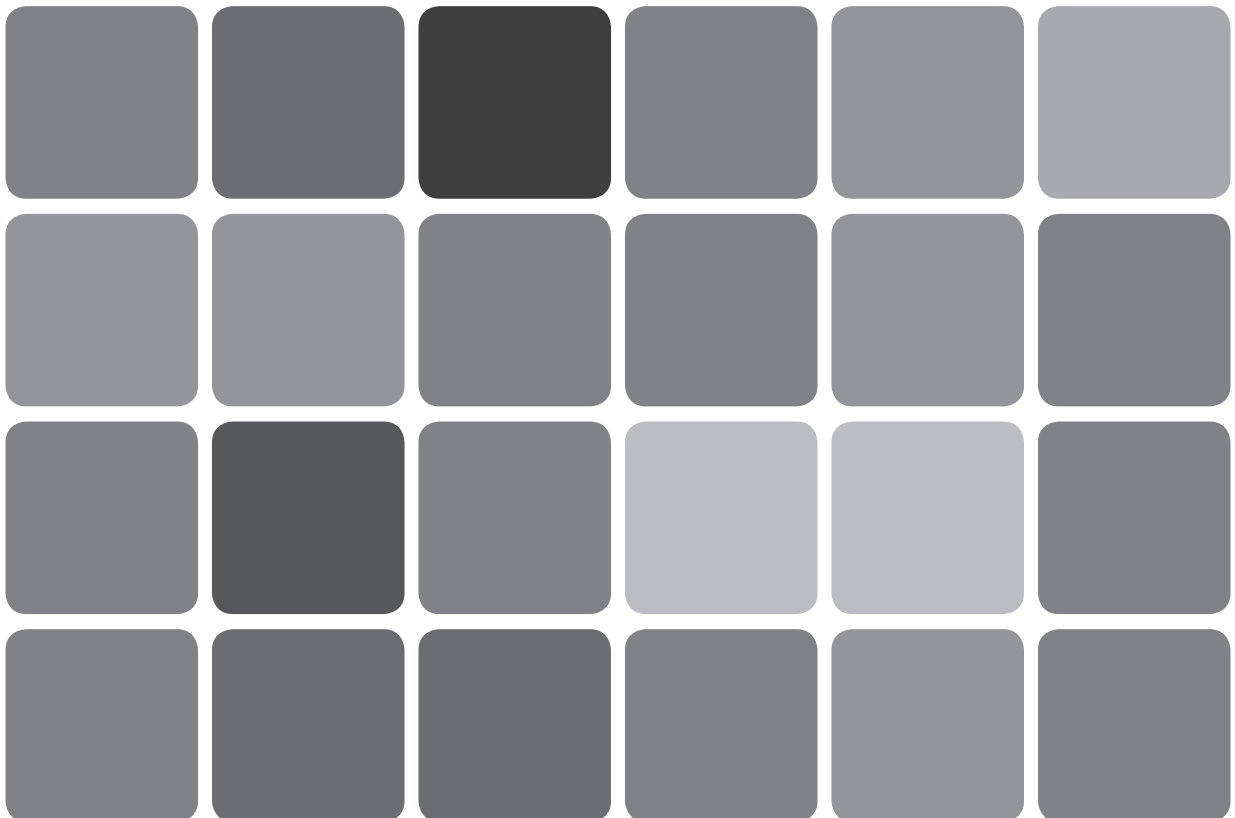




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17TH AUSTRALASIAN CONFERENCE 24-27 AUGUST 2005

# FULL CONFERENCE PROGRAM



**WEDNESDAY 24 AUGUST 2005**

7.30am	Registration		
9.00am - 10.30am	ASHM Opening Ceremony		Proffered Papers Session: Medical
	Concert Hall Chairs: Elizabeth Dax and Frank Bowden		Ballroom North/Centre Chair: Maree O'Sullivan
9.00am - 9.05am	Debbie Hocking - Welcome to the Land		9.00am - 9.15am
9.05am - 9.10am	David Llewelyn, State Health Minister		
9.10am - 9.15am	Elizabeth Dax, ASHM President		
9.15am - 9.20am	Frank Bowden, Chair of HIV/AIDS and Sexually Transmissible Infections Sub-committee of the Ministerial Advisory Committee on AIDS, Sexual Health and Hepatitis		9.15am - 9.30am
9.20am - 9.25am	Darren Russell, AFAO President		
9.25am - 9.30am	Gabe McCarthy, NAPWA President		
9.30am - 10.00am	Cindy Shannon, Chair of the Indigenous Australians' Sexual Health Committee, Australia Workforce Challenges in Addressing Indigenous Sexual Health and BBV Outcomes		9.30am - 9.45am
			9.45am - 10.00am
10.00am - 10.30am	Michel Kazatchkine, Chair of the Scientific and Technical Advisory Group on HIV/AIDS to WHO in Geneva and Chair of the Technical Review Panel of the Global Fund, France Challenges for Research at the Time of Scale Up of Antiretroviral Treatment in Developing Countries		10.00am - 10.15am
			10.15am - 10.30am
10.30am - 11.00am	Morning Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom		
11.00am - 12.30pm	Synergies with Sexual Health (HSV) - Conduit plenary with Sexual Health Conference		Symposium - Basic Science - Immunology
	Concert Hall Chairs: Jenny Hoy and Anna McNulty		Ballroom North/Centre Chairs: Daniel Douek and Damien Purcell

