



Colloquium 2015

Prisons: Opportunities and challenges towards improving the health of people who inject drugs

Burnet Institute is proud to host the annual Colloquium for the Centre for Research Excellence into Injecting Drug Use (CREIDU) focusing on prisons and injecting drug use. With an interactive format and exciting mix of speakers, the Colloquium draws together researchers, affected communities, policy makers and practitioners.

Keynote speaker:

Ms Kirsten Horsburgh

National Naloxone Coordinator, Scottish Drugs Forum, Glasgow, Scotland.

Scotland's National Naloxone Programme: The Scottish Prison Service Provision of Naloxone-On-Release

Kirsten Horsburgh is the National Naloxone Coordinator at Scottish Drugs Forum (SDF). The SDF Team provides training and support for the national and local development of policy and practice for preventing overdose deaths in Scotland through assisting the ongoing implementation of the Scottish Government funded Take-Home Naloxone programme.

Speakers:

Professor Kate Dolan

Winston Churchill Fellow, Program of International Research and Training, National Drug and Alcohol Research Centre, UNSW, Australia.

Professor Matthew Hickman

Professor in Public Health and Epidemiology, University of Bristol, England.

Professor Andrew Lloyd

Director Inflammation and Infection Research Centre, UNSW; Visiting Medical Officer, Justice Health, New South Wales, Australia.

Ms Carol Nikakis

CEO, Victorian Association for Care and Resettlement of Offenders, Australia.

Dr Eliot Ross Albers

Executive Director, International Network of People that Use Drugs (INPUD), London, England.

Ms Carol Nikakis

CEO, Victorian Association for Care and Resettlement of Offenders, Australia.

Mr John Ryan

CEO, Penington Institute, Victoria, Australia.

Ms Larissa Strong

Director, Justice Health, Department of Justice & Regulation, Victoria, Australia.

Professor Alexander Thompson

Director of Gastroenterology, St. Vincent's Hospital Melbourne; Professorial Fellow, University of Melbourne, Australia.

Mr Rod Wise

Deputy Commissioner Operations, Corrections Victoria, Australia.

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