



Announcement and Call for Abstracts

Full Day Conference

“Improving the Health of Older People”

Brisbane Diamantina Health Partners (BDHP) in collaboration with the UQ School of Psychology’s Centre for Healthy Outcomes, Innovation and Clinical Education (CHOICE); the UQ Ageing Mind Initiative (AMI) and Metro South Hospital and Health Service are proud to announce a one day conference in August 2018: “Improving the Health of Older People”.

DATE: Friday 3 August 2018

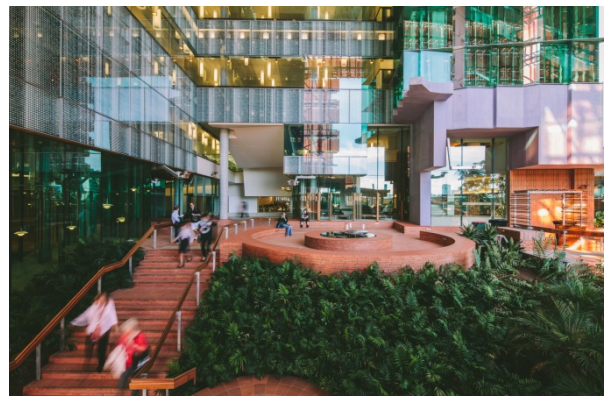
TIME: 8.00am for 8.30am start; 5.00pm finish

**VENUE: Translational Research Institute (TRI) Auditorium,
Princess Alexandra Hospital Campus**

An exciting line-up of Australian and international geriatric experts will be speaking on a range of topics including:

- sleep and dementia
- stepped care for anxiety and depression in later life
- use of social connections to promote health in older adults.

The conference is free to attend, and will include morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.





We would like to encourage submission of abstracts from clinical healthcare providers, healthcare services and teams, clinical researchers, and early career and student healthcare professionals.

The research can be on any aspect of clinical care of older persons.

Abstract submissions close: Midnight 10 May 2018

Submit your abstract via email to Professor Nancy Pachana, BDHP Ageing Theme leader and Director CHOICE (n.pachana@psy.uq.edu.au) with the following information:

NAME and CO-AUTHORS:

DISCIPLINE(S):

ORGANISATION(S):

STUDENT AS LEAD AUTHOR: (Y / N)

TITLE: (no more than 75 characters, with spaces)

ABSTRACT: (200 words maximum; structured abstract, i.e. Background, Methods, Results, Clinical Implications)

Please note: the conference organising committee will assign accepted abstracts for short talks, rapid communication, or poster sessions.

1. Short Presentations (15 minutes, 5 minutes for questions)
2. Rapid Communications (8 minute presentations, no questions, one page handout (N=25) for interested audience members)
3. Poster presentation (standard A1 size; if issues contact organisers)

Please direct any questions to Professor Nancy Pachana via email:
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Registration for the conference will open in the coming weeks.