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11.00am - 11.30am	<b>Anne Johnson, Head of the Department of Primary Care and Population Sciences at University College London and Professor of Infectious Disease Epidemiology, London, United Kingdom</b> (At Least) Two to Tango - Changing Sexual Behaviour and STI/HIV Risk	11.00am - 11.30am	Kelleher T - The HIV-Infected Immune System: A Gutless Wonder?
11.30am - 12.00pm	<b>Anthony Cunningham, Director of the Australasian Centre in HIV and Hepatitis Virology Research, Sydney, Australia</b> Epidemiology and Significance of Infection with Herpes Simplex Virus Types 1 and 2 in Australia and the Region	11.30am - 12.00pm	Bieniasz P - Natural Variation in the Activity of Anti-retroviral Cytidine Deaminases and their Viral Antagonists
		12.00pm - 12.15pm	Jaworowski A - The Mechanism of Defective Immunity in HIV-1 and Malaria Coinfected Pregnant Women
12.00pm - 12.30pm	<b>Andrew Grulich, Head, HIV Epidemiology and Prevention Program, National Centre in HIV Epidemiology and Clinical Research, Sydney, Australia</b> Interactions between HIV and STIs in Homosexual Men	12.15pm - 12.30pm	Wightman F - CD31+ Naïve T-cells are Reduced in HIV-infected Individuals and are Permissive to HIV Infection In Vitro only following IL-7 Stimulation
12.30pm - 1.30pm	Lunch in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom		
12.30pm - 1.30pm	<b>Launch of the National Centre in HIV Epidemiology and Clinical Research Annual Surveillance Report on HIV/Viral Hepatitis/STIs and the National Centre in HIV Social Research Annual Report of Behaviour on HIV/AIDS, Hepatitis &amp; STIs in Australia</b> <b>Sullivans Room</b>		
1.30pm - 3.00pm	<b>Joint Concurrent Session: Current Issues in Clinical Management</b>		<b>Concurrent Session - Basic Science - Immunity and Pathogenesis</b>
	<b>Concert Hall Chairs: Alan Street and Edwina Wright</b>		<b>Ballroom North/Centre Chairs: John Coffin and Tony Kelleher</b>
1.30pm - 1.40pm	Street A - Commentary on the Australian Antiretroviral Guidelines	1.30pm - 1.45pm	Purcell D - Inhibiting Cellular Expression of HIV-1 TAR-RNA Binding Protein (TRBP) Augments Innate Resistance to HIV-1
1.40pm - 1.45pm	Crooks L - Process for the Consensus Conference	1.45pm - 2.00pm	McPhee D - Broad Neutralisation and Complement Mediated Lysis of HIV-1 by <sup>PE</sup> HRG214, a Novel Caprine Anti-HIV-1 Polyclonal Antibody
1.45pm - 2.00pm	Ralph A - Evaluation of Serum and CSF Syphilis Serology in the Diagnosis of Early Neurosyphilis in HIV Positive and Negative Patients		1.45pm - 2.00pm
			<b>Concurrent Session - Challenges to Prevention and Management: Programs and Policy</b>
			<b>Ballroom South Chairs: Kim Stewart and Carla Gorton</b>

