



CONFERENCE PROGRAM

THURSDAY 1 OCTOBER 2015

1830-1930	Welcome and Exhibition Opening Room: Longboard and Ballroom
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FRIDAY 2 OCTOBER 2015

0900	Official Conference Welcome ~ Gavin Finkelstein HFA President		
0905-1030	Plenary 1 Comprehensive Care: the journey Room: QT Ballroom		
	Chair: Dr John Rowell		
	The history of comprehensive care ~ Dr Alison Street The role of governments ~ Leigh McJames Panel discussion ~ Dr Chris Barnes, Dr John Rowell, Beryl Zeissink, Dan Credazzi		
1030-1100	MORNING TEA		
1100-1230	Concurrent 1 von Willebrand disease Room: Sunset	Concurrent 2 Mild Haemophilia Room: Point Break	Concurrent 3 Hepatitis C Room: Diamond Head
	Chair: Dr Catherine Harris	Chair: Penny McCarthy	Chair: Suzanne O'Callaghan
	Personal Stories ~ Bobby, ACT ~ Sally, NSW Diagnosis and testing ~ Dr Ritam Prasad Treatment and Management ~ Dr Susan Russell Discussion	Mild Haemophilia across the life span ~ Penny McCarthy Mild Haemophilia in Children ~ Dr Jamie Price Personal story ~ Nathan, SA Inhibitors, treatment in adults and genetic testing ~ Dr Simon McRae Q&A	Hepatitis C: Medical issues for PWBD and treatment, incl direct acting antivirals ~ A/Prof Simone Strasser Personal story of a person living with HCV ~ Dave, QLD Hepatitis C progression - barriers to monitoring liver health and treatment ~ Mary Fenech ~ Beryl Zeissink Panel Discussion
1230-1330	LUNCH		
1330-1500	Concurrent 1 Youth Room: Sunset	Concurrent 2 Inhibitors Room: Point Break	Concurrent 3 HIV Room: Diamond Head
	Chair: Hannah Opeskin	Chair: Dr Chris Barnes	Chair: Leonie Mudge
	Q&A panel with engaging topics including: • On the Move – moving out of home, travelling, work and study • Is there such a thing as a safe risk? • Disclosure – who to tell Panel: Physiotherapy ~ Cameron Cramey Nurse Perspective ~ Clare Waite Psychologist ~ Moana Harlen Young man's perspective ~ Tim, VIC Young woman's perspective ~ Jade, WA	Inhibitor Risk Factors ~ Dr Alfonso Iorio The impact of product transition on the risk of inhibitor development in Australian patients with Haemophilia A ~ Dr Ann S Wilson Personal experience ~ Andrew, QLD Treatment & Management of inhibitors ~ Dr John Rowell	The legacy of HIV for the bleeding disorders community ~ Leonie Mudge HIV – An update on treatment and the burden of co-morbidities, including hepatitis C virus co-infection ~ Dr Krispin Hajkowicz Ageing/disability, resilience and HIV – psychosocial issues ~ Lynne Heyes

1500-1530	AFTERNOON TEA
1530-1700	Plenary 2 Improving outlooks for pain in haemophilia Room: QT Ballroom Chair: Abi Polus
	Humans: The best protectors yet ~ Prof Lorimer Moseley Managing Pain in Haemophilia ~ A/Prof Carolyn Arnold
1815-1845	Remembrance Service Room: Malibu
1900 til late	Conference Dinner Room: QT Ballroom <i>*Tickets are \$35 and must be pre-booked*</i>

SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER 2015

0700-0820	Men's Breakfast Facilitated by Tim Marchinton Room: Sunset 1 <i>*Tickets are \$25 and must be pre-booked*</i>			
0700-0820	Women's Breakfast MC: Leonie Demos Room: Sunset 2 <i>*Tickets are \$25 and must be pre-booked*</i>			
0830-0945	Plenary 3 Making informed family planning decisions Room: QT Ballroom Chair: Dr Susan Russell			
	Prenatal/PGD testing ~ Peter Field A Journey Through Genetic Counselling and Prenatal Diagnosis ~ Pauline McGrath Role of Haemophilia Centres in genetic counselling ~ Robyn Shoemark			
0945-1000	MORNING TEA			
1000-1130	Concurrent 1 Genetic Counselling Services Workshop (Women Only) Room: Malibu Chair: Maureen Spilsbury & Dr Desdemona Chong	Concurrent 2 Family Matters: Tips, Tools & Strategies to support your child Room: Sunset Chair: Moana Harlen	Concurrent 3 Getting Older Room: Point Break Chair: Leonie Mudge	Concurrent 4 Being Active for children, teenagers and young adults Room: Diamond Chair: Wendy Poulsen
	<i>The session will be facilitated by haemophilia social workers and a genetic counsellor and is for women. It will provide an opportunity for participants to think further about genetic issues and family planning.</i> <i>The speaker's panel will also include women from the bleeding disorders community who will share their personal experiences.</i>	Back off bully ~ Sarah Elliott Siblings – best of friends and rivals ~ Colleen McKay Bouncing Back: Increasing Resilience in a child with a Bleeding Disorder ~ Linda Dockrill	Clinical issues ~ Dr John Rowell GPs and Men's health checks ~ Olivia Hollingdrake Personal experience ~ Mike, QLD Falls prevention/keeping mobile~ Rebecca Dalzell	Purpose of prophylaxis treating after injury ~ Dr Chris Barnes Adventure therapy success in supporting people living with a bleeding disorder ~ Tim Marchinton Personal experience ~ Ben, VIC Gym Training – What are the right exercises for me? ~ Cameron Cramey Personal experience ~ Ty, SA
1130-1145	BREAK			

1145-1300	Concurrent 1 Women Bleed too Room: Sunset Chair: Joanna McCosker	Concurrent 2 Managing your headspace for adults Room: Point Break Chair: Clare Reeves	Concurrent 3 Longer Acting Factors Room: Diamond Head Chair: Dr Jamie Price	
	Managing bleeding problems: menorrhagia and pregnancy ~ Dr Stephanie P'Ng Personal experience ~ Elyse, QLD Question and Answer Panel Nurse ~ Dale Rodney Outreach worker ~ Linda Dockrill	The new age challenge: Haemophilia and growing older ~ Sarah Elliott Evidence Based Mindfulness and how it can help in your personal and professional life ~ Dr Ira Van der Steenstraten	Long Acting Clotting Factor Concentrates – How do they work? ~ Claire McGregor What do we know so far about longer acting therapies – data ~ Dr Jamie Price A family's experience ~ Helen and Felix, QLD	
1300-1400	LUNCH			
1400-1455	Plenary 4 New therapies and future horizons Room: QT Ballroom Chair: Dr Simon McRae			
	In this session, Dr Simon McRae will discuss the upcoming new Australian treatment guidelines for bleeding disorders, and their potential to improve care and services and optimise outcomes for patients and their families. A Q &A Session with a multidisciplinary panel and community representative will look to the future as it responds to questions and comments from delegates.			
1455-1500	Closing remarks by HFA and HFNZ Presidents ~ Gavin Finkelstein and Deon York			
1500-1700	Concurrent Options <i>RSVP and bookings required</i>			
1500	Workshop 1 1515-1615 Mindfulness ~ Dr Ira Van der Steenstraten Room: Sunset 1	Catch up and chill out afternoon tea 1500-1630 Room: Sunset Lounge	Viewing of AFL Grand Final 1500-1800 Room: Stringray	My ABDR (Private closed group, not for public) 1500-1630 Room: Sunset 2