

Ahakoia he iti, he pounamu

Although small, it is precious • 13–14 August 2026 • Wintec Atrium, Hamilton

THURSDAY 13 AUGUST

PRE-MEETING WORKSHOPS

08:00–12:00	Pathophysiology behind FGR workshop	Judith Beattie
08:00–12:00	Haemodynamic POCUS workshop	Vinayak Kodur

WELCOME TO THE PSNZ ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING

11:30–12:30	Registration and trade exhibitors	
12:30–12:45	ASM opening (Kaitiaki) and President's welcome	Jutta van den Boom • Te Ariki Beattie • Alison Leota

SESSION ONE • AHAKOIA HE ITI, HE POUNAMU — FETAL GROWTH RESTRICTION

Chair: Ngaire Anderson

12:45–13:00	Welcome and opening	Ngaire Anderson • Melis- sa Paekau-McBride
13:00–13:40	Altered trajectory of neurodevelopment associated with fetal growth restriction and antenatal protection with melatonin	Suzanne Miller • Tegan White
13:40–14:00	FGR and the placenta	Jo James
14:00–14:20	Antenatal FGR	Judith Beattie • Rachel Taylor
14:20–14:40	Neonatal FGR diagnosis and investigation	Chris McKinlay
14:40–15:00	Q&A and case presentations	Ngaire Anderson

15:00–15:30 Afternoon tea and trade display viewing

15:30–15:50	Ultrasound guidelines	Jay Marlow
15:50–17:00	ABSTRACT SESSION ONE • OBSTETRICS	Chair: Beth Murrill
	Perinatal post-mortem in Aotearoa New Zealand: The National Perinatal Pathology Service eLearning Course	10 min Ainslee Jacobson
	Placental pathology by gestational age in South Asian perinatal death: an Aotearoa New Zealand cohort study	10 min Robin Cronin
	Neonatal outcomes in cohorts with and without fetal scalp lactate sampling: A retrospective observational study	10 min Krishin Cox
	Pharmacokinetics of oral misoprostol: optimising dosing for women with obesity requiring induction of labour	10 min Grace Lay
	Optimising induction of labour with oral misoprostol for women with BMI ≥ 30 kg/m ² : exploring the acceptability of a future clinical trial	10 min Jenny Robb
	Rationale for higher misoprostol dosing for women with BMI ≥ 30 kg/m ² undergoing induction of labour (IOL): a clinical observational study	3 min Jenny Robb
	An untapped clinical research workforce in Aotearoa New Zealand: Insights from a survey of midwives and nurses	3 min Robin Cronin
	Supporting mana motuhake (self-determination) in induction of labour decision-making	3 min Victoria Deschamps
	Numbers are the focus — women/wāhine report their experience with GDM	3 min Ruth Martis
17:00–19:00	Haemodynamics workshop: hands-on session Vinayak Kodur	Welcome function and networking Sponsored by Chiesi

08:00–08:20	Registration and trade exhibitors	
08:20–08:30	Day opening and welcome	Jutta van den Boom
SESSION TWO • NEONATAL		Chair: Joe Livingston
08:30–09:00	ELGAN	Miranda Bailey-Wild
09:00–09:30	PDA: to treat or not to treat — debate	
	For conservative management	Maria Saito-Benz
	For treatment	Vinayak Kodur
09:30–09:50	Joyful research: creating illustrations for retinopathy of prematurity whānau education	Lisa Kremer
09:50–10:10	CMV in the neonate	Ranu Anjali
10:10–10:20	Standard concentrations	Kerrie Knox
10:20–10:30	Breastfeeding medicine	Katie Fourie
10:30–11:00 Morning tea and trade display viewing		
SESSION THREE • OBSTETRICS		Chair: Rachel Taylor
11:00–11:30	Placental angiogenic biomarkers: clinical utility and potential to improve care for hāpū māmā in Aotearoa New Zealand	Ruth Hughes
11:30–11:50	How to engage and support Indian families	Heena Lakhdir
11:50–12:10	Melatonin and treatment options for FGR — title to be confirmed	Suzanne Miller • Tegan White

12:10–13:15	ABSTRACT SESSION TWO • NEONATAL		Chair: Adele Sullivan
	Enhancing immediate skin-to-skin in late preterm pēpi born via vaginal delivery: A Quality Improvement Initiative	3 min	Amy Raos
	How do different educational methods impact whānau wellbeing, decision-making and lived experiences in NICU? - An Integrative Review	3 min	Lilia Delgado Paramo
	What enablers and barriers influence breastmilk feeding in very preterm infants in Aotearoa New Zealand?	10 min	Lilia Delgado Paramo
	Human milk-derived versus bovine milk-derived fortifier for preterm infants: a systematic review and meta-analysis accounting for baseline feeding strategy	10 min	Luling Lin
	Vitamin concentrations in preterm infants — a scoping review	10 min	Anja Bronnert
	Predictors of neonatal stoma closure complications using Clavien–Dindo classification	10 min	Viha Vig
	Punctate white matter abnormality prevalence and severity on magnetic resonance imaging in moderate-late preterm babies	10 min	Nina Luo
13:15–14:00 Lunch and trade display viewing			
14:00–15:00	ABSTRACT SESSION THREE • OBSTETRICS		Chair: Robin Cronin
	Healthcare providers' attitudes and factors influencing shared decision-making implementation in maternity care: an umbrella review	3 min	Tahani Alruwaili
	Primary care providers' perspectives on barriers and enablers influencing preconception care provision for African migrant and refugee women: qualitative interviews	3 min	Beyene Adhena Meressa
	Barriers and enablers to preconception care use among African migrant and refugee women living in Victoria, Australia	3 min	Beyene Adhena Meressa
	Use and determinants of preconception care by African migrant and refugee women living in Victoria, Australia: A cross-sectional study	10 min	Beyene Adhena Meressa
	Recruitment strategies and challenges in a cohort study of pregnant women with a chronic medical condition in pregnancy	10 min	Imasha Jayasinge
	Maternal plasma one-carbon metabolites and adverse pregnancy outcomes: Findings from New Zealand SCOPE cohort	10 min	Sonia Khan
	An audit of the timing of planned caesarean section at Wellington and Hutt Hospital	10 min	Leah Bakker
	Reproductive risks associated with leptospirosis: gaps in guidance	10 min	Sahana Arumani
SESSION FOUR • WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD?			Chair: Joe Livingston
15:00–15:15	Neonatal Monograph Aotearoa New Zealand group	Kerrie Knox	
15:15–15:45	National nutrition guideline for preterm babies	Barbara Cormack	
15:45–16:15	Neonatal transport	Luci Gravatt	
16:15–16:30	Awards and President's farewell (includes trade display draw - must be present to win)	Jutta van den Boom	