



General Practitioners

SouthEast Primary
HealthCare Network

SouthEast Primary HealthCare Network
is offering CPR Training
for both Members and Non Members.



- **Date:** 20th May 2010
- **Venue:** TBA
- **Time:** 7.00pm to 9.00pm
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International Medical Graduates (IMG's) Mentored Meetings - Expressions of Interest

An invitation is extended to all IMG's in the Logan Area and specifically those who may be about to undertake their college exams to attend regular weekly meetings where you can work with peers under the mentorship of Dr. Ian Petersen.

Exam Date for 2010: 1

Clinical 8th May 2010

Exam Date for 2010: 2

Written – late August 2010 and

Clinical 25th October 2010

- **Date & Time:** Date TBA. Time anticipated for 6.30pm to 9.00pm
- **Venue:** TBA – dependant on numbers of attendees
- **Contact:** Kim Moffatt at SPHN on 3290 3733 or e: kmoffatt@sphn.org.au

REFUGEE HEALTH QUEENSLAND: Clinical Support for GP Practices

Dr Megan Evans is the Senior Medical Officer for Refugee Health Queensland and a practicing GP. Megan's role includes supporting GP practices to be able to provide optimum health care to their refugee patients. Megan is available upon request to visit your practice to provide refugee health advice specific to your current practice needs. Common topics covered include: using interpreters effectively, managing common physical and mental health conditions in refugee patients, immunisation catch-ups, cultural awareness, managing victims of torture and trauma and access to resources for refugee health.

- **Contact:** Megan Evans at Refugee Health Queensland on 3163 2880 or e: megan.evans@mater.org.au

Megan works Tue/Wed/Thu.

Mater GP Women's Health Conference - Hyatt Regency Coolum - 29 to 30 May 2010

- Topics include breast cancer, gynaecology, urogynaecology, ovarian and endometrial cancer, obstetrics and much more
- Conference package is \$300 and includes education, accommodation, conference dinner, breakfast, lunch and morning/afternoon tea
- The luxury hotel boasts an extensive range of exciting activities for the kids so bring the gang; this conference is designed for the whole family.
- **Contact:** Sara Fingleton on 07 3163 1036 or e: sara.fingleton@mater.org.au

Positions Vacant

- **GP Required Urgently:** Logan Central
Contact: Michelle on 0413 884 003 or Colleen on 0418 157 504
- **GP Required:** Park Ridge
Contact: Nerissa on 3802 0899

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Perinatal Mental Health Training

Activity Code: 748268, CPD Points: 4

SouthEast Primary HealthCare Network invites GP's, Psychologists and Midwives to Perinatal Mental Health training. **Please note:** It is an information evening on antenatal and postnatal depression.

- **Date & Time:** Wednesday 22nd April 2010 from 6pm – 9pm
- **Venue:** Michael's Oriental, 223 Padstow Road, Eight Miles Plains
- **Contact:** Kristie Milloy at SPHN on 3290 3733.

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WANTED: Casual Trainers and Lecturers



SouthEast Primary HealthCare Network is a Campus of Health first Training and is calling for expressions of interest from all suitably qualified professionals for Casual Training / Lecturing Staff for the following Qualifications:

- ***HLT42507** Cert IV in Allied Health Assistance
- ***HLT42305** Cert IV in Population Health
- ***HLT43207** Cert IV in Health Administration
- ***BSB41004** Cert IV in Frontline Management

If you feel your experience and skills equip you for this exciting role, please contact Kim Moffatt, Education and Training Coordinator at SPHN on 3290 3733 or e: kmoffatt@sphn.org.au

Fantastic 'SPHN Members Only' opportunity to access free 'Informed Consent' training for all Health professionals

- **'be INFOrMED'** is online Medico-Legal training designed for Health Professionals on the medico-legal principles of consent to treatment to reduce the risk of litigation, by promoting best practice in the area of informed consent.
- SouthEast Primary HealthCare Network is pleased to provide access to this training for all current members. This online training is endorsed by RCNA (8CNE), Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (Max 8 CPD), 8 ACRRM PDP and 2 MOPS O&G/Woman's Health points.
- Coming soon to members only! To become a member and access this and other great membership benefits, please contact Stephanie Culshaw at SPHN on 3290 3733

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NCIRS – Pandemic H1N1 2009 Influenza Vaccine for Australians

NCIRS has just created a new fact sheet entitled "Pandemic H1N1 2009 influenza vaccine for Australians". It is available on the Immunisation Resources page of the website at <http://www.ncirs.edu.au/immunisation/fact-sheets/index.php>

Practice Nurses needed for study

Researchers from the Queensland University of Technology and the University of the Sunshine Coast are undertaking a national study: Practice Nurses' role and responsibilities in well and sick child care - and are looking for participants. To find out more about the study contact Anne Walsh on 3138 3905 or e: am.walsh@qut.edu.au. References are available on request.

Mindfulness for Health (Mindfulness-Based Cognitive Therapy program)

Starting: Tuesday 27th April 2010
Time: 1 – 3.30pm
Sessions: Introductory information session; and
8 sessions for the program – 1 session a week
Place: Logan Central Community Health
97 -103 Wembley Rd, Logan Central
Facilitator: Jenny Cobden (Social Worker)
Bookings: Tel Intake Officer on 3290 8900
(Group size is limited.)
Cost: Free

FIRST AID TRAINING



Expressions of Interest are sought for all those who require first aid training.

This training is being offered to both Members and Non-members at:

\$124.00 for Members

\$146.00 for Non-members

Venue and Date to be confirmed

Please direct all enquiries to Stephanie Culshaw e: sculshaw@sphn.org.au or Kim Moffatt e: kmoffatt@sphn.org.au or phone SPHN on 3290 3733.

APNA Golden Opportunities Conference 2010

Subsidies available for APNA Golden Opportunities Conference May 2010.

- **Date:** 6th – 8th May 2010
- **Venue:** RACV Royal Pines Resort, Gold Coast

For more information visit www.apna.asn.au/ for eligibility and application processes

Positions Vacant

- **Casual Medical Receptionist Required:** Waterford
Contact: 3299 6688 or email CV to whzeng67@yahoo.com.au
- **Receptionist Required P/T:** Southside
Contact: info@amcg.com.au
- **RN or EEN Required :** Logan Central
Contact: Emma on 3299 4870
- **Casual Receptionist Required :** Southside
Contact: Kerrie on sonimedical@bigpond.com.au

For further information regarding these vacancies, please visit www.sphn.org.au/general-practice-vacancies.



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

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Guest speakers will include Elders from Logan, Vice Chair and CEO of SouthEast Primary HealthCare Network, Medicare Australia representative to discuss PIP (Practice Incentives Program) Indigenous Health Incentives and Cultural Awareness Information.

A three course dinner and entertainment from local Indigenous dancers will also be provided.

If you could please let me know via post, email or fax if you would be interested in attending this free Linking Indigenous People meet and greet networking dinner and how many people from your organisation would like to attend by Friday 9 April, 2010.

Regards
Tamara Nikolaou
Primary Care Liaison Officer
Linking Indigenous People (LIP) Program
SouthEast Primary HealthCare Network
Ph: 07 3290 3733
Fax: 07 3290 3144
Email: tnikolaou@sphn.org.au

(Please tick)

Yes I would like to attend / Name of participants:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

I will not be attending