FALLS PREVENTION NETWORK FORUM 2016 - DRAFT PROGRAM

THEME: Share the care- prevent a fall

DATE: Friday May 20th VENUE: Wesley Conference Centre, 220 Pitt Street, Sydney

WELCOME AND OPENING (9.00 – 9.20 am) Chairperson: Prof Stephen Lord

Welcome to Country: 9.05 – 9.10 am: Ms Millie Ingram, Wyanga Aboriginal Aged Care Program

OPENING (9.10 - 9.20 am) – Ms Carrie Marr, Chief Executive Officer, Clinical Excellence Commission

PLENARY SESSION 1 (9.20 am -10.30 am) Chairperson: Ms Lorraine Lovitt

9.20 am Pam Albany Guest Lecturer: Professor Cathie Sherrington, Deputy Director, Musculoskeletal Division, The George Institute for Global Health

Exercise for falls prevention: evidence update and implementation challenges

9.50 am Prof Stephen Lord, Senior Principal Research Fellow, Falls & Balance Research Group, NeuRA

Falls Prevention research update

10.20 – 10.30 am Question Time

Morning Tea (10.30am -11.00am)

PLENARY SESSION 2 (11.00 am – 12.50 pm) Chairperson: Prof Cathie Sherrington

11.00 am Dr Lara Harvey, NHMRC Early Career Research Fellow, Falls and Injury Prevention Group, NeuRA

Fall-related injury in people with dementia

11.30 am Professor Susan Kurrle, Geriatrician, Hornsby Ku-ring-gai Hospital and Curran Chair in Health Care of Older People, Faculty of Medicine, University of Sydney.

Dementia Collaborative research projects

12.00 noon Ms Lorraine Lovitt, Leader, NSW Falls Prevention Program, Clinical Excellence Commission

Overview of April falls Day*/Month activities

12.30 – 12.40 pm Question time

Lunch (12.40 pm -1.30 pm)
AFTERNOON CONCURRENT SESSIONS (1.40 -3.00 pm):

Acute/Subacute Care

Chairperson: Ms Anthea Temple, Manager, Acute Care Taskforce, Agency for Clinical Innovation

1.30 pm  Ms Kylie Wright, Quality and Accreditation Manager, Liverpool Hospital  
*EPIC (Excellent Practice in Communication) –A Joanna Briggs Clinical handover project*

1.50 pm  Mr Andrew Wong, Physiotherapist, and Ms Pauline Vueti, ASET CNC, Fairfield Hospital, South Western Sydney LHD  
*The effect of an ASET intervention on length of stay and re-presentation to the ED*

2.10 pm  Dr Joanne Rowley, CNC Research, Coffs Harbour Health Campus and Senior Lecturer Nursing, Southern Cross University  
*Falls monitoring: maintaining safe environments*

2.30 pm  Ms Karen Longworth, CHOPs Program Lead, Coffs Harbour Health Campus  
*CHOPs at COFFS- Redesigning Cognitive Care to decrease falls*

2.50 pm  Discussion and Question Time

Dementia Care Update

Chairperson: Ms Sharon Butler, Better Balance Leader, Anglican Retirement Villages

1.30 pm  Ms Jackie Wesson, Occupational Therapist and PhD student, Fall and Injury Prevention Group, NeuRA  
*‘Falls prevention outside the box’. Creative interventions for people living with dementia*

1.50 pm  Ms Cath Bateman, Project Officer, Aged Health Network, ACI  
*Dementia Delirium Volunteer training*

2.10 pm  Ms Vicki Deane, CNE, Acute Aged Care Units, Liverpool Hospital  
*Improving delirium risk screening and assessment in Aged Care Units*

2.20 pm  Ms Anne Axam, Program Manager, Clinical Excellence Commission  
*TOP 5 Phase 2*

2.30 pm  Dr Morag Taylor, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, NHMRC ARC Dementia Research Development Scheme, NeuRA  
*Home-based exercise improves balance in older people with dementia*

2.50 pm  Discussion and Question Time
Exercise Update

Chairperson: Ms Jayne James, Manager, Healthy Ageing Programs, Prince of Wales Community Health, South Eastern Sydney LHD

1.30 pm  Ms Caroline Lukaszyk, Project Manager & Ms Julieann Coombes, Aboriginal Research Officer, The George Institute for Global Health
           *The Ironbark fall prevention program for older Aboriginal people: initial outcomes*

1.50 pm  Ms Jennie Hewitt, Physiotherapist, Feros Residential Care
           *Exercise for falls prevention in RACF*

2.10 pm  Mr Matthew Williams OACCP Co-ordinator, RNSH, Ms Danella Hackett OACCP Coordinator Fairfield Hospital,
           *Falls Prevention: a positive effect of the Osteoarthritis Chronic Care Program (OACCP)*

2.30 pm  Niccola Follett, Falls Prevention Coordinator Southern NSW LHD
           *Investing in community falls prevention strategies: an integrated approach*

2.50 pm  Discussion and Question time

CONCLUDING SESSION (3-4 pm):

New Research Update

Chairperson: Prof Stephen Lord, NeuRA

3.00 pm  Dr Anne Tiedemann, The George Institute for Global Health
           *NHMRC – Health and exercise professional education RCT*

3.15 pm  Dr Kim Delbaere, Research Fellow, Neuroscience Research Australia
           *EU-FP7 project, iStoppFalls - home-based exergames to prevent falls in older people*

3.30 pm  Prof Lindy Clemson, Dr Amy Tan, (University of Sydney):
           *NHMRC, iSolve project, to establish processes and pathways between general practice, allied health services and fall prevention programs.*

3.45 pm  Discussion and Question Time

NB This is a draft program and is subject to change, a final program will be available closer to the Forum date.