

## WEDNESDAY 15 OCTOBER 2025

0900	<b>EPIC Yarning</b>   Medical/Dental Practitioner: \$320.00   Psychologists/Trainee/Nursing/Allied Health: \$185.00 <a href="#">Lungkata Room</a>	
	EPIC is the Effective Peri-Procedural Communication interest group within SPANZA. EPIC aims to provide language, communication and imaginative techniques for every child during medical procedures. The 'EPIC Yarning' masterclass will involve learning from complex case presentations and highlight how successful interventions can be achieved through utilisation of the EPIC principles. Learning will be interactive and experiential and it is recommended that participants have previously attended the EPIC 1-day workshop, but not essential. During this masterclass you will discover new approaches to engage and empower children having procedures through communication and imaginative techniques.	
1200	<b>Registration opens</b>	
1200	<b>Lunch</b>	
1300	<b>Vascular Access/Lines Open Forum</b> Lungkata Room	<b>Pain Open Forum</b> Tjungu Ballroom
1430	<b>Break</b>	
1500	<b>Cardiac Open Forum</b> Lungkata Room	<b>Research Open Forum</b> Tjungu Ballroom
1900 - 2100	<b>Welcome Reception at Sails in the Desert</b> Included in Full Conference Registration or additional tickets can be purchased for \$130.00  Welcome to Uluru! Join us on the first night of the SPANZA 2025 ASM, to catch up with friends and colleagues whilst enjoying a relaxing drink or two and some canapés poolside at the Sails in the Desert.	

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<b>0700</b> - <b>0800</b>	<b>WELI Breakfast</b>   \$35.00 <a href="#">Tjungu Ballroom</a>  The breakfast will start with an update on WELI activities to date before a brief presentation relevant to leadership in the modern era. This will be followed by a networking opportunity, with some icebreakers and talking points to get the conversations flowing.
<b>0830</b> - <b>1030</b>	<b>TIVA Workshop</b>   \$250.00 <a href="#">Tjalia Room</a>  Join our team of TIVA enthusiasts to explore the art and science of delivering safe, reliable, and practical paediatric TIVA. We will unpack some of the evidence, pharmacology, and TCI models, including a discussion of TIVA adjuvants and an examination of the new Eleveld model. We will also facilitate small group discussions to enable the sharing of recipes, tips, experiences, and questions.
	<b>Dot Painting Workshop</b>   Adult: \$132.00   Child: \$105.60  Two local Mutitjulu Community-owned businesses Ininti Café & Walkatjara Arts have teamed up to host the exclusive Uluru Dot Painting Experience. This immersive 1.5-hour experience takes place within the Ininti Café at the Cultural Centre, in an exclusive upstairs space offering breathtaking views of Uluru. Guests are guided by a respected Walkatjara Artist from the Mutitjulu Community, alongside a Walkatjara Arts narrator during this experience. This event invites guests to connect with the ancient Anangu wisdom of the land. Hear stories in the native Pitjantjatjara language, translated into English, and discover the traditional symbols that hold the spirit of the Anangu people. Guests also enjoy a curated Ininti Morning Tea provided by a dedicated host. As a memorable takeaway, each guest will leave with a unique canvas keepsake created with the guidance of our Walkatjara team.
	<b>Paediatric Regional Workshop</b>   \$250 <a href="#">Tjalia Room</a>  This workshop will cover ultrasound-guided caudal blocks in children, including anatomy, technique, equipment, additives, continuous catheters and hands-on live scanning. In our remaining time, we will cover a selection of Plan A blocks - high value, low complexity blocks.
<b>1030</b>	<b>Morning Tea</b>
<b>1115</b>	<b>Welcome &amp; Opening</b> <a href="#">Tjungu Ballroom</a>
<b>1125</b>	<b>Plenary Session 1</b>
	1125 <b>Introductions</b>
	1130 <b>TBC</b>
	1145 <b>Invited International Speaker</b> Dr Odi Ehie, UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital Oakland, USA

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1330	1200	<b>Purple House Organisation (Aboriginal Health Service)</b> Sarah Brown, Purple House, NT
	1215	<b>Panel Discussion</b>
	1230	<b>Lunch &amp; Poster Viewing</b> P1 - P7, P14
	<b>Plenary session 2</b>	
	1330	<b>Introductions</b>
	1335	<b>Ultrasound Guided Blocks</b> Dr Fiona Taverner, Flinders Medical Centre, SA
	1355	<b>Sponsored Overseas Delegate</b> Dr Luke Mwiga, Kilimanjaro Christian Medical Centre, Tanzania
	1415	<b>Plan A Blocks</b> Dr James Koziol, Royal Children's Hospital, Vic
	1435	<b>Panel Discussion</b>
1500	<b>Afternoon tea</b>	
1530	<b>Plenary Session 3</b>	
	1530	<b>Introductions</b>
	1535	<b>Deadly Ears</b> Dr Jason Schoutrop, Queensland Children's Hospital, Qld
	1605	<b>IS PACMaC</b> Dr Indu Kapoor, Hutt Hospital, NZ
	1620	<b>Lifebox Monitoring in LMICs</b> Dr Rob McDougall, Royal Children's Hospital, Vic
	1635	<b>Panel Discussion</b>
1700	<b>Sessions end</b>	
1730 - 2200	<b>Wintjiri Wiru Optional Dinner</b> Tickets can be purchased for \$310.00 per adult or \$130.00 per child (5-15)	
	The experience begins with a transfer from resort hotels to a sustainability-built platform where guests can take in a stunning sunset with views out to both Uluru & Kata Tjuta with a cocktail before being seated in the Amphitheatre with a gourmet hamper celebrating native ingredients, paired perfectly with the choice of Australian wine or beer. As darkness falls, drones, lights. Traditional music, and Pitjantjatjara language will bring to life the Mala story under the desert sky.	