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2.00pm - 2.15pm	van Leewuen M - Prevalence of Anal Squamous Intraepithelial Lesions and Related Abnormalities in a Community-Based Sample of HIV Positive and HIV Negative Homosexual Men	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Peut V - T Cell Immunity to HIV-1 Envelope in Macaques: A Potential Paradigm of Constraints on Immune Escape	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Doyle JS - Preventing HIV Transmission in Australia: Can National Policy Adapt to an Evolving Epidemic?
2.15pm - 2.30pm	Giles ML - A Study Investigating Obstetricians' Screening Practice and Knowledge Base for Management of Women with a Blood Borne Virus in Australia Pre and Post Intervention	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Wilson KM - Maturation of the Humoral Immune Response to HIV-1 Infection	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Read C - Capacity Building to Improve Reproductive and Sexual Health Literacy in Aboriginal Women in Western NSW
2.30pm - 2.45pm	Egan C - Comparisons of Sexual Risk Behaviour and Morbidity in Backpackers and Non-Travellers at a Sydney Sexual Health Clinic	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Lee CMY - IL-7 Gene Polymorphism and HIV-1 Disease Progression	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Hannan TJ - More Than a Quarter of a Century of Computerised Clinical Decision Support Using Electronic Medical Record Functionalities
2.45pm - 3.00pm	Knox J - An Audit of Chlamydia and Gonorrhoea PCR Testing at Wu Chopperen Health Service	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Shah M - Diverse Areas of the Brain from HIV Patients with and without Dementia Show Preponderance of CCR5 Usage	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Crooks L - Supporting Access to s100 Drugs in the Community: HIV and HCV Experiences
3.00pm - 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom				
3.30pm - 5.00pm	<b>Concurrent Session - Social Research - Injecting and Hepatitis C</b>		<b>Concurrent Session - Clinical Basic Science</b>		<b>Sexual Health Conference Plenary: Sex and the Internet and Conference Closing</b>
	<b>Concert Hall Chairs: Marian Pitts and Michael Lodge</b>		<b>Ballroom South Chairs: Sharon Lewin and Bruce Brew</b>		<b>Ballroom North/Centre Chair: Janet Say</b>
3.30pm - 3.45pm	Salmon A - The Sydney Medically Supervised Injecting Centre: Services Delivered and Potential Public Health Achievements in 44 months of Operation	3.30pm - 3.45pm	Almeida CM - Abacavir Stimulated Production of Inflammatory and T1 Cytokines in Abacavir Hypersensitive and Tolerant HIV-Infected Individuals	3.30pm - 3.50pm	Patrick Rawstone - Gay Men's Use of the Internet for Sex-seeking: An Overview
3.45pm - 4.00pm	Prestage G - Alcohol and Illicit Drug Use in the Positive Health (pH) Cohort	3.45pm - 4.00pm	Murray JM - Comparison of Variability Over Time of T Cell Subsets for HIV Uninfected Controls and HIV-infected Individuals on Successful HAART	3.50pm - 4.10pm	Robert Reynolds - Imagining Gay Life in a Virtual Age
4.00pm - 4.15pm	Coupland H - Barriers to Hepatitis C Treatment Uptake in Indo-Chinese Injecting Drug Users	4.00pm - 4.15pm	Lim HGW - Nucleoside Reverse Transcriptase Inhibitors Effect on Adipocyte Mitochondrial Transcription In Vitro	4.10pm - 4.30pm	Brent Allan - Going Online: The Sexy, Scary and Stimulating Stuff

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4.15pm - 4.30pm	Hopwood M - Resilience and Coping During Interferon-based Treatment for Hepatitis C Infection	4.15pm - 4.30pm	Cherry C - The In Vitro Efficacy of L-Acetyl Carnitine (LAC) for Preventing Nucleoside Analog (NRTI) Toxicity	4.30pm - 4.45pm	Questions
4.30pm - 4.45pm	Temple Smith M - Discrimination or Discretion? Dentists' Experiences of Providing Care to People with Hepatitis C	4.30pm - 4.45pm	Tippett E - A Novel Ex Vivo Assay for Measuring Phagocytosis of Malaria Infected Erythrocytes by Peripheral Blood Monocytes		
4.45pm - 5.00pm	Frances M - Linking Research, Policy and Practice: A Clearinghouse of Australian Resources in HIV, Hepatitis C and Related Diseases	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Price P - Interferon-Gamma Responses to Candida Recover Slowly or Remain Low in Immunodeficient HIV Patients Responding to ART	4.45pm - 4.55pm	Prize Presentations
				4.55pm - 5.00pm	Anna McNulty, Chair of the Chapter - Closing Remarks
5.00pm - 5.15pm	Zheluk A - The HIV Epidemic in Ukraine: An Update				
5.00pm - 6.00pm	<b>Oral Poster Session - Clinical Medicine, Epidemiology, Nursing and International Streams</b>				
	<b>Federation Ballroom</b> Chairs: Francesca Torriani and Jeffrey Post				
5.00pm - 6.00pm	<b>Futures 4 Forum: Drilling into the Data</b>				
	<b>Ballroom South</b> Panel: Jeffrey Grierson, Marian Pitts, John Rule, Rachel Thorpe				
7.00pm - 11.00pm	Joint Gala Conference Dinner at City Hall				

