

AOD Nurses forum: Toolkit Top-up 2022 – A selection of tips and tricks to support clinical practice

8 November 2022, 10:00 AM – 3:30 PM, Room 2.11, Level 2, Latrobe City Campus, 360 Collins Street (can also enter via Little Collins) Vic 3000

Registration & Morning Tea	9:30-10:00
Welcome and Acknowledgment of Country MC: Scott Drummond, Program Manager, VAADA	10:00-10:20
<i>The only way out is in: Addictions, Trauma, and Psychedelics</i> Dr Eli Kotler , Medical Director, Malvern Private Hospital; Adjunct Lecturer, Monash University School of Medicine MC: Daniel Eltringham	10:20-11:00
S-T-R-E-T-C-H B-R-E-A-K	11:00-11:15
<i>Kamini vidrawan ras: Emergence and implications of opiate-containing Ayurvedic medicine</i> Dr Thileepan Naren , GP and Addiction Medicine Advanced Trainee, Western Health MC: James Petty	11:15-12:00
Lunch	12:00-12:40
<i>Exploring a reduction in Needle and Syringe Program (NSP) use in the context of the introduction of a nurse practitioner-led long-acting injectable buprenorphine program</i> Teresa Strike , Addiction Medicine and Mental Health Nurse Practitioner, Central Gippsland Health Adam Searby , Health Research Fellow, School of Nursing and Midwifery, Deakin University MC: Scott Drummond	12:40-1:20
S-T-R-E-T-C-H B-R-E-A-K	1:20-1:30
<i>Medicinal cannabis: prescribing as a nurse practitioner for AOD clients</i> Simone O'Brien , Medical Cannabis Nurse practitioner MC: Michelle Pitcaithly	1:30-2:10
Closing Remarks MC: Adam Searby, President, Drug and Alcohol Nurses Australasia (DANA)	2:10-2:30
Networking and Nibbles	2:30-3:30

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