

Navigating the Future of Mental Health Care in the 21st Century

27-29 June 2025 • Barossa Valley, South Australia



Friday 27 June 2025

08:45-09:00	Conference opening & Welcome address
09:00-10:30	Keynote address
	Professor David Coghill
10:30-11:00	Morning tea
11:00-12:30	Symposium
	<p>Psychiatry registrar training in private practice: should it be mandatory?</p> <p>A regional model for private practice psychiatry Dr Jon-Paul Khoo</p> <p>A public-private psychiatry partnership model Dr Michelle Atchison</p> <p>A GP based model for private practice psychiatry Jonah Hughson</p>
12:30-13:30	Lunch break
13:30-15:00	Invited speakers
	<p>Managing addiction challenges in clinical practice Dr David Plevin</p> <p>ADHD assessment in adults Dr Petre Heffernan</p>
15:00-15:30	Afternoon tea
15:30-17:00	Symposium and panel discussion
	<p>Medico legal aspects of ADHD practice Professor Marie Bismark, Dr Peter Heffernan, Dr Roger Paterson</p>
17:00-19:00	Welcome reception

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Saturday 28 June 2025

09:00-10:30	Keynote address Current Chair: Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA)
	Doctors' wellbeing and workforce challenges Dr Susan Dwyer
10:30-11:00	Morning tea
11:00-12:30	Invited speakers
11:00-11:45	Women's health in clinical practice Dr Lyndall White
11:45-12:30	ADHD and forensic psychiatry Dr Victoria Jackson
12:30-13:30	Lunch break
13:30-15:00	Symposium
	Artificial Intelligence: Where are we today? Where are we heading tomorrow? My new psychiatrist, Dr AI: Comparison of formulation of a case between AI and the psychiatrist Dr Louis Ereve Psychological impact of advanced artificial Intelligence Dr Joachim Diederich Opportunities and pitfalls of using AI in practice management software Dr Petros Pruium
15:00-15:20	Afternoon tea
15:20-17:00	Invited speakers
15:20-16:05	21st Century BPD challenges Professor Sathya Rao
16:05-17:05	Future technologies Developing an AI-guided VR-delivered positive memory performance & behavioural activation intervention Dr Stephane Verhaeghe Using AI in research and drug development Dr Sebastian Rositano
18:30-22:00	Conference dinner Fino Seppeltsfield Barossa Valley

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Sunday 29 June 2025

09.00-10.30	Keynote address Immediate past President: Australian Medical Association (AMA)
	Workforce: What Future? Dr Steven Robson
10.30-11.00	Morning tea
11.00-12.30	Workshop
	A person-centered shared care mental health utility platform for treating ADHD Dr Gary Galambos & Dr Di Grocott
12.30-13.30	Conference closing, lunch and departures