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7.30am	Registration						
9.00am - 10.30am	Plenary - Collective Insights						
9.00am - 10.30am	Concert Hall Chair: David Shaw and Steve Wesselingh						
9.00am - 9.30am	David Cooper, Director of the National Centre in HIV Epidemiology and Clinical Research, Australia Management of Virological Failure						
9.30am - 10.00am	Michel Kazatchkine, Chair of the Scientific and Technical Advisory Group on HIV/AIDS to WHO in Geneva and Chair of the Technical Review Panel of the Global Fund, France The Global Fund : Priority Issues and Current Challenges						
10.00am - 10.30am	John Coffin, Director of the HIV Drug Resistance Program at the National Cancer Institute and Professor of Molecular Biology and Microbiology at Tufts University School of Medicine, USA Understanding HIV Host Interaction						
10.30am - 11.00am	Morning Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom						
11.00am - 12.30pm	Debate - Clinical Medicine - All people with HIV Should Have Access to Transplantation		Symposium - Basic Science - Immunopathogenesis and New Challenges for Vaccines		Concurrent Session - Social Research - Sentinel		Symposium - AusAID Session Sponsor- Feminisation of HIV
	Concert Hall Chairs: Joe Sasadeusz and Jeffrey Post. Panel: Joe Sasadeusz, Jeffrey Post, Francesca Torriani, Ed Gane, and Greg Dore		Ballroom North Chairs: Patricia Price and Roger Garsia		Ballroom Centre Chairs: Andrew Grulich and Cindy Patton		Ballroom South Chair: Annmaree O'Keeffe. Panel: Session Speakers

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	Concert Hall		Ballroom North		Ballroom Centre		Ballroom South
11.00am - 11.20pm	Francesca Torriani, Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine and Director of the Epidemiology Unit at the University of California, San Diego (Affirmative)	11.00am - 11.30am	Kent S - Enhanced Cellular Immunity in Macaques Following a Novel Peptide ("Opal") Immunotherapy	11.00am - 11.15am	Hull P - Looking for Sex Partners: From Sex-on-premises Venues and Gay Bars to the Internet and Implications for HIV Risk	11.00am - 11.05am	Thoraya Obaid, Executive Director of UN FPA - DVD Message
						11.05am - 11.20am	Dame Carol Kidu, Minister for Community Development, Member for Port Moresby South, Papua New Guinea
11.20am - 11.40am	Ed Gane, Director of the New Zealand Liver Transplant Unit at Auckland Hospital (Negative)	11.30am - 12.00pm	Douek D - T-Cell Receptor Motifs and Immune Escape in Acute SIV Infection	11.15am - 11.30am	Booth A, Rogers G - The Only Gay in the Village! Reflections on Perceived Identity and Sense of Belonging in Gay Men	11.20am - 11.35am	Dr Wendy Holmes, Senior Fellow, Burnet Institute, Melbourne - Preventing HIV Infection in Mothers - Why We Need To Shift Policy Direction
				11.30am - 11.45am		Duffin R - HIV Positive Gay Men and Protection	11.35am - 11.50am
11.40am - 11.55pm	Richards JS - Successful Outcome of First Australian Liver Transplant in a Patient with HIV and Hepatitis B Co-infection			11.45am - 12.00pm	Prestage G - Illicit Drug Use and HIV Seroconversion in the Health in Men (HIM) Cohort	11.50am - 12.05pm	Elizabeth Reid, Visiting Fellow, Gender Relations Centre, Australian National University - "Who Will Mourn Us?": Women and the HIV Epidemic
11.55pm - 12.30pm	Discussion	12.00pm - 12.15pm	Ammaranond P - The Escape Mutation in HLA-B27 Positive Individuals Predicts Viral Load Outcome	12.00pm - 12.15pm	Mao L - Serosorting Distinguishes Unprotected from Protected Anal Intercourse with Casual Partners: Findings from the Health in Men (HIM) Cohort	12.05pm - 12.5pm	Discussion
		12.15pm - 12.30pm	Zaunders J - Distinct Survival Phenotype of CCR5+ Antigen-Specific CD4+ T Lymphocytes in the Acute Phase of the Antiviral Response to HIV-1 and Vaccinia	12.15pm - 12.30pm		Rawstorne P - Assumptions About Partner Serostatus and Difficulties with Disclosure Among a Cohort of HIV-Positive Men	12.25pm - 12.30pm

