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8.30 am	REGISTRATION/ARRIVAL TEA/COFFEE
9.00 am	<p>OPENING SESSION - Wesley Theatre Chairperson: To be confirmed WELCOME TO COUNTRY Aunty Joan Bell</p>
9.10 am	<p>OPENING Dr Harvey Lander</p>
9.20 am - 10.20 am	<p>PLENARY SESSION 1 Chairperson: To be confirmed</p>
9.20 am	<p><i>Pam Albany Guest Lecture</i> Preventing falls in care homes Prof Pip Logan</p>
9.50 am	<p>Preventing falls in nursing homes - Australian perspectives Dr Rik Dawson</p>
10.20 am	MORNING TEA, TRADE EXHIBITS & POSTERS DISPLAY
11.00 am - 12.10 pm	<p>PLENARY SESSION 2 - Wesley Theatre Chairperson: To be confirmed</p>
11.00 am	<p><i>Dementia prevention, practical risk reduction</i> Prof Ruth Peters</p>
11.30 am	<p>Reactive balance training: from research into practice Dr Yoshiro Okubo</p>
11.50 am	<p>Working with people from CALD communities to reduce falls Prof Cathy Said</p>
12.10 pm	LUNCH, TRADE EXHIBITS & POSTER SESSION
1.10 pm	Afternoon Concurrent Sessions (refer to next page)
3.00 pm	BREAK
3.05 pm	<p>CONCLUDING SESSION - Wesley Theatre Chairperson: To be confirmed <i>Research Update</i> Prof Kim Delbaere</p>
3.25 pm	Panel Discussion featuring plenary speakers and Prof Stephen Lord
3.55 pm	Feedback surveys
4.00 pm	CLOSE

1.10 pm - 3.00pm AFTERNOON CONCURRENT SESSIONS

A. HOSPITAL CARE - Wesley Theatre Chairperson: To be confirmed	B. COMMUNITY- Smith Room Chairperson: To be confirmed	C. AGEING SERVICES - Lyceum Chairperson: To be confirmed
1.10 pm: <i>Barriers and facilitators to supported implementation of multicomponent fall prevention interventions in hospital: a qualitative study</i> Charlotte McLennan (PhD student, University of Sydney)	1.10 pm: <i>Implementing Post-Fall Huddles in a Community setting</i> Belinda Marshall (Physiotherapist, Transitional Aged Care Program, Prince of Wales Community Health)	1.10 pm: <i>Co-creating an optimal implementation model for digital health solutions into community aged care: The implementation of an eHealth fall prevention program</i> Dr Meghan Ambrens (Post-doc, FBRIC, NeuRA)
1.25 pm: <i>Don't Fall for it!</i> Karlee Mueller (CNC Comprehensive Care, Prince of Wales Hospital, SESLHD)	1.25 pm: <i>Availability of Falls Prevention Programs for diverse communities in Greater Sydney: A Gap Analysis</i> Fatemeh Abdi (MPhil candidate at UNSW, Podiatrist)	1.25 pm: <i>Improving healthcare delivery to older patients following an ambulance call-out: Implementing an evidence-based approach to prevent falls and reduce frailty</i> Dr Meghan Ambrens (Post-doc, FBRIC, NeuRA)
1.40 pm: <i>FACIT (Falls and Cognitive Impairment Team)</i> Karlee Mueller (CNC Comprehensive Care, Prince of Wales Hospital, SESLHD)	1.40 pm: <i>Systematic Review of Socioeconomic Position and Falls Among Middle- and Older-Aged Adults</i> Frerik Smit (Graduate Student, Sydney School of Public Health, USYD)	1.40 pm: <i>Reducing Malnutrition and Frailty Risk: The Impact of Dietitian Intervention in a Multidisciplinary Geriatric Service</i> Taylah Pepper (Dietitian, Centre for STRONG Medicine, Concord Hospital)
1.55 pm: <i>Enhancing Patient Safety and Reducing falls in a Medical Inpatient Unit: A Collaborative Approach.</i> Margie Fletcher (CNC Neurology, Medicine Services, Central Coast)	1.55 pm: <i>Falls Service Camperdown</i> Adam Buckingham (Physiotherapist, RPA Hospital, Sydney LHD)	1.55 pm: <i>Development and testing of a system dynamic model to project the health and economic impact of fall prevention initiatives in the community and aged care facilities</i> Dr Marina Pinheiro (Senior Research Fellow, School of Public Health, Faculty of Medicine and Health)
2.10 pm: <i>Transforming Falls Prevention with Digital FRAMP: A Collaborative Innovative partnership between SLHD/SWSLHD</i> Wendy Tilden (SLHD Falls Coordinator) and Shereen Ivy Gacayan (SWSLHD Safety Culture Coordinator)	2.10 pm: <i>Protocol for Adapting and Implementing a Structured Priority-setting Process for Fall Prevention Research in Australia: A Stakeholder-Driven Approach</i> Melody Leung (PhD Student, School of Public Health, Institute for Musculoskeletal and Health, USYD)	2.10 pm: <i>Caring for patients with changed behaviours</i> Sue Tripney (Diversional Therapist, Gloucester Health Service)
2.25 pm: <i>A Senior Level Review and Response Process for Inpatients having repeat falls</i> Samantha Aspinall (Nurse Unit Manager) and Jeena Joseph (Clinical Nurse Educator)	2.25 pm: <i>Stepping On With Recovery</i> Natalie Narunsky (Occupational Therapist, OPMH, SESLHD)	
2.40 pm: <i>You cannot change what you don't know - Falls Prevention at Bankstown Hospital</i> Dani Bui (Patient Safety Manager) and Sarah Massey (Director of Nursing & Midwifery Services)	2.40 pm: <i>Stepping On Falls Prevention Program- Priority Population</i> Queeny Stafford and Nadia Williams (Stepping On Coordinator)	2.40 pm: <i>Fall Prevention for People with Cerebral Palsy</i> Prof Pip Logan (Co-Director, STARS Education and Research Alliance and Professor of Occupational Therapy)

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