

Conference Program

Wednesday 19th November 2008 – Pre Conference Workshops

0730	Registration Open
0830 - 1230	Crispin Day State Ballroom 3 Family Partnership: Supporting Thoughtful And Effective Practice
0830 - 1700	Shaun Coade State Ballroom 1 Cultural Knowledge And Awareness
1300 - 1700	Susan McDonough State Ballroom 3 Treating Parent Infant Relationship Problems - Strategies For Intervention
1300 - 1700	Richard Fletcher State Ballroom 2 Father-inclusive Practise With Vulnerable Families: What Is It And How Do We Do It?
1500 - 1730	Early Registration Open

Thursday 20th November 2008 – Conference Day I

0730	Registration Open					
0830 - 0900	Grand Waldorf 1-4 Welcome To Country Official Conference Opening - Her Excellency Ms Quentin Bryce, Governor-General Of The Commonwealth Of Australia					
0900 - 0945	Grand Waldorf 1-4 International Keynote Susan McDonough The Impact Of Social And Family Factors On The Mental Health Outcomes For Young Children					
0945 - 1025	Grand Waldorf 1-4 Invited Australian Speaker Lynore Geia Capturing The Strengths: The Cultural Archaeology Of Vulnerable Aboriginal And Torres Strait Island Families					
1025 - 1055	Grand Waldorf 1-4 Invited Australian Speaker Louise Newman Getting In Early: Approaches To Interventions For High Risk Parents And Infants					
1055 - 1125	Morning Tea / Exhibition/ Posters					
1125 - 1150	Grand Waldorf 1-4 Invited Australian Speaker Richard Fletcher Reaching Out To Vulnerable Fathers: Why And How					
1150 - 1215	Grand Waldorf 1-4 Invited Australian Speaker Paul Ban Helping Families In Conflict Heal: Effective Use Of The Preparation Phase Of The Family Group Conference					
1215 - 1315	Lunch / Exhibition / Posters Informal Discussion Groups: Designated Topic Areas					
1315 - 1445	Concurrent Session I					
Theme	Engaging CALD & Indigenous Families Grand Waldorf 2	Engaging Fathers Grand Waldorf 4	Safety & Wellbeing Of Young Children Washington 1 & 2	Building Responsive & Resilient Communities Grand Waldorf 1 & 3	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Washington 3 & 4	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Belair Room
	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A) Lily Lee & Alana Douglas Engaging Diversity: A Therapeutic Framework For Working With Culturally Diverse And Indigenous Families And Their Children	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A) Christine Cooper Dads On Deck	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A) Valerie Green Mater Infant Parent Service	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A) Karen Myers Promoting Partnerships: Reflecting On Organisational And Clinical Practices	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A) Susan Rogers Evaluation Of The Queen Elizabeth Centre's Playsteps Program	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A) Ruth Griffiths Behind Closed Doors
	Paul Harnett, Moana Harlen, Sally Frye & Sharon Dawe The Parents Under Pressure Program: A Model Of Dissemination For Indigenous Communities	Graham Rankin The Dads Matter Project	Kerry Connolly Promoting Positive Mother-infant Interactions Where There Are Feeding Difficulties	Mary Kirk New Ways In An Old Organisation	Christeen Waring Enhancing Parent-child Interaction Through Play	Betty Rankin Transition To Parenthood: Supporting Families In The Perinatal Period
	Roberta Chavez & Rebecca Galea Sustaining Engagement With Aboriginal Families In Early Childhood Programs: The Experience Of A Non-Aboriginal, Non-Government Agency	Liz Mann & John Maddick See You At Bunnings: Engaging Dads In Dandenong	Kerrie Napoli & Sue Dicker New Pathways To Restoring Relationships	Sandra Mortimer & Sharon Worby-Hogben Building Relationships. The Key To Reorienting A Primary Health Service That Better Responds To Vulnerable Children And Families	Maggie Dent 10 Resilience Building Blocks For Children 0-12 From The Latest Book Real Kids In An Unreal World... release Date Sept 12th 2008	Kay Turner, Sandie Wong & Megan Turner Building Resilience: SDN Child And Family Resource Centre, A Model Of Effective Practice
	Marcus Stewart & Shaun Coade 'I'm An Aboriginal Dad': An Innovative Collaborative Community Based Program Aimed At Building The Capacity Of Indigenous Fathers In Growing Up Their Kids	Ann Johnson & Darren Varley Early Parenting Education: The Father's Perspective	Deborah Nemeth & Karen Willcocks Working With Adolescent Mothers In Custody: Promoting A New Future For Families	Sue Gardiner Creating The Environment Of Success	Meredith Kiraly, Cathy Humphreys, Rhona Noakes & Jim Oommen Infants In Care And Family Contact	Leanne Sheeran Women's Experiences Of Learning To Feed
1445 - 1515	Afternoon Tea / Exhibition / Posters					

