

Dementia Care & Research Morning Briefing NSW 2022

23 November 2022

 Rydges World Square, NSW

Delivering quality dementia care through education intervention and enhanced workforce capability

Attend this summit and learn how to:



Address the **recommendations** outlined in the **Royal Commission into Aged Care Quality and Safety Report**



How the **COVID-19 pandemic** is **transforming** workforce capability



Explore **strategies** to implement effective **dementia support pathways**



Re-build trust within the **healthcare home care & aged care sector**



Explore the **latest development** in dementia research

KEY SPEAKERS



David Sykes
Director, Centre for
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Dementia Australia



Marie Alford
Head of Dementia
Professional Services,
Dementia Centre
HammondCare



Tamar Krebs
Founder & Executive
Director
Group Homes
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Thomas Kramer
Director of
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Kuda Sozinyu
Executive General
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James Vickers
Director
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Agenda

Wednesday, 23 November 2022



8.00 Registration, Networking and Coffee

9.00 Opening and Welcome Remarks

Visharadha Peters, Director, NextWave Events
Rachael Wass, CEO, Meaningful Ageing Australia

9.10 Panel Discussion: Future of Dementia Care - Overcoming current challenges to ensure quality support for the future of dementia care

- Exploring strategies to develop, support and strengthen the knowledge and skills of our current workforce to deliver quality dementia care.
- Assessing effective strategies to overcome the excessive pressure on the healthcare and aged care system post-pandemic.
- Re-building trust within the health care and aged care sector to ensure a strengthened integrated dementia care system is in place.
- Re-defining innovation in dementia care - what does the future of dementia care look like?
- Exploring the desire to stay at home longer and reducing pressure on the health care system.

1. Chairperson: Rachael Wass, CEO, Meaningful Ageing Australia

2. Marie Alford, Head of Dementia Professional Services, Dementia Centre, **HammondCare**

3. Tamar Krebs, Founder & Executive Director, **Group Homes Australia**

4. Thomas Kramer, Director of Residential Care, **Montefiore**

9.50 Building your workforce dementia capability

- Key factors that contribute to developing a strong workforce that is competent & confident in dementia care delivery
- Highlighting existing & new programs available to providers through DTA and Dementia Australia to implement practice change
- Best dementia practices to coach & mentor staff

David Sykes, Director, Centre for Dementia Learning, **Dementia Australia**

10.30 Fireside Chat - Making Change Happen

Nell Hawe, Dementia Advocate, **Dementia Australia**
Rachael Wass, CEO, Meaningful Ageing Australia

10.45 Exhibitor Tour

Hear from our amazing sponsor exhibitors and learn more about their products & services!

11.00 Speed Networking Session

Let the professional speed dating begin! Delegates will be in pairs and have one minute to share their insights with one another.

11.10 Morning Tea & Networking

11.40 Panel Discussion: Transforming research in dementia to unlock continuous improvement

- Addressing the current landscape in dementia research - what does the future of dementia research look like?
- Exploring education as an intervention in dementia research
- Discussing a wide range of latest research and technologies enabling continuous improvement

1. Chairperson: Rachael Wass, CEO, Meaningful Ageing Australia

2. Steve Macfarlane, Head of Clinical Services, The Dementia Centre, **HammondCare**

3. Kuda Sozinyu, Executive General Manager, **The Pioneers Lodge**

4. Muireann Irish, Professor of Cognitive Neuroscience, **University of Sydney**

5. Lee-Fay Low, Professor in Ageing & Health, **University of Sydney**

12.10 Spotlight Session - Educational Interventions for Dementia

- Innovative approaches to education about dementia to transform care
- Value of further education in reducing risk of dementia
- Educational tools to tackle dementia risk at the population level

James Vickers, Director, **Wicking Dementia Research and Education Centre**

12.30 Closing Remarks & End of Briefing