



HETI SENIOR EXECUTIVE FORUM REPORT

APRIL 2023



A scholarship will enable students to complete one degree qualification within the Applied Mental Health Studies (AMHS) course Adult Mental Health Specialisation, either the Graduate Certificate, Graduate Diploma or Masters.

LIMITED NUMBER OF 100% FUNDED SCHOLARSHIPS FOR A FULL DEGREE COURSE REMAINING

Scholarship opportunities are available for those with an interest in Adult mental health to study Applied Mental Health Studies (AMHS) in the Adult specialisation at HETI Higher Education.

Complete a Graduate Certificate, Graduate Diploma, or Masters level study in the Applied Mental Health Studies course with up to 600 hours of study support.

AMHS units are offered completely online over a five-week teaching period. They are designed with flexibility to meet the needs of the health workforce who are combining study with other commitments. Even with a, full degree level students can manage their study load through choice of teaching period and unit.

The next Teaching Period (TP3) commences 22nd May 2023.

All scholarship eligibility information is available at <https://www.heti.nsw.gov.au/Placements-Scholarships-Grants/scholarships-and-grants/adult-mental-health-scholarship>

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TOWARDS ZERO SUICIDES

Towards Zero Suicides is the NSW Government's commitment to reduce the number of people who die from suicide. HETI is contributing to the deliverable by producing a series of five MyHealthLearning elearning modules. The first of these will be released soon.

The module "Engagement with People who may be Suicidal" enables learners to describe an approach for establishing and sustaining purposeful engagement in health care and consider the application of these approaches for one situation many find more difficult: working with people who may be suicidal.

Eligibility and further information available at <https://www.heti.nsw.gov.au/Placements-Scholarships-Grants/scholarships-and-grants/adult-mental-health-scholarship>

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NATIONAL FRAMEWORK WORKSHOP AND DPET FORUM

HETI hosted a workshop on 21 March 2023 for Directors of Prevocational Education and Training (DPETs), Junior Medical Officer (JMO) Managers and Administrators to introduce upcoming changes with the planned implementation of the new national framework for prevocational medical training in 2024.

The Australian Medical Council presented an overview of the changes to occur nationally followed by a presentation by Dr Jo Burnand, Deputy Medical Director, and Prof John Vassiliadis, Chair Prevocational Training Council about current progress and implementation plans in NSW. Workshop attendees also participated in practical sessions which included an activity on reclassifying currently accredited PGY1 terms to align with the new framework requirements, and developing individual action plans for each training provider.

The afternoon DPET forum included a session on welcoming new DPETs and orienting them to the role. Another session focused on the wellbeing of DPETs with practical tips and strategies to support them in their roles.

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2023 CONNECTIONS - FORUM REGISTRATIONS OPEN FOR THE UPCOMING CONNECTIONS FORUM: STRENGTH IN CONNECTION



The Connections Forum is the largest annual event held by HETI's Training Support Unit and is scheduled for Wednesday, 3 May 2023, 9:30am-2:00pm. The Connections Forum is a virtual conference dedicated to support Aboriginal maternal, infant, child and family health services. The Connections Forum will showcase a range of uplifting and empowering

presentations based on culturally safe approaches to health care for Aboriginal women, children, families and communities.

Maintaining a healthy pregnancy and later caring for the growth, wellbeing and development of children in the early years can be a complex time for parents, families and communities.

The 2023 Connections Forum "Connection to Culture and Country: Empowering Aboriginal Families and our Future" is based on health care that has a clear strengths-based approach. The forum will have a focus on Aboriginal holistic views of health that encompass the physical, spiritual, cultural, emotional and social wellbeing of the individual, family and community. The connections to family, community, and country will be strongly demonstrated in the presentations.

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RURAL INTERPROFESSIONAL SEMINAR SERIES



This interprofessional seminar is designed to increase capability and confidence of rural health care providers who work with or are studying chronic lung diseases.

The presentation will discuss the pathophysiology of chronic lung diseases (particularly COPD) and explore practical strategies and evidence-based approaches to care, with a specific focus on managing chronic lung disease through pulmonary rehabilitation.

To register for the webinar click on link below

<https://managing-chronic-lung-disease-through-pulmonary-rehabilitation.eventbrite.com.au>

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ABORIGINAL ALLIED HEALTH NETWORK FORUM



Aboriginal Allied Health Network supports the education, cultural and career development needs of the NSW Health Aboriginal allied health professional workforce.

The next Network forum will be held on Wednesday 31 May 2023 at Murrook Aboriginal Cultural Centre on Worimi Country, Williamtown.

The forum program will explore strength and identity through yarning, connecting and a cultural immersion experience. Travel and accommodation support is available for NSW Health Aboriginal allied health network members through an expression of interest (EOI). For more information contact **Daniella Pfeiffer**.

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NSW HEALTH GENERAL MANAGERS PROGRAM GRADUATION SHOWCASE

The NSW Health General Managers Program virtual Graduation Showcase was held on 8 March 2023. This represents 12 months of participants from across NSW attending immersive two day events, receiving executive coaching and grappling with individual strategic challenges unique to their General Manager roles. The results of this work were shared at the graduation, and reflected a breadth of complex problem solving skills, personal development and an application of principles explored during the 12 months. 14 NSW Health organisations were represented on the program, with active engagement from the relevant Chief Executives. This represents a major commitment from the system toward developing opportunities for a critical workforce.



The inaugural NSW Health General Managers Program (GMP), a group of General Managers from across NSW Health undertook an intensive tailored leadership and management development program.

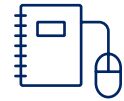
The program was commissioned by the Workforce Planning and Talent Development Branch of the Ministry of Health, with Mr Phil Minns as patron and Mr Richard Griffiths as sponsor. The General Manager Leader Success Profile - the first to be developed under the NSW Health Talent Strategy approach - informed the program design. The design remained flexible and responded to feedback from both the participants and the Steering Committee throughout the 12 months.

Initial findings from an external evaluation indicate the positive uptake of the program by the Participants. The opportunity to build the opportunity to build networks, both as a cohort amongst themselves, and with key Ministry allies, increased the sense of support by key influencers to enable their work to enable their work.

A robust evaluation framework is being independently applied to ensure that opportunities for program improvement are identified and post-program professional development will ensure that individual capability improvement is sustained.

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MY HEALTH LEARNING



NEW AND REVISED RESOURCES:

TITLE	COURSE CODE
Additional Module 1b: Pfizer Bivalent BA.4-5 COVID-19 Booster vaccine	462564607
Additional Module 3d: Moderna Bivalent (BA,4-5) 12 years+ (PFS) vaccine	466537183
Breaking Bad News (Refresh)	39962615
Building Effective Teams (Refresh)	39831483
Hyperemesis Gravidarum	458316285
Let's Talk Disability (Refresh)	67951622
Mental Health Accredited Persons Online Reaccreditation - Test One: Assessing (Refresh)	203957122
Mental Health Accredited Persons Online Reaccreditation - Test Three: Transporting and detaining (Refresh)	203957487
Mental Health Accredited Persons Online Reaccreditation - Test Two: Administrative decision making (Refresh)	203957296
Safe Patient Handling (Refresh)	107466425

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