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1515 - 1615 Concurrent Session 2						
Theme	Engaging CALD & Indigenous Families Grand Waldorf 2	Engaging Fathers Washington 1 & 2	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Grand Waldorf 4	Building Responsive & Resilient Communities Grand Waldorf 1 & 3	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Washington 3 & 4	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Belair Room
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	Karen Ingram Breastfeeding Peer Support Training CALD Mothers	Catherine Flynn & Lesley Hewitt Engaging Fathers: Reflecting On Learning From Research And Practice	Lynn Priddis, Gail Wells & Kathie Dore Promoting Reflective Parenting And Parallel in a Community Agency	Crispin Day & Paul Harnett Managing Child Safety Issues Effectively: Improving Certainty With Complex Families	Dy Loveday Improving Safety And Care: Working With Families Who Are At Risk	Campbell Paul Working With Infants Whose Parents Have Major Mental Illness
	Robyn Howarth A Breastfeeding Study Focusing On Women From An Arabic Speaking Background In Rural Victoria	Kate Teggelove & Helen Efron Fathers Too: Reporting The Experience And Outcomes Of A Father-Inclusive Practice Pilot Within The Sing & Grow Early Intervention Music Therapy Project			Andrea Carrington The Grass Roots Approach, Community Bubs And Keith St	Belinda Horton Building Sustainable Group Programs For Women With Perinatal Depression
	Virginia Dods To Interpret Or Translate, Is It That Simple?	Rob Koch What Produces A Paradigm Shift In 'Mere Males' To Become 'Devoted Dads'?			Jennifer Ericksen Community Hugs: A Specialist Playgroup, Focusing On The Interaction Between Mother And Infant. Experiences Of Moving Beyond The Specialist Setting	Emma Baldock Relaxing Into Parenting A Primary Health Early Intervention Program To Reduce Anxiety In The Transition To Parenting

1615 - 1620 Short Break

1620 - 1720 Concurrent Session 3

Theme	Engaging CALD & Indigenous Families Washington 1 & 2	Engaging Father Grand Waldorf 4	Building Responsive & Resilient Communities Grand Waldorf 2	Building Responsive & Resilient Communities Grand Waldorf 1 & 3	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Washington 3 & 4	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Belair Room
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	Sally Regan & Kathryn Voutier Supporting Newly Arrived Refugee And Humanitarian Entrant Families	Heather Rowe PEPP: An Innovative Postpartum Mental Health Promotion Program; Evidence Of Best Practice In Engaging Fathers	Mary Crowley Reaching Parents Who Do Not Access Services	Ingrid Ioannidis Social Emergency Team (S.E.T) Decreasing Violence: Increasing Communication To Address The Safety Needs Of Staff Working With Complex Social Issues	Hanan Sukkar & Olivia Watchman The Parent-Child Mother Goose Program: A Case Study Of A Family-Centred Early Intervention Literacy Initiative	Kirsty Evans & Claire Powell Using Evidence To Ensure Effective Decision Making
	Christine Heuston Linking Refugees Into The Maternal And Child Health Service In Dandenong	Kerry Judd, Linda Sawyer & Angela Ross Letting Fathers In: Mother-Baby Or Infant-Parent?		John Lawrence Empowering Organisational Change: Change Management In The Bush	Melanie Field-Pimm Early Intervention Approaches To Understanding And Supporting Children Of Offenders	Patsy Quealy & Lesley Shanley Messenger Mums Caring For Families On-line
		Paul Prichard Linking With Dads Before Baby Arrives		Angela Armstrong-Wright The Great Divide		Jane Fisher PEPP: An Innovative Universal Psycho-Educational Postpartum Program Promotes Maternal Confidence In Infant Care

