

**14th Annual Oncology Social Work Australia New Zealand Conference Program**

**Unique Footprints: recognising the biopsychosocial implications of the cancer site**

Menzies Centre for Medical Research, University of Tasmania, Hobart

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| Day 1  Thursday 21 November 2019 | | | | |
| 8:30 - 9:00 | Registration | | | |
| 9:00 - 9:15 | **Welcome and Official Opening**  Nick Hobbs  OSWANZ President | | | |
| 9:15 - 9:30 | **Welcome to Country** | | | |
| 9:30 - 11:00 | **Keynote Presentation**  Julie McCrossin AM  Freelance journalist and facilitator | | | |
| 11-11:30 | Morning Tea | | | |
| 11:30 - 12:30 | **Keynote Presentation**  Brian Stokes  Tasmanian Cancer Registry | | | |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | Lunch | | | |
| 13:30 - 14:00 | **Social Work interventions in Oncology: Findings of the Australian study**  Kim Hobbs  Clinical Specialist Social Worker, Westmead Hospital  Dr. Rosalie Pockett  University of Sydney | | | |
| 14:00 - 14:30 | **From trauma aware to trauma informed: Why it’s important for Oncology Social Workers**  Katie Carlson  Social Worker / Counsellor, Canberra Health Services  Toni Ashmore  Project Manager, Territory Wide End of Life and Palliative Care, Canberra Health Services | | | |
| 14:30 - 15:00 | **Are you competent? Oncology Social Work Competencies for Health Services**  Toni Ashmore  Project Manager, Territory Wide End of Life and Palliative Care, Canberra Health Services | | | |
| 15:00 - 15:30 | Afternoon Tea | | | |
|  | Concurrent sessions | | | |
| 15:30 - 17:00 | Workshop | Workshop | Workshop |
|  | **The footprints of cancer and treatment on sexual health, sexual wellbeing and sexual functioning; a social work – sex therapy perspective.**  Andreea Ardeleanu  Social Worker  Canberra Region Cancer Service  Lisa Grant  Mental Health Social Worker  Relationships Counsellor  Sex Therapist  Private Practice | **Future proofing our clients**  Emma Hair  Social Worker  St George Hospital  Sam Rennie  Social Worker  St George Hospital | **Footprint of a social worker**  Janice Brown  Social Worker  Hutt Valley District Health Board  Justin Gulliver  Social Worker  Capital & Coast District Health Board |
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| 18:00 - 22:00 | OSWANZ Conference Dinner Frogmore Creek, MAC 1, Hunter Street Hobart | | | |

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| Day 2  Friday 22 November 2019 | | | |
| 08:30 - 09:00 | Registration | | |
| 9:00 – 9:45 | **Keynote Presentation**  Dr Roya Pugh  Poet and Academic    Nick Hobbs  Senior Social Worker, Royal Hobart Hospital | | |
| 9:45 – 10:30 | **Keynote Presentation**  Prof Michael Ashby  Professor of Palliative Care, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Tasmania  Director of Palliative Care, Royal Hobart Hospital | | |
| 10:30 – 11:00 | Morning Tea | | |
| 11:00 – 12:30 | Concurrent Sessions | | |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | **Building efficacy in pediatric palliative and bereavement care. New Reflective learning resources: “walking alongside” and “conversation starters”**  Tim Rogers  Head of Professional Standards and Practice  Redkite | **Social Work pre-assessment for people receiving bone marrow transplant**  Justin Gulliver  Social Worker  Capital & Coast District Health Board | |
| 11:30 - 12:00 | **5c Morning tea group**  Tess Irwin-Hobbs  Social Worker  Queensland Health  Justine Brennan  Social Worker  Queensland Health | **Impressionism: Capturing feelings/experience**  Betsy Sajish  Senior Social Worker  Nepean Cancer Centre  Kim Hobbs  Clinical Specialist Social Worker  Westmead Hospital | |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | **What is the impact of Women’s gynaecological cancer on women’s identity and sexuality?**  Rachel Sheean  Nicola Wylie  Monica Star  Social Workers  Royal Women’s Hospital  Catherine Ludbrook  Lucy Pollerd  Mericar Gleich  Social Workers  Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre  Prof. Lynette Joubert  University of Melbourne | **Client Voices, ‘How easy access to support services can make a difference to the cancer experience’**  Raylene Cox  Director Cancer Prevention and Support Services  Cancer Council Tasmania | |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | Lunch | | |
| 13:00 – 13:30 | **Poster presentations**  Linh Tran Brooke Webb Tanya Alestalo  Social Worker Senior Social Worker Social Worker  Royal Hobart Hospital Monash Health Perth Children’s Hopsital  Dayna McKenzie  Social Worker  Queensland Children’s Hospital | | |
| 13:30 – 15:00 | Concurrent Sessions | | |
|  | Oral Presentations | | Workshop |
| 13:30 – 14:00 | **Exploring parenting focused supportive care for adult patients living with a poor prognosis: Implications for future practice**  Vera Steiner  University of Melbourne | | **TeMauri: An Indigenous cancer support programme in Aotearoa/New Zealand**  Tira Albert,  Manager, Mana Wahine  Janis Awatere  Social Worker  Pauline Wharerau  Facilitator  Lis Ellison-Locshmann  Researcher, Massey University |
| 14:00 – 14:30 | **Strengthening Connections in Pediatric Oncology – Partnering with consumers to improve service delivery**    Katie Lindeberg  Senior Social Worker  Queensland Children’s Hospital  Ruth Granata  Senior Social Worker  Queensland Children’s Hospital | |
| 14:30 – 15:00 | **The role of Music Therapy in a parent led parent support service**  Elena Schiena  Social Worker and Music Therapist  Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre  Stef Zappino  Social Worker and Music Therapist  Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre | |
| 15:00 – 15:30 | Afternoon Tea | | |
| 15:30 - 16:15 | **Keynote Presentation**  Dr Margaret E. Hughes  Social Worker, Grief and Loss Counsellor, Royal Hobart Hospital | | |
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| 16:30 - 18:00 | Complimentary drinks and social networking | | |

| Day 3  Saturday 23 November 2019 | | |
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| 8:00 - 9:00 | OSWANZ Annual General Meeting | |
| 8:30 - 9:00 | Registration | |
| 9:00 - 10:30 | **Keynote Presentation**  Tony Waller  Social Worker / Narrative Therapist | |
| 10:30 - 11:00 | Morning Tea | |
|  | Concurrent Sessions | |
| 11:00 - 12:30 | Workshop | Workshop |
|  | **Finding an audience to life: outsider-witness practices in oncology**  Cassandra Taylor  Psychosocial Team leader (ACT)  CanTeen Australia | **Meaning and Purpose Therapy**  Dr Carrie Lethborg  Manager – Inclusive Health Action Research St Vincent’s Health Australia  Senior Social Worker, St Vincent’s Hospital Melbourne |
| 12:30 - 13:00 | Closing | |
| 13:00 – 13:30 | Lunch | |