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12.30pm - 1.30pm	Lunch in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom						
12.30pm - 1.30pm	<b>ASHM AGM</b>						
	Sullivans Room						
1.30pm - 3.00pm	<b>Concurrent Session - Clinical Medicine - Complications of Therapy</b>		<b>Concurrent Session - Basic Science - Replication</b>		<b>Concurrent Session - Community - PLWHA in the Community - Phillip Medcalf Memorial Session</b>		<b>Concurrent Session - Policy - CALD Session</b>
	Concert Hall Chairs: Alan Pithie and Jenny Hoy		Ballroom North Chairs: Andy Pouborios and Tony Cunningham		Ballroom Centre Chairs: Robert Mitchell and Gabe McCarthy		Ballroom South Chairs: Tadgh McMahon and Stevie Clayton (TBC)
1.30pm - 1.45pm	Martin AM - Involvement of Metabolic and Immune Responses in the Pathogenesis of Abacavir Hypersensitivity Reaction	1.30pm - 1.45pm	Jones K - Can Retroviral Particle-Associated UNG and dUTPase Counteract APOBEC Mediated Innate Immunity	1.30pm - 1.45pm	Daye J - Rules of Rescue: How Can We Do Things Better for our Highly Treatment-Experienced Populations?	1.30pm - 1.45pm	McNally SP - Access to HIV Prevention Information Among Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) Communities in Victoria
1.45pm - 2.00pm	Martin AM - Genetic Screening for Abacavir Hypersensitivity (ABC-HSR) in the Western Australian Cohort: Prospective Data and Novel Diagnostic Approaches	1.45pm - 2.00pm	Lay CS - Terminal Interactions Outside the Six-Helix Bundle Core Domain of HIV-1 gp41 Are Essential For its Membrane Fusion Function	1.45pm - 2.00pm	Petoumenos K - Risk Factors and Causes of Death in the Australian HIV Observational Database	1.45pm - 2.00pm	Nguyen O - Travelling "Home": A Real HIV Risk for Australian-Vietnamese Injecting Drug Users?
2.00pm - 2.15pm	Price P - Cytokine Genotypes Establish a Role for Inflammation in Antiretroviral Toxic Neuropathy (ATN) and Predict an Individual's ATN Risk	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Harrich D - Molecular Analysis of HIV-1 Early Events during Cell Infection: Prospects Towards Novel Antiviral Drug Targets and Strategies	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Gallagher S - HIV Treatment Literacy in People with HIV/AIDS in 2005	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Katsaros E - The Feminisation of HIV: Challenging the Stereotypes in HIV/AIDS Prevention and Treatment in Australia



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2.15pm - 2.30pm	Zhou J - New AIDS Defining Illness Diagnosed within 90 Days after Initiation of Antiretroviral Treatment among Patients from the Treat Asia HIV Observational Database (TAHOD)	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Shehu-Xhilaga M - Impact of Simian Immunodeficiency Virus Infection in the Male Genital Tract of Juvenile Macaques	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Brown G - Internet Chatrooms: Knowing your Environment and Community Before Outreaching	2.15pm - 2.50pm	Martin L, Paljor S - Cultural Competence: Its Development in Relation to Producing HIV and Hepatitis C Resources for People from Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Backgrounds
2.30pm - 2.45pm	Yunihastuti E - Incidence of Rash and Discontinuation of Nevirapine Among ARV Naïve Patients in Ciptomangukusumo Hospital Jakarta	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Hawkes D - Dissecting the Contribution of Cholesterol in Viral Entry: A Potential Role in Fusion Pore Formation	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Allan B - Positive Living Centres: "Their Role in Health Promotion"		
2.45pm - 3.00pm	Srasuebkul P - Parametric Models to Predict Immunological Failure in Thai Patients Receiving Antiretroviral Treatment	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Ellis P - The Phosphorylation of HIV-1 Nef by PKC	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Tripp R - Sustaining the Gain	2.50pm - 3.00pm	Launch of the National Hepatitis C Project Resource: Hepatitis C is Everybody's Business
3.00pm - 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom						
3.30pm - 5.00pm	<b>Oral Poster Session - Community Program Stream</b> Federation Ballroom Chairs: Robert Mitchell and Simon O'Donohue						
3.30pm - 5.00pm	<b>Concurrent Session - Clinical Medicine - Hepatitis</b> Concert Hall Chairs: Ed Gane and Francesca Torriani		<b>Concurrent Session - Epidemiology - Overview</b> Ballroom North Chairs: Anne Johnson and Margaret Hellard		<b>Concurrent Session - International - Implementing Treatment</b> Ballroom Centre Chairs: Goa Tau and Marina Carman		<b>Concurrent Session - Issues in HIV Nursing and Allied Health</b> Ballroom South Chairs: Sally Algar and Richard Norris