1720 - 1820 Welcome Reception

Friday 21st November 2008 – Conference Day 2

0800 Registration Open

0830 - 1000 Concurrent Session 4

Theme	Engaging CALD & Indigenous Families Grand Waldorf 2	Building Responsive & Resilient Communities Washington 1 & 2	Safety & Wellbeing Of Young Children Belair Room	Building Responsive & Resilient Communities Grand Waldorf 1 & 3	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Grand Waldorf 4	Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health Washington 3 & 4
	30 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	30 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	30 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	Workshop 0830 - 1000		30 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)
	Claire Jennings & Sarah Prescott Reading Discovery: Evidence Based Pre-literacy Program For Indigenous/Vulnerable Families	Ann Hindell & Creina Mitchell Advanced Nursing Practices	Melinda Polimeni The Validity And Implications Of Parenting Capacity Assessments For Parents In Vulnerable Circumstances	Paul Ban Helping Families In Conflict Heal: Effective Use Of The Preparation Phase Of The Family Group Conference	Carol Bennett Beyond Baby Blues: Tackling Ante And Postnatal Depression (1 hour session)	Sue Williams The Enhanced Maternal And Child Health Program: Utilizing An Infant Mental Health Approach
	Nella Arthur & Aunty Rose Bamblett Engaging Indigenous Families: Creative Service Models As Frameworks To Successfully Engage Families Koonie Playgroup Kits	Hettie Dubow The Parent Infant Mental Health Initiative: Keeping The Baby In Mind When The Parent Has A Serious Mental Illness	Sean O'Donohue 'Don't Throw The Baby Out With The Bathwater': Child Protection And Unborns: Practice Issues & Implications			Janet Little The Promotion Of Parental Self-Efficacy During The Vulnerable Second Year: Within The Maternal And Child Health Program In The Municipality Of Bayside
	Hema Duff & Megan Clark-ash Stories Of Our Own: Learning Through Modelling. A Structured Playgroup Model Using Culturally Appropriate Books To Successfully Engage Indigenous Families And Enhance The Skills Of The Facilitators	Deborah Nemeth & Julie Maddox Developing A Language We Can All Understand: Supporting Families And Clinicians By Removing Confusion Around Sleep And Settling Terminology	Wendy Aspery & Vicki Blight Protecting The Safety And Wellbeing Of Vulnerable Families In Sydney South West Area Health Service		Melissa Faulkner 25 Years Of Child Abuse And Neglect Data From The Royal Children's Hospital, Brisbane; Abuse Trends And Associated Demographic Variables (30 minutes session)	Nichole Russell & Ann O'Doherty Imagination Magic

