

Brain Injury Research Seminar

Wednesday 15th June, 2016



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About the event

This seminar will present current best practice in brain injury rehabilitation. Research presented will include studies conducted jointly by La Trobe University and Alfred Health during the development of a new ABI Service. In addition, expert researchers from Monash University will give an overview of housing and technology for people living with an ABI.

Who should attend?

Clinicians, consumers, managers and carers are all welcome to attend this event. This event will also be of interest to claims workers and managers from the compensation and insurance sector.

An evening event will provide a brief research summary for consumers living with an ABI and their carers.

Venue

Caulfield Education Centre (daytime) and Acquired Brain Injury Unit (evening)
Caulfield Hospital
260 Kooyong Road, Caulfield, Melbourne, Vic.

Event date: Wednesday, 15th June 2016

Event time:

Day seminar: 9:00 – 16:30

Evening Seminar: 17:30 – 19:30

Cost

Day seminar: \$55

(free to Caulfield ABI staff and patients and families, includes morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea)

Evening seminar: Free

(light supper included)

Daytime Event Registration

Payment: Credit card only

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Registration is finalised once you receive a registration confirmation email from the administrator.

Evening Event Registration

Email: E.O'Shannessy@cgmc.org.au

Keynote Speakers



Angela Lockwood is the Founder of The Place for Health, an organisation that educates health professionals on the importance of taking care of their own health and wellbeing. She is the author of *The Power of Conscious Choice*, and an invited

keynote speaker across multiple industries delivering her key messages of personal responsibility and importance of making the best choice.

Emma Gee is one of Australia's acclaimed inspirational speakers, offering her thoughts and solutions on person-centred care and resilience. With a background in Occupational Therapy and as a Stroke survivor, Emma is a renowned expert and a living example of what it takes to step in another's shoes and truly bounce back in life. Emma has just published her first book, titled *Reinventing Emma*.



Nick Rushworth has been Executive Officer of Brain Injury Australia since 2008. In 1996, Nick sustained a severe traumatic brain injury as a result of a bicycle accident. Before joining Brain Injury Australia. Formerly a producer with the Nine Television Network's "Sunday" program and ABC Radio National, Nick's journalism has won a number of awards, including a Silver World Medal at the New York Festival, a National Press Club and TV Week Logie Award.



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Invited Speaker Profiles

Associate Professor Natasha A. Lannin, Alfred Health and La Trobe University, is a registered occupational therapist and an Honorary Research Fellow at the John Walsh Institute for Rehabilitation Research at The University of Sydney and the Florey Neurosciences at The University of Melbourne. Working within the Alfred Health hospital network, she conducts clinical research investigating the effectiveness of rehabilitation interventions as well as translation research into improving the long-term outcomes for those living with an acquired brain injury from stroke or traumatic causes.

Libby Callaway, Monash University, is a registered occupational therapist, having worked for the past 22 years in the field of neurological rehabilitation in Australia and the USA. For the last 16 years, Libby has been the director and principal occupational therapist in a community based practice providing rehabilitation services to people with acquired brain and spinal cord injury - Neuroskills. In addition to clinical work, Libby is a lecturer and researcher in the Occupational Therapy department at Monash University. Within her role at Monash University, Libby now leads a program of national research on models of housing and support for people with acquired disabilities, funded by ISCRR and a National Disability Research and Development Grant.

Rebecca Jamwal is a registered occupational therapist, and a PhD candidate in the Department of Occupational Therapy at Monash University. As a research officer with the Summer Foundation over the last three years, Rebecca has worked to deliver evaluation projects exploring the initial launch of the NDIS. Rebecca's doctoral research focuses on the use of electronic assistive technology by people with acquired brain disorders who have returned to community living.

Laura Jolliffe is a registered occupational therapist, and a PhD candidate in Occupational Therapy at La Trobe University. Laura is a NHMRC postdoctoral scholar, and her doctoral research focuses on the use of evidence in rehabilitation, research translation and implementation science in brain injury rehabilitation.

Elizabeth O'Shannessy is a registered occupational therapist who manages the Acquired Brain Injury Rehabilitation Research Program at Alfred Health. In her work at Alfred Health, Elizabeth leads mixed method research studies investigating consumer-led rehabilitation, satisfaction with rehabilitation, engagement of clinical staff in changing practice to meet the needs and expectations of people living with brain injury and their carers.

Day Event Program

Registration will Open from 08:45am		
09:20	Welcome	Alfred Health & Transport Accident Commission
Session 1: Chair Jacqui Morarty		
9:30 – 10:30	Profiling the Alfred ABI Service & its Model of Care	Natasha Lannin
10:30 – 11:00: Morning Tea		
Session 2 Chair: Natasha Lannin		
11:00 – 12:30	Housing and Technology for people with an ABI <i>Keynote: Nick Rushworth</i>	Libby Callaway, Rebecca Jamwal
1230 – 1315: Lunch		
Session 3 Chair: Elizabeth O'Shannessy		
13:15 – 14:30	<i>Keynote: Emma Gee – Empathy in healthcare</i> Knowledge translation in ABI Rehabilitation	Laura Jolliffe, Natasha Lannin
Session 4 Chair: Libby Callaway		
14:30 – 15:15	Consumers in focus: What can we learn from patients and families?	Natasha Lannin, Elizabeth O'Shannessy
15:15 – 15:35: Afternoon tea		
Session 5 Chair: Natasha Lannin		
15:35 – 16:25	Industry engagement <i>Keynote – Angela Lockwood – Be the change</i>	Transport Accident Commission

Evening Event: Supper from 17:30, session commences at 18:30 and concludes at 19:30