

Monash Children's Hospital 20th Paediatric Clinical Update

Friday 3rd May 2024

Lecture Theatre 1, Monash Medical Centre, Clayton and online

Returning for its 20th year, the Monash Children's Hospital Paediatric Clinical Update offers expert-led sessions covering topics from adverse childhood experiences to off-label psychotropics, preventative health measures like adolescent vaping, and emerging practices such as medicinal cannabis use. Additionally, attendees can engage in panel discussions, allowing interactive dialogue with our experts. This year, we are introducing an optional peer review workshop designed to earn RACP Cat 3 credits.

Select from either in-person or virtual tickets. In-person tickets include morning tea and lunch, while all attendees will gain access to the event recording for future reference. Additionally, special discounts are provided for allied health professionals, trainees, and retirees.

Program

8:00	Registration
8:30	Opening address
Session 1 - The Brain is the Heart of it	
8:45	Long term outcomes: Adverse childhood experiences Dr Gemma Sinclair, Paediatric Forensic Medicine Specialist
9:30	Does my 12 year old with poor weight gain and fussy eating have ARFID? Dr Jacinta Coleman, Adolescent Physician
9:50	Which off-label psychotropics are reasonable to consider for children? Dr Fiona Bassad, Psychiatrist
10:10	Panel Q&A - The Brain is the Heart of it Dr Gemma Sinclair, Dr Jacinta Coleman and Dr Fiona Bassad
10:30	Morning tea
Session 2 - Preventative Health	
11:00	This preschooler is toe-walking, when should I refer? Mel Toy, Paediatric Physiotherapist
11:15	Questions for Mel Toy
11:20	My patient's father is on a statin, when do I check this child's lipids? Dr Ari Horton, Paediatric Cardiologist
11:40	What is happening in our community surrounding adolescent vaping? Dr Chatu Yapa, Public Health Physician and Alyce Jenkins, South Eastern Public Health Unit
12:00	Panel Q&A - Preventative Health Dr Ari Horton, Dr Chatu Yapa and Alyce Jenkins
12:15	Lunch
Session 3 - Times are Changing	
1:15	Can I use my phone to help when there's difficult venous access? Is there an app for that? Dr Shravya Karna, Anaesthesiologist
1:30	POCUS - Core business for paediatricians? What does a sonographer think? Peter Coombs, Sonographer
1:45	Questions for Dr Shravya Karna and Peter Coombs
1:55	Is there a role for medicinal cannabis in children and adolescents with developmental disorders? Prof Michael Fahey, Paediatric Neurologist
2:15	Questions for Prof Michael Fahey
2:25	Short Break
State of the Art	
2:50	What does the future hold for my obese teenager? Jennifer Wong, Endocrinologist
4:00	Finish
Peer Review (optional)	
4:10	Workshop for RACP Cat 3 credits (30 max)
5:10	Workshop finish