1000 - 1030 Morning Tea / Exhibition / Posters

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1030 - 1130 Concurrent Session 5						
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	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	Workshop 1030 - 1130	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)
	Myfanwy McDonald & Liz Mann Utilisation Of Maternal And Child Health Services In The City Of Greater Dandenong: Engaging And Working With Vulnerable Families	Kerry Hodge & Rebekah Grace Beliefs Of Early Childhood Professionals About Vulnerable Culturally Diverse Families: What Do We Know And Need To Know?	Jennifer Crimmins The Impact Of Community Child Health Engagement: Child Protection Outcomes For Children Of Substance Using Mothers	Ruth Schmidt Neven Building Relationships And Resilience For Emotional Well-being	Susan McDonough The Therapeutic Relationship In Interaction Guidance	Katy Curtis Including Infants
	Renee Bonnici The Communication And Language Assistance Program Reaching At Risk Communities	Jessica Waters & Monica Vasquez Links To School A Collaborative Service To Promote School Readiness	Jeanine Young Sleeping Babies Safely: Consistent And Collaborative Approaches To Reduce Preventable Deaths	Gaye Mitchell Practice Research: Building Better Practice, Deeper Knowledge, More Confident Staff And A Learning Culture		Rita Goodman & Jo Garton Paint The West Read: Mental Health Promotion In South West Queensland
	Sheryl Sidery & Jhan Leach The Culturally And Linguistically Diverse (CALD) Mothers' Art, Health And Wellness Group	Sue Dockett "I Hated School. I Don't Want Her To Be The Same": Families With Complex Support Needs And The Transition To School	Natalie Duma & Jill Green Working Together To Reduce The Risk Of SIDS And Fatal Infant Sleeping Accidents In Vulnerable Families	Jane Caldwell A Critical Ethnomethodological Study Recognizing Parenting Strengths In Vulnerable Families		Jane Hancel Nurturing The Spirit Of Childhood
1130 - 1135	Short Break					
1135 - 1235 Concurrent Session 6						
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	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)	20 Minutes Each (Inc Q & A)
	Silvia Mikhail & Otha Akoch Multicultural Development Unit: A Multi-focal Approach To Engaging CALD Families	Karen Scobell Good Practice In Child And Family Welfare Services For Aboriginal Children, Young People And Families Case Studies And Learnings From The Centre For Excellence Monograph	Kimberley Flanagan & Angela Forbes Family Services Policy Into Practice	Leanne Sheeran & Angela Wallis Building A Responsive And Resilient Organisational Culture: A Case Study Of The Mitchell Shire MCH Service	Lynne Bishop & Kerryn Blackshaw Promoting Positive Maternal And Infant Health Outcomes In An Enhanced Maternal And Child Health Program	Leanne Lewis & Delwyn Carpenter The Raphael Centre, St John Of God Hospital Berwick, Victoria: Enhancing Parent And Infant Mental Health
	Cathy Grove & Rosemary Stewart QEC Parenting Plus Program Evaluation	Julian Grant Putting The 'Multi' Back Into 'Culture' In Child And Family Health Nursing	Gaye Mitchell, Stacey Maric & Tersia Kirsten Keeping Mother And Baby Safe: In-Home Family Services Practice With Families With High Risk Infants: Achievements And Challenges	Melissa Coutts & Tony Robinson Mytime Peer Support For Families Of A Child With A Disability Of Chronic Medical Condition: Creating Opportunities For Families To Share	Anthony Raitman The Maternal And Child Health Response To Family Violence	Ben Bradley & Jane Selby Group Relations In The First Year: New Understandings Of Infant Psychopathology And Its Treatment
	Judith Keller & Janine Regan Growing Stronger Together: Working With CALD Families To Create Supportive, Sustainable Community Owned Playgroups					Michelle Bampfield The Use Of Critical Incident Stress Debriefing With Parents With Infants In The Neonatal Unit Who Have Experienced An Unexpected Traumatic Event At/Or Shortly After Delivery
1235 - 1335	Lunch / Exhibition / Posters					
1335 - 1420	Grand Waldorf 1-4 International Keynote Crispin Day Working Effectively To Support Families Who Have Multiple Needs: Recent Developments In The Family Partnership Approach					
1420 - 1450	Grand Waldorf 1-4 International Keynote Mary Crowley Transforming The Parenting Workforce In England: Reaching Vulnerable Families					
1450 - 1520	Afternoon Tea / Exhibition / Posters					
1520 - 1550	Grand Waldorf 1-4 Invited Australian Speaker Leigh Gassner Dedication And Desire, Is It Enough?					
1550 - 1620	Grand Waldorf 1-4 Invited Australian Speakers Robyn Miller & Michael Naughton Promoting Positive Outcomes For All Children: A Best Interest Case Practice Model					
1620 - 1650	Grand Waldorf 1-4 Panel Discussion Speakers: Crispin Day, Louise Newman, Paul Ban, Leigh Gassner, Lynore Geia, Susan McDonough, Mary Crowley, Robyn Miller, Michael Naughton Discussant: Campbell Paul					
1650 - 1700	Conference Close					

POSTERS

Engaging CALD & Indigenous Families

Paula Barrett: Building Emotional Resilience in Children and Adolescents

Safety & Wellbeing of Young Children

Melissa Faulkner: Re-Evaluating Health Service Provisions to Children in Out of Home Care Findings from Preliminary Child Health Passport Research in North Brisbane, Australia

Promoting Maternal & Infant Mental Health

Paul Harnett & Sally Frye: The Time for Grandparents Program: Help for Grandparents Raising Grandchildren

Sue Williams: 'Will I See This Mother Again?': A Study of the Nurse/Mother Relationship in the Maternal and Child Health Consultation

Jane Caldwell: Enhanced Home Visiting: Promoting a Focus on Children in the Early Years

Pat Galante: Creative Art: Therapeutic Intervention Monash Mother and Baby Unit