

State-wide MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

Conference Friday 22 April, 2016

Melbourne Exhibition and Convention Centre, 1 Convention Centre Place, South Wharf

Chaired by Ann Hindell, City of Whittlesea and Jenny Carr, Yarra City Council

Supporting and Strengthening Practice

9.00am	Opening - Statewide MCH Conference 2016
	Katy Haire, Deputy Secretary, Early Childhood and School Education Group
9.10 – 9.25am	Minister For Families And Children
	Minister For Youth Affairs
	Hon Jenny Mikakos MP
9.25 – 9.35am	MAV update - Maternal and Child Health Services
	Clare Hargreaves - Manager Social Policy, Municipal Association of Victoria
9.35 – 9.45am	Principal Nurse Introduction
	Megan Leuenberger, Principal Maternal Child Health Nurse Advisor, Department of Education
	and Training
9.45 – 10.05am	No Jab, No Play
	Steve Pellissier, Senior Project Manager, Department of Health and Human Services
10.05 – 10.25am	Professional Self Care
	Lynette Mitchell, Laughter for Living
10.25 –10.55am	Morning Tea – opportunity to browse the stalls
10.55 - 11.40am	Jaundice in Infants
	Dr Gillian Opie, Neonatal Paediatrician, IBCLC, Mercy Hospital for Women
11.40 – 11.55am	Child Protection Permanency for Children Changes
	Beth Allen, Assistant Director, Child Protection, Department of Health and Human Services
11.55am – 12.40pm	Identification of Children at Risk
	Tracy Beaton, Director of the Office of Professional Practice, Chief Practitioner of Human Services
	Dr Anne Smith, Medical Director of VFPMS, Royal Children's Hospital
12.40 – 12.55pm	Professional Self Care
	Jeandanielle Evans, MCH Coordinator, Macedon Ranges Shire Council
12.55 – 1.40 pm	Lunch Break – opportunity to browse the stalls
1.40 – 2.10pm	Sustaining Improved Family Violence Practice Among MCH Nurse Teams
	Professor Angela Taft, Director, Judith Lumley Centre, La Trobe University
	Leesa Hooker, former MOVE MCH co-ordinator
2.10 - 2.40pm	Enhancing Parenting
	Warren Cann, Psychologist and CEO, Parenting Research Centre
2.40 – 3.00pm	St Kilda Mums
	Jessica Macpherson, CEO, St Kilda Mums
3.00 – 3.10pm	Closing of the Conference
	John O'Shaughnessy, Manager, Nursing Services Unit, Prevention and Health Promotion Branch,
	Wellbeing Health and Engagement Division



