



Draft Programme

20-22 May 2021

Southern Pearls and other highlights

Thursday 20 May - 5.00pm

March 2021
NEWSLETTER



WOMEN'S
HEALTH COLLEGE

NZNO

Friday - Dunedin Public Art Gallery

08.30 Welcome and Mihi

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 - 09.00-10.30 Amy Scott - local personality and Southern Pearl introduces communication styles and applying to the health system in a fun and interactive session
 - ❖ Conference 2021
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 - 1100-1145 Alison Stewart-Fiere - Current gems in Sexual Health
 - 1145-1230 Tash - founder of Talk Peach
 - 10.30-11.00 Morning Tea
 - 12.30-1.30 Lunch

CONFERENCE 2021 DUNEDIN:



The Dunedin team have been once again reorganising the WHC Conference. We have all got our fingers crossed that we will be on level one and it will go ahead. Please support the team and get your registrations in as soon as possible. There have been a few hiccups with getting the facilities up for registrations. It's all go now thanks for your patience.

Registrations are now open

Right click below and open hyperlink to register be

https://www.nzno.org.nz/groups/colleges_sections/colleges/womens_health_college/conferences_events

Women's Health College 2021 Conference

Southern Pearls and Other Hidden Gems



right click and open hyperlink below for program

https://www.nzno.org.nz/Portals/0/Files/Documents/Groups/Womens%20Health/Presentations/2021-03-05%20Final%20draft%20programme.pdf?ver=1X_ZDqQuiZnnkOr4WEubKA%3d%3d

Date: 20-22 May 2021

Venue: Dunedin Art Gallery, The Octagon, Dunedin

Conference costs:

- Early Bird Registration until 5 April 2021 - \$390
- \$440.00 for full registration for NZNO member,
- \$490.00 for a non-member.
- Friday registration (includes dinner) \$265 (member), \$315.00(non-member).
- Saturday registration \$220.00 (member) and \$270.00(non-member),
- Conference dinner \$100.00.

NURSE HYSTEROSCOPY UPDATE:



Kirsten Dunn & Kaye Mulligan from Christchurch Polytech (ARA) joined the committee via Zoom for a discussion re progression of the Nurse Hysteroscopist Education during our February meeting.

Next steps.

- A Final Draft of the Nurse Hysteroscopist standards to be sent Kaye Mulligan and Kirsten Dunn who will review and standardise wording. They will develop two courses from the standards.
- ARA need to cost the course.
- Proposed courses need reviewed by NZQA & NZNO

MEMBERSHIP:

Our membership at this present time is 522.

To qualify for an educational grant you need to be a member for 2 years.



EDUCATION FUND FEEDBACK

The relevance and worth to practice since Receiving the Women's Health College Fund.

Receipt of this fund was important on both a personal and professional level. On a personal level, the grant was enormously helpful from a financial perspective by enabling me to purchase the text books for both of my papers this year.

From a professional level, completing my Post Graduate Diploma has allowed me to complete a major step towards my Masters Qualification. The papers I have completed are:

- Physiology and Pathophysiology
- Assessment and Diagnostics
- Clinical Leadership
- Clinical Pharmacology

Not only is the knowledge I have learnt relevant to the women under my care on a daily basis, but it also prepares me for Senior Nursing roles within the service.

Working in womens' health is a unique area of nursing. As healthcare providers, we have the ability to improve health outcomes for women and their communities and whanau. Postgraduate study is enhancing my practice, which is improving the health outcomes of the women under my care, and also extending to other staff members/students when precepted by me/when acting as shift co-ordinator or Acting Charge Nurse Manager.

My resource role on the ward is for second trimester induction of labour for fetal demise. Throughout my studies, my essays, reports and research have all related to this area of practice, which has led to quality improvement from both a medical and emotional experience for women undergoing this process. Improved health and emotional outcomes lead to improved wellness outcomes for both women and their whanau.

I am grateful for and thank you for the support with this funding earlier in the year.

Kind regards

Christine Scott