

### Upcoming Trainings

In the month of October, the Research Directorate will be hosting 2 workshops; Questionnaire/Survey Design and Presentation Skills. And a Grant Writing Workshop in November. Due to overwhelming demand, the Questionnaire/Survey Design workshop is at full capacity. The next available workshops are:

- **Presentation Skills**, Dr Andrew Knight – 26 October 2022.
- **Grant Writing**, Professor Bruce Neal, Dr Christopher Blair, Professor Christine Catling, Professor Sarah Dennis – 1 November 2022, 12-2pm (Co-hosted by Maridulu Budyari Gumal SPHERE)

For further information and to register, please visit:

<https://www.swslhd.health.nsw.gov.au/ethics/workshops.html>

If you have an idea for a future workshop, please contact us via email at [SWSLHD-ResearchDirectorate@health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:SWSLHD-ResearchDirectorate@health.nsw.gov.au) or check the webpage for workshops as they become available.



### Health Beyond Research and Innovation Showcase Online Seminar Series

The next instalment of the Showcase will be held on 26 October 2022 showcasing the *BestSTART to Life in South West Sydney (SWS) Academic Unit*, chaired by Professor Valsa Eapen.

The Showcase includes presentations from A/Prof Elisabeth Murphy, program leads and the BestSTARTs contribution to strengthening Research Capacity in SWS. To register or watch past sessions, please visit:

<https://healthbeyondshowcase.org.au/>

### Open access now mandated by NHMRC

The NHMRC announced a notable update of its Open Access Policy: All scholarly publications arising from research it has funded will now be immediately and freely available on publication. Items also have to be published with an open licence, allowing them to be used and shared.

The full policy is online at <https://www.nhmrc.gov.au/about-us/publications/nhmrc-open-access-policy-2022> The Policy includes sections on sharing research data, and on patents.

The Commission also announced that it has joined the international consortium coalition which promotes open access to research results <https://www.coalition-s.org/>.



**Presentation Skills**  
Key Speaker: Dr Andrew Knight  
**26 October 2022**  
**1:30 - 2:30 pm**

Presenting information clearly and effectively is a key skill in getting your message across. Dr Andrew Knight's workshop aims to provide early career researchers with the skills needed to present research findings in an engaging way. Be sure to not miss out!

Places are limited - **RSVP by 19th October**

Please email: [SWSLHD-ResearchDirectorate@health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:SWSLHD-ResearchDirectorate@health.nsw.gov.au) with subject line: **Registration for Presentation Skills**

Please advise your **name, department and contact details**, and you will receive a calendar invitation if you have been selected to attend. You may be waitlisted if there are no places available.

**REGISTER NOW THROUGH THE WEB LINK BELOW**

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### 2022 SWSLHD Allied Health Professionals Day Webinar

Celebrate International Allied Health Professions Day! Quality Care & Allied Health Research in Practice Webinar on **Thursday 13 October (10am-12:30pm)**.

With talks from; Prof. Joanne Travaglia (UTS), Prof. Justine Naylor (SWSLHD), Ms Robyn Barnes (SWSLHD), Ms Sandra Norris (SWSLHD) and Dr. Joanna Kidd (SWSLHD).

<https://tinyurl.com/2d9w58jd>

Meeting ID: 898 2562 9864

Password: 039521

Any enquiries can be directed to [pauline.beard@health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:pauline.beard@health.nsw.gov.au)



### GCP training session

Clinical Trials Support Unit is hosting ongoing Good Clinical Practice (ICH GCP) courses. There are options of attending the Introduction to GCP (for new staff working in clinical trials who have not previously completed a comprehensive GCP training) and Refresher GCP (for experienced clinical trial staff who have previously obtained GCP certification).

Upcoming sessions:

- **Introduction to GCP** - Friday 21-Oct-2022 at 10:00am-04:00pm – Campbelltown Hospital, Macarthur Clinical School (Face to Face)
- **Refresher GCP** – Friday 28-Oct-2022 at 01:00pm-03:30pm – Online via Teams

If you wish to attend any of these sessions, please email CTSU ([SWSLHD-ClinicalTrialsSupportUnit@health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:SWSLHD-ClinicalTrialsSupportUnit@health.nsw.gov.au)).

### Grant funding

Check out the list of current grant opportunities

<https://www.swslhd.health.nsw.gov.au/ethics/grants.html>



### SPHERE Implementation Science Strategic Platform - 2022 Translational Seed Funding Scheme EOI and Application

The 2022 Seed Funding scheme aims to support translational projects focusing on the implementation of evidence into clinical practice. The grant scheme aims to fund grants that can provide pilot data to inform larger implementation science/ Translational Research Grants (TRG's).

You can find the form here:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/16FZd4NeWPXuq-AQIoHZkTBILHUSMIxiIPfniHK9AB8Q/edit>

Closing: 24 October.

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