

Friday 17 November 2006

10.00am to 3.30pm

Registrations commence at 9.30am

To be held at

Arrow on Swanston

488 Swanston Street

Carlton VIC 3053

Venue Details

Car Parking:

There is a car park situated below the venue at 488 Swanston Street Carlton. Cost is approximately \$8.00 per day. If you plan on parking at the venue please complete the car registration section on the registration form to allow quicker access.

Process for entering Arrow car park:

- Drive up to the metal gate
 - Get out of your car & go to reception
 - If you have filled in the car registration details a ticket for your dashboard will be ready. If not you will need to fill in a form.
 - You will then need to pay before you are given access to the carpark
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- *Parking is subject to availability*

Public Transport:

If you catch a train, you can alight at Melbourne Central station on the City Loop and catch any tram that travels north up Swanston Street, alighting at the Victoria Street intersection and walk up Swanston Street.

Accommodation:

Arrow on Swanston (488 Swanston Street Carlton): Approximately \$85 per room per night. Please contact the hotel directly (9225 9000) and speak to Jenny or email jhofmann@arrowonswanston.com.au and mention GPDV

Convenors:

Anne Diamond: a.diamond@gpdv.com.au 9341 5200

Target Group

- GPs
 - Division Allied Health Project Managers
 - Allied Health staff
 - Policy-makers
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Broad Aims

The aims of this meeting are to:

- Inform division staff of the new Mental Health MBS items for GPs and allied health providers and provide an opportunity for discussion concerning the impact of the new items on the ATAPS projects
 - Provide advice to divisions as to the training, skill set, workforce distribution and therapies that approved psychologists, social workers and occupational therapists can offer GP patients under the MBS
 - Hear the consumer/carer perspective about the new MBS items from SANE Australia
 - Provide an opportunity for division-based discussion about the impact of the new items on divisions' work in mental health
 - Inform divisions about the forthcoming ADGP "Can Do" Initiative and Centre for Excellence in Eating Disorders (CEED) Consultation Service.
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Better Outcomes Allied Health Network

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- 10.05 **Welcome**
Anne Diamond, GPDV Mental Health Consultant
- 10.10 **COAG Mental Health Initiatives**
Dianne Knight, Director, Community Services Section, Mental Health and Suicide Program Branch, DoHA will present on the Better Outcomes in Mental Health program. There will be time for discussion with divisions around the impact of new items on the Access to Allied Psychological Services (ATAPS) projects.
- 11.10 Morning Tea**
- 11.30 **COAG Mental Health Initiatives**
Using a panel format, this session will provide an opportunity for division staff to hear from representatives from the Australian Psychological Society, Occupational Therapy Australia, the Australian Association of Social Workers, and from SANE Australia, the national consumer organisation for people with a mental illness. The panel presenters will describe the role of their constituent allied health workforce in metropolitan and rural settings and what these practitioners can offer patients of GPs under the new items. There will be an opportunity for discussion.
- David Stokes, Australian Psychological Society
 - Elizabeth Sommerville, Mental Health Advisory Group Working Party, Australian Association of Social Workers
 - Michelle Bihary, Director, Delta Centre, OT Australia Mental Health Working Group
 - Barbara Hocking, Executive Director, SANE Australia - A national charity working for a better life for Australians affected by mental illness
- 1.00 Lunch**
- 1.45 **Division Discussion on the new MBS Items and ATAPS**
This session will be initially based on small group discussion of the new MBS items and their impact on the ATAPS projects, for both rural and metropolitan divisions, followed by a large group discussion. Topics raised to date include:
- The preparation of the DoHA management plan for ATAPS due April 2007
 - Supporting relationships between GPs and allied health providers
 - The role of divisions in delivering mental health
- “Can Do” Initiative**
- 2.45 Jane Westley, Senior Project Officer – Mental Health, ADGP, will present on the ADGP-funded “Can Do” Initiative: Managing Mental Health and Substance Use in General Practice, and its implications for divisions in 2007.
- 3.00 Afternoon Tea**
- 3.10 Stephanie Jones, Director, Centre for Excellence in Eating Disorders (CEED) will introduce the clinicians of the state-wide CEED Eating Disorder Consultation Service and discuss their role in relation to general practice.
- 3.30 Close**

Please fill out the registration form and fax back to **Eliza Sanneman** on **(03) 9348 1375**

Participant Details

Name: _____

Position Title: _____

GP

CEO

Program Staff

Admin Staff

Not Staff

Other _____

Division(s) or Organisation:

E-mail Address: _____

Direct Telephone: _____

Do you require any assistance with mobility or with the use of visual, auditory or other communication aids? If so, please let us know how we can assist.

Dietary Requirements

Does the participant have any dietary requirements?

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Yes

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No

If yes, please describe diet details:

Car Parking

Do you require car parking at the venue?*

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Yes

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No

If yes, please provide car registration number:

*Cost is approximately \$8.00 per day

Registrations close 5:00pm – Friday 10th November 2006

Privacy:

Information you provide to us in the registration form will be entered into our database for the purpose of processing registrations. It may also be used for the purposes of GPDV evaluation of annual division attendance at GPDV events.