

Welcome

The Organising Committee of the Professional Association of Nurses in Developmental Disability Areas (Aust) Inc. is delighted to invite you to join us on Friday 1 August 2008 for our 18th Annual Conference, commencing with a breakfast AGM, then the conference followed by drinks.

The title of this year's conference is Building and Connecting Bridges.

From the historic Ross Bridge in Ross Tasmania to the Story Bridge in Brisbane to the West Gate Bridge in Melbourne to the Narrows Bridge in Perth to the Commonwealth Bridge in Canberra to the Causeway at Peat Island in NSW to the Torrens River Bridge in Adelaide.

Every bridge has a story and every nurse has a story to tell – be your bridges fact or fiction, real or a metaphor, a national icon or an unknown gem.

The day offers a variety of innovative sessions and the chance to network with other nurses working in the specialty of developmental disabilities and will provide the opportunity to network and meet new and past colleagues.

We hope you will join us.

Bob Weaver
Conference convenor
Professional Association of Nurses in
Developmental Disability Areas (Aust) Inc.



Conference Details

Conference Venue

The Epping Club
45–47 Rawson Street, Epping NSW 2121
Phone: 02 9869 7111, Fax: 02 9868 2376

Parking

Some parking is available at the venue and time restricted parking is available at Coles car park, Rawson Street, Epping.

Public Transport

Take a train to Epping station. The venue is a short walk through The Epping Club Arcade and across Rawson Street to the Epping Club.

Receipts

No further information will be forwarded to registrants but receipts will be issued on the day of the conference.

DADHC Staff

Staff of DADHC are advised to apply for Staff Development Leave and funding in order to attend the conference.

More Information

Registration forms are available at: www.pandda.net

For further information or late registrations contact:

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Disclaimer

The Professional Association of Nurses in Developmental Disability Areas (Aust) Inc. (PANDDA) will not accept liability for damages of any nature sustained by participants or accompanying persons, or for loss or damage to personal property as a result of the PANDDA Conference or related events.



19th Annual Conference

& Annual General Meeting

Friday 1 August 2008

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Conference Program

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| 8.30 am | 19th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (Breakfast Meeting) Chair: Russell Jones |
| 8.45 am | 19th Annual PANDDA Conference Registration, Tea and Coffee |
| 9.30 am | Morning Session Sponsor: Accessible Transit Specialist ATS Chair: John Ryan, Nurse Manager Metro Residences, Sydney NSW Welcome Bob Weaver, PANDDA Committee |
| 9.45 am | Opening Address Professor Stewart Einfeld, Brain Research Institute, The University of Sydney NSW |
| 10.30 am | Morning Tea, Opportunity to Network and Visit Trade Displays |
| 11.00 am | The lived experiences of older parents caring for adult child with intellectual disabilities Alicia Rodgers, Registered Nurse, Disability Enterprises and Honours Student, School of Nursing University of Western Sydney NSW |
| 11.45 am | Bridging the Gap Between a Medical Model of Care and a Community Model of Care in Tasmania Maree McCulloch, Nurse Manager, Department of Human Services, Tasmania |
| 12.20 am | 'I have a story to tell relating to the training of care workers in South Australia' Gaynor Edgecombe, Clinical Nurse Consultant, Disabilities Services, Royal District Nursing Service, South Australia |
| 1.00 pm | Lunch, Opportunity to Network and Visit Trade Displays |
| 2.00 pm | Afternoon Session Sponsor: Department of Ageing Disability and Home Care NSW Chair: Nathan Wilson, Registered Nurse, Disability Enterprises NSW |
| 2.05 pm | The Cycle of Education: Positive Behaviour Support/Challenging Behaviour Education Jackie Cheal, Nurse Learning Development Officer, Metro Residences Sydney NSW |
| 2.45 pm | Sexual Health and Relationships Training and the Disability Worker Desrae Parker, PhD candidate, School of Nursing and Midwifery, University of South Australia |
| 3.25 pm | Afternoon Tea, Opportunity to Network and Visit Trade Displays |
| 3.40 pm | PANDDA Update: 2008–2009 PANDDA President Draw of the trade display raffle and other prizes |
| 3.50 pm | Connecting 40 years of Nursing: A story from the Riverside Centre, Orange Russell Jones, Nurse Manager Accommodation and Nursing Services, Riverside Centre, Orange NSW |
| 4.30 pm | Conference close and invitation to the 20th Annual PANDDA Conference 2009 and Farewell Drinks Farewell drinks have been extended this year so please take the opportunity to stay a little longer and catch up with nurses from around Australia who share your passion in supporting people with developmental/intellectual disabilities. |

The PANDDA executive would like to take this opportunity to thank the sponsors and committee members of the 19th Annual PANDDA Conference.

Conference Registration

TAX INVOICE

ABN: 23-647-452-897

REGISTRATION

Payment is accepted by personal cheque, bank cheque or money order (made payable to PANDDA (Aust) Inc.) or by direct deposit to ANZ bank account number: 938 560 797, BSB number: 012 370.

Please include payment with your completed form and post to: The Conference Registrar, PANDDA (Aust) Inc., PO Box 3633, Parramatta NSW 2124.

REGISTRATION FEE (Including GST)

Financial Members (as at 1 July 2008): \$120.00

Non Members: \$160.00

The registration fee includes entry to conference sessions, conference materials, tea and coffee on arrival, morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea. Receipts will be issued on the day.

DELEGATE DETAILS

Title: _____

Surname: _____

First Name: _____

Member: Yes No

Attending AGM Breakfast: Yes No (No cost to delegate)

Postal Address: _____

City/Town: _____

State: _____ Postcode: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Mobile: _____

Place of Work: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Preferred Name on Badge: _____

Special Requirements (Dietary or Other): _____

If your employer is paying the conference fee, please send a copy of this registration form to PANDDA.

CANCELLATION FEES

Cancellations must be notified by email to Bob Weaver at bweaver@disabilityenterprises.com.au in writing. A suitable delegate may be nominated at any time at no extra cost.