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3.30pm - 3.45pm	Singh K - HIV-HBV Co-infection: Analysis of Resistance Mutations in the Hepatitis B Virus Polymerase Selected During Therapy in Two Patients with Fulminant Liver Disease while Receiving Tenofovir	3.30pm - 3.45pm	McDonald A - Trends in Newly Acquired and Newly Diagnosed HIV Infection in Australia, 1995 - 2004	3.30pm - 3.45pm	Schaefer M - Increased Access to HAART in Resource-Poor Settings in Médecins Sans Frontières Programs: Current Status and Challenges	3.30pm - 3.45pm	Gibbie T - HIV/AIDS Depression and Adherence to HAART
3.45pm - 4.00pm	Dore G - Australian Trial in Acute Hepatitis C (ATAHC): Baseline Characteristics and Early Virological Response	3.45pm - 4.00pm	Bartlett M - Women and HIV in NSW - An Increase in Cases in 2004	3.45pm - 4.00pm	Yunihastuti E - Spectrum of Opportunistic Infections Among HIV-Infected Patients in Jakarta	3.45pm - 4.00pm	Trotter G - We Are All Getting Older!
4.00pm - 4.15pm	Thein H-H - Estimating the Impact of Antiviral Treatment on Health Burden of HCV in Australia	4.00pm - 4.15pm	Maher L - Antibody HIV and HCV Prevalence and Risk Behaviours among Indo-Chinese Injecting Drug Users in the National NSP Survey	4.00pm - 4.15pm	Wright EJ - The Asia Pacific NeuroAIDS Consortium: Paradigm's Progress	4.00pm - 4.15pm	Hill C - Responses to the Mental Health Needs of PLWHA
4.15pm - 4.30pm	Potgieter Z - Hepatitis C Treatment Discontinuation and Response: Improved Management of Morbidity	4.15pm - 4.30pm	Lawrence CG - Queensland Survey of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Men who have Sex with Men	4.15pm - 4.30pm	Sokhal B - The National Institute of Public Health Cambodia: How Quality Managed Laboratory Services Can Support HIV Care in a Resource Limited Setting	4.15pm - 4.30pm	Thompson J - Roughly Right Rather than Perfectly Wrong
4.30pm - 4.45pm	Thein H-H - The Prevalence and Correlates of Depressive Symptoms during Pegylated Interferon-alpha and Ribavirin Therapy in HCV Monoinfection and HIV-HCV Coinfection	4.30pm - 4.45pm	Lim MSC - Patterns of HIV Testing in Victoria	4.30pm - 4.45pm	Hannan TJ - An Electronic Medical Record System for Ambulatory Care of HIV-Infected Patients in Kenya	4.30pm - 4.45pm	Bourne AF - Strengths Skills, Resources Inspiration: The SSRIs of Living with HIV or Hepatitis C

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4.45pm - 5.00pm	Sasadeusz J - An Interim Analysis from a Single-arm, Open-label, Multicenter Pilot Study Evaluating the Efficacy and Safety of Pegasys RBV (peginterferon alfa-2a plus ribavirin) in Patients with Chronic Hepatitis C (CHC) Attending a Methadone (or Drug Dependency Treatment Program) Clinic	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Middleton MG - Monitoring the Completeness of Notifications to the National AIDS Registry via Linkage to the National Death Index	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Discussion	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Discussion
5.30pm - 7.00pm	<b>Future Shock: A Hypothetical About HIV in Australia in Ten Years' Time</b>						
Ballroom South Chair: Kirsty Machon							

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7.30am	Registration					
7.30am - 9.00am	<b>Case Presentation Breakfast</b> Ballroom South Chairs: Alistair McGregor and Alan Pithie					
7.30am - 7.45am	Chih DT - Primary HIV Infection - Diagnosis and Management in 2005					
7.45am - 8.00am	Skinner MJ - HIV Encephalitis: A Case, Its Treatment and Complexities					
8.00am - 8.15am	Chua K - Myasthenia Gravis in an HIV Infected Patient					
8.15am - 8.30am	Iles S - A Complicated Case of PJP					
9.00am - 10.30am	<b>Plenary: Contemporary Challenges</b> Concert Hall Chairs: David Cooper and Sharon Lewin					
9.00am - 9.30am	Paul Bieniasz, Head of the Laboratory of Retrovirology at the Rockefeller University, USA TRIM5 - Mediator of Intrinsic Immunity to Retroviruses					
9.30am - 10.00am	Cindy Patton, Canada Research Chair in Community Culture and Health at Simon Fraser University in British Columbia - Senior Scholar of the Michael Smith Foundation for Health Research, Canada Understanding Lipids: Doctor-patient Communication in the Changing Context of Long Term HIV Care					
10.00am - 10.30am	Francesca Torriani, Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine and Director of the Epidemiology Unit at the University of California, USA HIV/HCV Coinfection: To Treat HCV First, HIV First, or Both at Once?					
10.30am - 11.00am	Morning Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom					
11.00am - 12.30pm	Symposium - International - Policy		Symposium - Clinical Medicine - Hep B: Development of Resistance/ Combination Therapy		Symposium - Community - HIV Research Community Perspectives	Symposium - Basic Science - New Prospects for Antivirals
	Ballroom North Chairs: Michel Kazatchkine and Edward Reis		Ballroom Centre Chairs: Ed Gane and Greg Dore. Panel: Ed Gane, Greg Dore, Joe Sasadeusz, Graeme Macdonald, and Lloyd Sansom		Ballroom South Chairs: Andrew Grulich and Martyn Goddard	Sullivans Room Chairs: Heidi Drummer and Paul Bieniasz

