Tea & Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B sponsored by Telix 				
1100-1230	Concurrent Session 7A		Concurrent Session 7B		Concurrent Session 7C
Theme	Clinical Urology Focal therapy	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health Advancing the Care of Advanced Prostate Cancer	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health Exercise Medicine & Prostate Cancer
Room	Eureka Room 1 & 2	Room	Goldfields Theatre	Room	Eureka Room 3
Chairs	Associate Professor Celi Varol & Dr Prassannah Satasivam	Chairs	Mr Marc Diocera & Mr Russell Briggs	Chairs	Professor Rob Newton & Professor Daniel Galvão
1100-1120	Focal laser ablation - outcomes and suitability Dr Nick Mehan	1100-1120	What's New In Advanced Prostate Cancer Management? Doublet, Triplet & Theranostic Therapies Dr Louise Kostos	1100-1105	Introduction and course orientation Professor Rob Newton & Professor Daniel Galvão
1120-1140	LIBERATE focal brachytherapy registry Professor Jeremy Grummet	1120-1140	Role of specialist nurses in ARPI Management Mr Marc Diocera	1105-1135	Exercise medicine within cancer management
1140-1200	Focal IRE - A versatile option Professor Phil Stricker AO	1140-1200	Navigating between Medical Oncology & Nuclear Medicine Ms Elizabeth Medhurst	1135-1145	Patient flow •At diagnosis •On referral - physician or self-referral •Pre-Initial consultation •At consultation •Ongoing monitoring and patient review
1200-1220	Focal IRE for radiation failure Session Associate Professor Matt Roberts	1200-1220	Reimagining pain management in advanced prostate cancer care Mr Michael Collins		
1220-1230	Q&A and Discussion	1220-1230	Q&A and Discussion		

				1145-1205	Health history Pre-exercise screening Absolute and relative contraindications to exercise Rating of perceived exertion and wellness check
				1205-1245	Assessment of cardiorespiratory capacity Assessment of neuromuscular strength and power
1230-1330	Lunch & Industry Exhibition, Goldfields Exhibition Bay 21B & 22B <i>sponsored by Johnson&Johnson</i>				
1330-1530	Concurrent Session 8A		Workshop 8B		Concurrent Session 8C
Theme	Clinical Urology Local treatment: Improving outcomes and managing complications	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health Sexual Function and Prostate Cancer sponsored by VacuMED	Theme	Nursing & Allied Health Exercise Medicine & Prostate Cancer
Room	Eureka Room 1 & 2	Room	Goldfields Theatre	Room	Eureka Room 3
Chairs	<i>Dr Mario Guerreri</i>	Chairs	<i>Ms Evie Mertens & Ms Francesca Rogers</i>	Chairs	<i>Professor Rob Newton & Professor Daniel Galvão</i>
1330-1350	Data from the Guy's Post Pelvic Surgery Research Group Dr Paul Cathcart 	1330-1345	Introduction Ms Francesca Rogers 	1330-1410	Assessment of functional capacity Assessments of cancer specific health and status, quality of life and psychosocial wellbeing Assessment of anthropometry and body composition
1350-1410	CaverSTIM Dr Phil Dundee	1345-1530	Hands-on experience of the available treatment options for sexual issues related to prostate cancer treatment Intracavernosal Injections: tips and tricks Mr Adam Cuthbertson-Chin Toys Ms Francesca Rogers Pumps: the 101 on Vacuum Erectile Devices Ms Debra Ward Oral medications: who, when, why Ms Evie Mertens Surgical options: Implants Mr David Gray	1410-1440	Introduction to Digital Health Platform and Telehealth
1410-1430	Managing urethral stricture disease following radiation Dr Justin Chee			1440-1510	Targeted exercise prescription
1430-1450	HBOT for the treatment of radiation injury Associate Professor Susannah Sherlock			1510-1545	Case studies and scenarios
1450-1510	Minimising SEs and complications of radiation Dr Mario Guerreri				
1510-1520	Q&A and Discussion				
1520-1530	Conference Closing				
Conference Close					