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	<b>Infant CICO and eFONA with Emergency Response Code Workshop   \$300.00</b> <a href="#">Maku Room</a>  Infant CICO and eFONA workshop. Theory and practical component with high fidelity model. Will satisfy ANZCA requirement for CICO emergency response activity.
	<b>Difficult Airway Workshop   \$250.00</b> <a href="#">Lungkata Room</a>  This workshop will start with a brief introduction session, touching on some of the more recent papers published on the management of difficult paediatric airways before breaking into smaller groups. Group work will allow delegates to get their hands on the available equipment as well as discuss experiences, with colleagues and facilitators, regarding the management of difficult paediatric airways. We are aiming to provide a Front of Neck Access (FONA) station, with ANZCA CICO CPD accreditation, specifically focussing on the issues relevant to paediatric FONA.
	<b>Rheumatic Heart Disease Workshop   \$250.00</b> <a href="#">Tjakura Room</a>  The Rheumatic Heart Disease (RHD) Workshop will provide health professionals with valuable insights into the prevention, diagnosis, and management of acute rheumatic fever (ARF) and RHD. With nearly all new and recurrent cases occurring in Indigenous populations, this workshop highlights the importance of awareness and early intervention. Attendees will hear from experts in the field and engage in hands-on learning activities covering key topics such as the social determinants of RHD, and medical management strategies. This session is ideal for clinicians working in rural, regional, and urban settings who want to enhance their knowledge and improve patient outcomes.
1030	<b>Morning Tea</b>
1115	<b>SPANZA AGM</b>

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1215	<b>SPANZA Free Papers</b>	
1220	<b>Research priorities for paediatric perioperative medicine identified by Australian children and young adults</b> A/Prof Neil Hauser, Perth Children's Hospital, WA	
1232	<b>Dexmedetomidine sedation for infant ophthalmological surgery</b> Dr Hannah Lewis, Flinders Medical Centre, SA	
1244	<b>A year in Aotearoa: from burnout to recovery</b> Dr Benjamin Blaise, Evelina London Children's Hospital, UK	
1256	<b>Nitrous oxide usage patterns for procedural sedations at the Sydney Children's Hospital Network</b> A/Prof Justin Skowno, The Children's Hospital At Westmead, NSW	
1308	<b>Nurse-led intranasal dexmedetomidine sedation for paediatric MRI: a pilot at WCH</b> Miss Drishti Gupta, The University Of Adelaide, SA	
1320	<b>Children's anxiety in the perioperative environment: a qualitative exploration with children, parents, and staff at a tertiary paediatric hospital</b> A/Prof Neil Hauser, Perth Children's Hospital, WA	
1332	<b>Lunch &amp; Poster Viewing P8 - P13</b>	
1435	<b>Plenary Session 4</b>	
1435	<b>Introductions</b>	
1440	<b>Procedural Sedation</b> Dr Justin Hii, Perth Children's Hospital, WA	
1500	<b>Hypnotic Sedation</b> Dr Alex Donaldson, Queensland Children's Hospital, Qld	
1520	<b>"So you want to start a Sedation Service?"</b> Dr Tamsin Barratt, Women's and Children's Hospital, SA	
1540	<b>Panel Discussion</b>	
1600	<b>Afternoon tea</b>	
1630	<b>Sessions end</b>	
1730 - 2200	<b>Conference Dinner</b> Included in Full Conference Registration or additional tickets can be purchased for \$285.00  Dine under the stars with nothing but the beautiful expanse of desert and majestic Uluru for Kilometres around.	

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	<b>Morning Tea</b>	
	<b>Plenary Session 5</b>	
1115	1115	<b>Introductions</b>
	1120	<b>Strong Hearts Foundation</b> Dr Alex Kaethner, Strong Hearts Foundation, NT
	1135	<b>Juvenile-Onset Diabetes</b> Dr Angela Titmuss, Royal Darwin Hospital, NT
	1150	<b>Respiratory Illness in First Nations Children</b> Dr Tom Goddard, Women's and Children's Hospital, SA
	1205	<b>Panel Discussion</b>
1230	<b>Lunch</b>	

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1330	<b>Plenary Session 6</b>	
	1330	<b>Introductions</b>
	1335	<b>First Nations Health</b> Dr Gene Slockee, Tweed Valley Hospital, NSW
	1355	<b>Central Desert Paediatrics</b> Dr James Dowler, Alice Springs Hospital, NT
	1415	<b>Invited International Speaker</b> Dr Odi Ehie, USA
	1435	<b>Panel Discussion</b>
1455	<b>Afternoon tea</b>	
1525	<b>Plenary Session 7</b>	
	1525	<b>Introductions</b>
	1530	<b>Pro/Con Debate - Mixed Practice vs Ivory Tower</b>
1600	<b>Closing Plenary</b>	
1610	<b>Day end</b>	