

**CARING | MP4 Kids**

**our kids + our families + ourselves**



***Thursday and Friday 7 and 8 June 2018***  
***Peppers (Craigieburn) Conference Centre Bowral***

## ***Registration Information***

### ***Invitation***

You are invited to the Southern Highlands to attend the Fifth Biennial Two-Day Conference for the MP4 network group (medical, nursing and allied health staff from level 4 metropolitan and outer metropolitan paediatric units in Sydney).

The theme for the conference is '*Caring – our kids, our families, ourselves*'.

The program will provide a variety of presentations aimed at improving the care we provide to our patients and their families, as well as improving the way we care for our colleagues and ourselves.

There will be great opportunities for networking with like-minded clinicians.

We warmly encourage you to join with colleagues at a lovely relaxing country venue and enjoy two days of learning and sharing of ideas.

Susie Piper and Bob Fonseca  
Co Chairs

### **Acknowledgements**



## OUR PROGRAM

(Subject to change)

### WEDNESDAY 6 JUNE

**2.00 -5.00pm** MP4 Executive Meeting - interested delegates welcome to attend

**7.00pm** Informal Pre-Conference Networking Dinner

### THURSDAY 7 JUNE

**9.00am** Welcome and Introduction

*Bob Fonseca and Susie Piper*

**9.30am** Keynote Presentation

**Super Power Baby Project** - The Impact of Language at  
Diagnosis – Effective Communication for Better Health  
Outcomes

*Rachel Callander*

**10.30am** Morning Tea

**11.00am** Clinical Updates

Neurology Pot Pourri: Something Old, Something New

*Annie Bye*

Clinical Genetics Update

*Rani Sanchez*

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*Laura Kelly*

Continuous Glucose Monitoring

*Maria Craig*

**1.00pm** Lunch

**2.00pm** Afternoon Sessions

Chief Paediatrician Insights

*Matt O'Meara*

**Panel Discussion**

Improving Communication Between SCHN and MP4 Units

*Joanne Ging, Michael Plaister, Lisa Altman*

**Workshop: Staying Connected When Emotions Run High**

Frameworks and Strategies for being an Optimal Resource to  
Patients and Carers in Distress

*Anne Marie Bickerton*

**5.00pm** Day Concludes

**6.30pm** Pre-Dinner Drinks

**7.00pm** Conference Dinner

## FRIDAY 8 JUNE

8.30am	<b>Keynote Presentation</b> <b>Workshop: Grace Under Pressure</b> <i>Stewart Dunn and Renee Lim</i>
10.00am	<b>Morning Tea</b>
10.30am	<b>Clinical Updates</b> Allergy /Immunology <i>Ana Dosen</i> Child Protection <i>Dmitra Tzoumi</i> Child Wellbeing <i>Rosemary Fitzgerald</i> Mental Health Patients in Children's Ward – the RNSH Journey - <i>Lauren Shumack</i> Feeding Difficulties in Infancy: An Allied Health Approach <i>Judith Pryke and Kylie Harris</i>
12.30pm	<b>Lunch</b>
1.30pm	<b>Afternoon Sessions</b> Mentoring and Supervision for Professionals <i>Con Papdopoulos</i> Interactive (V) E-learning of Clinical Skills" <i>Bob Fonseca</i> Allied Health Feedback from Service Mapping in LHD's <i>Jenny Nicol</i> MP4 Activity Update <i>Rob Slade</i> Wrap up / Summation / Future Directions for MP4 <i>Bob Fonseca and Susie Piper</i>
3.30pm	<b>Meeting Close</b>

### Keynote Presenters

#### **Rachel Callander**

*Rachel is an internationally celebrated author and photographer and the mother of a girl with a rare chromosomal condition. Her insights and images challenge the language we use when speaking with families about diagnosis and disability.*

#### **Renee Lim**

*Renee is an Australian actor, television presenter and medical doctor. She is the Director of Programs at the Pam McLean Centre, an organisation that develops communication training for health professionals.*

#### **Stewart Dunn**

*Stewart is a medical psychologist specialising in the psychological care of cancer patients and their families. He has a research and teaching interest in doctor-patient communication.*

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

### Registration Fees

Category	Early Bird Closes 1 May	Standard	One Day
Staff Specialist	\$800.00	\$900.00	\$450.00
VMO / Medical Trainee	\$600.00	\$700.00	\$350.00
Nursing / Allied Health	\$300.00	\$400.00	\$175.00

### Full Registration includes

Sessions, morning and afternoon teas, lunches and Thursday evening dinner

### One Day includes:

Sessions, morning and afternoon tea and lunch

### Wednesday Evening Casual Dinner

For delegates arriving on the Wednesday evening, you are welcome to join the MP4 Executive and Presenters for dinner at Peppers.

**The cost is \$70 per person**

To register for the meeting and casual dinner - please log on to

**[www.trybooking.com/UMJC](http://www.trybooking.com/UMJC)**

Registrations will be acknowledged and receipted.

## ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation has been secured at a discounted rate at  
Peppers Craigieburn Conference Centre

The rate per room per night is \$189 single including one breakfast or \$209 twin share including breakfast for two persons.

Accommodation bookings are to be made via the following:

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Website: [www.peppers.com.au/craigieburn/](http://www.peppers.com.au/craigieburn/)

Please advise that you are attending the MP4Kids Conference when booking.

All bookings will need to be paid for by credit card

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