

IM/IT Issues in Divisions

24 August 2005

Chair: Lenora Lippmann

10:00-10:05am **Welcome**

10:05-11.05am **Session 1: National Developments**

Broadband For Health & the new RACGP Practice Standards

Melinda Rolland, GPDV

Melinda will update us on developments in the Broadband for Health initiative including comparative take-up figures. She will also lead a discussion of issues that arise for practices and divisions in relation to the new RACGP ITIM standards.

Other National Developments in ITIM

Adrian Beekmeijer, ADGP

Adrian will update us on Healthconnect, PIP criteria for practices for ITIM, the outcome of the demise of GPCG, any developments in the DoHA data strategy and any other national developments of relevance to ITIM issues in divisions.

11.05-11:30 **MORNING TEA**

11:30 – 12.15 **Session 2- Update on IMIT developments in Victoria**

Update on DHS work involving the electronic connection of health services

Harry Patsamanis, DHS

Harry will update us on a) the ICT Network/Alliance strategy, b) discussions regarding the interoperability of Infoxchange & Connecting Care, and c) how the Healthconnect projects are progressing in Victoria.

Brief update on HSD/GPR

Lenora Lippmann, GPDV

Lenora will give a short report on how we are progressing in getting GP consent for data to go across to the HSD and will seek feedback about any issues arising for divisions in this process.

12:15-12:45 **Session 3- Update on technical developments:**

Update on ARGUS

Julia Davis, ARGUS Connect

Julia will give us a short presentation on the latest version of ARGUS, and inform us of its use in Victoria and Tasmania. She will take questions on any issues arising for divisions in the use of Argus.

12:45-1:30pm **LUNCH**

1.30- 2.30 pm **Session 4- Issues for Divisions**

Roundtable discussion

a) **DIS- where is everyone up to?**

b) **HIC online- any issues re arguing a good case for it?**

c) **Data capture for DoHA- where is everyone up to?**

d) **ITIM policies and procedures used for division accreditation - who has what and will they share?**

e) **IT solutions for aged care- how is everyone going?**

2:30 – 3.15 pm

f) Networking

This is an opportunity for people working in Divisions on Information Technology and Information Management issues to share any problems that have arisen for them and see if someone else has any solutions to offer.

3:15PM **CLOSE**