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11.00am - 11.05am	Dr Mam Bun Heng, Ministry of Health, Cambodia - Introduction	11.00am - 11.15am	Sasadeusz J - For Combination Therapy	11.00am - 11.20am	Baxter D - The HIV Research Program - Assessing Its Value and Addressing Current Challenges	11.00am - 11.30am	Coffin J - Appearance, Persistence and Disappearance of Drug Resistant Mutations in NNRTI-Treated Individuals
11.05am - 11.20am	Mean CV - Scale Up Sustainability and Integration of HIV Care Into Existing Health Care Systems						
11.20am - 11.35am	Patton C - The Cartography of HIV: Dividing Lines and Shared Borders	11.15am - 11.30am	Macdonald G - Against Combination Therapy	11.20am - 11.40am	Whittaker B - New Drugs and New Knowledge - Challenges for HIV/AIDS Clinical Research and Treatment		
11.35am - 11.50am	Reid E - Mainstreaming and The HIV Epidemic	11.30am - 11.45am	Sansom L - Subsidised Medicines - The PBAC and its Processes	11.40am - 12.00pm	Hurley M - Constructing Knowledges about Living with HIV/AIDS	11.30am - 12.00pm	Poumbourios A - Receptor Activated Conformations of HIV gp120-gp41: New Targets for Antivirals
		11.45am - 12.00pm	Gane E - Case Presentation on Multi Resistance with Serial Monotherapy				
11.50am - 12.05pm	Rock J - Making the Involvement of Positive People Meaningful: Putting GIPA Into Practice	12.00pm - 12.30pm	Discussion	12.00pm - 12.20pm	Machon K - Relative Merit: Keeping the Research Program Real	12.00pm - 12.15pm	Tachedijan G - Role of HIV-1 Reverse Transcriptase Dimerization in Enzyme Function and Maturation
12.05pm - 12.20pm	Dr Rosmini Day, Director for Communicable Diseases Control, Ministry of Health, Indonesia - Response on HIV/AIDS Epidemic in Indonesia						
12.20pm - 12.30pm	Discussion						

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Lunch in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom							
	Symposium/Open Forum - Clinical Medicine & Policy - HIV and Migration		Concurrent Session - Social Research - Workforce Qualitative		Concurrent Session - Clinical Medicine - Cardiovascular and Lipodystrophy		Concurrent Session - Basic Science - Six Degrees of Investigation
1.30pm - 3.00pm	Ballroom North Chairs: Liz Dax and Alan Pithie. Panel: Liz Dax, Les Szaraz, Deborah Couldwell, Tadgh McMahon, Mark Kelly and David Puls		Ballroom Centre Chairs: Marian Pitts and Anne Johnson		Ballroom South Chairs: Bruno Cotter and Gary Rogers		Sullivans Room Chairs: David Harrich and Anthony Jaworowski
1.30pm - 1.45pm	Szaraz L - Australia's immigration response to HIV/AIDS	1.30pm - 1.45pm	Newman CE - Accounting for 'Wellness' in Interviews on Illness: Notes from a Social Research Project with Aboriginal People in Western Australia who are HIV-Positive	1.30pm - 1.50pm	Cotter B - Cardiovascular Complications of HIV	1.30pm - 1.45pm	Donaghy H - Resistance of Plasmacytoid Dendritic Cells to Herpes Simplex Virus 2 Infection In Vitro
1.45pm - 2.00pm	Pithie A - The Effect of Migration on the HIV Epidemic in New Zealand	1.45pm - 2.00pm	Slavin S - Contemporary Meanings of Risk Among Gay Men Recently Infected with HIV in Melbourne			1.45pm - 2.00pm	Grgacic E - Immunogenicity of DHBV VLPs Carrying the HCV E2 Ectodomain
2.00pm - 2.15pm	Couldwell D - HIV-Infected Migrants: Clinical and Public Health Issues	2.00pm - 2.15pm	McDonald KM - The Meaning of Complementary and Alternative Medicine Practices Among PLWHA	1.50pm - 2.10pm	Drummond F - The Smart (Strategies for Management of Anti-Retroviral Therapy) Study - Enrolment Update, Risks for Cardiovascular Disease and Adherence to Strategy	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Chang JJ - The Specificity and Phenotype of Intrahepatic and Circulating HBV Specific T cells Differ in Chronic HBV Infection
2.15pm - 2.30pm	McMahon T - A Snapshot Survey of Medicare Ineligibility Amongst PLWHA in NSW	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Combo T - Tharanban-Connecting Academia with Aboriginal Communities and Connecting Aboriginal Communities with Academia	2.10pm - 2.30pm	Mallon PWG - A Randomised, Placebo-Controlled Trial of Pravastatin for the Treatment of Protease-Inhibitor-Induced Hypercholesterolaemia in HIV-Infected Men	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Smith MZ - Rapid Escape and Reversion at an Immunodominant SIV Gag Epitope in Pigtail Macaques: Effective CD8+ T Cells and Big Fitness Cost?

