



Call for Papers and Posters

2010 LODDON MALLEE ALLIED HEALTH CONFERENCE EMERGING REALITIES OF ALLIED HEALTH PRACTICE

Echuca
March 19th 2010

The Loddon Mallee Allied Health Network invites all allied health staff to participate in their seventh annual conference: “Emerging Realities of Allied Health Practice”.

Conference Aims:

The conference will provide all rural and regional allied health practitioners, managers and educational institutions with the opportunity to update their knowledge and skills while being able to network with other staff within the region.

Key Objectives:

- To showcase change and emerging trends in allied health clinical practice and education
- To provide the opportunity for allied health staff to gain experience through presenting at a conference.
- Provide the opportunity for exposure to the ways other clinical services are meeting challenges in clinical practice
- To highlight the use of practice standards within services
- Provide leadership and management information

Call for Papers and Posters:

Papers and posters demonstrating the following **key themes** are invited for submission:

- Collaborative care
- Clinician wellbeing and resilience
- Climate change and its affect on health
- Innovative services or work practices
- Aging population /chronic disease issues
- Future directions of health care eg Workforce redesign
- Innovative allied health education and clinical placements
- Rural Practice

Who should attend:

- Allied health professionals from all sectors of health care, including public and private practitioners
- Managers
- University staff and students

Abstract submission

The submission of abstracts should be consistent with the following guidelines.

1. Document to be presented as a Microsoft Word document.
2. Submitted via email to kford@bendigohealth.org.au
3. Abstracts should include abstract title, preferred presentation type (poster or paper), names of authors and affiliations and contact details. It should outline aims, methods, results, conclusions and practical applications/relevance for other allied health professionals and services.
4. Abstracts should be less than 350 words.

Papers

Successful applicants will be asked to provide their presentation in Microsoft PowerPoint format. Presenters will be allocated 15 minutes presentation time and 5 minutes for questions and discussion.

Posters

Successful applicants will be forwarded general guidelines for their poster presentation. Posters should measure no more than 900 mm x 900mm.

Key Dates:

18/12/2009 Final date for abstract submission
25/01/2010 Program finalised
01/03/2010 Power point presentations due

- Free registration for the presenter of each paper
- Prizes to be awarded for Best Poster and Best first time presenter

For further information please contact:

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