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	Ballroom North		Ballroom Centre		Ballroom South		Sullivans Room
2.30pm - 2.45pm	Kelly M - Provision of Antiretroviral Therapy (ART) to Individuals Not Eligible for Medicare Benefits: The Clinician's Response	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Salter MA - Developing a Charter for Community Engagement	2.30pm - 2.50pm	Wand H - Combined Analysis of Two Randomized Trials: Mitox and Rosey to Determine the Factors Associated with Changes in Body Composition Parameters and Their Respective Relation to Metabolic Changes at Weeks 24, 48 and 72	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Alexander M - Control of HIV-1 by Non-coding RNA
2.45pm - 3.00pm	Discussion	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Jenkinson KM - Infection Control Compliance in Two Groups of Australian Health Practitioners	2.50pm - 3.00pm	Discussion	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Suzuki K - Promoter Targeted DSRNAS Induces HIV-1 Gene Silencing and De Novo CpG Methylation
3.00pm - 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom						
3.30pm - 5.00pm	Concurrent Session - Clinical Medicine - Advances in Therapy		Concurrent Session - Epidemiology - MSM - Margaret MacDonald Memorial Session		Concurrent Session - Current Issues in Primary Care - Peter Meese Memorial Session		Concurrent Session - International - PNG
	Ballroom North Chairs: David Shaw and Debbie Marriott		Ballroom Centre Chairs: John Kaldor and Darren Russell		Ballroom South Chairs: Nick Medland and Andrew Gowers		Sullivans Room Chairs: John Millan and Edward Reis. Panel: Session Speakers

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3.30pm - 3.45pm	Grey P - Time to Commence Long Term Antiretroviral Therapy, For Patients Who Were Treated At Primary HIV Infection (PHI), Achieved Virological Suppression, and then Followed a Structured Interruption Strategy (STI)	3.30pm - 4.00pm	Johnson A - Changing Behaviours in Men who have Sex with Men in Britain - Public Health Challenges in the Era of HAART	3.30pm - 3.45pm	Blyth K - A Model for Rural HIV Service Delivery - A Victorian Perspective	3.30pm - 3.40pm	Millan J - PNG HIV/AIDS Update
3.45pm - 4.00pm	Smith DE - The Role of Hydroxyurea in Enhancing the Virological Control Achieved Through Structured Treatment Interruption (STI) in Primary HIV Infection (PHI): Final Results from a Randomised Clinical Trial (Pulse)				3.45pm - 4.00pm	Attwood R - Improving Rural-Based HIV Case Management for Complex Clients Through The Telehealth Network of New South Wales	3.40pm - 3.50pm
4.00pm - 4.15pm	Dwyer D - Final Results from the Alliance Study (ML16992) - A 96 Week Open Label Study to Describe the Efficacy and Safety of Enfuvirtide in Patients Changing Therapy to an NRTI-Sparing Regime	4.00pm - 4.15pm	Grulich A - Risk Factors for Seroconversion in Homosexual Men in Australia	4.00pm - 4.15pm	Fisher K - Examining and Identifying Trends in Syphilis Notifications in Northern NSW: What is Involved for Rural Clients Accessing Services for Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs)?	4.00pm - 4.10pm	Dennis J - Responding to the HIV/AIDS Epidemic in Papua New Guinea: Hope Worldwide (PNG)'s Activities
4.15pm - 4.30pm	Pett S - Cycling with Recombinant Interleukin-2 (rIL-2) in Esprit and Silcaat	4.15pm - 4.30pm	Jin F - Incidence and Risk Factors for HIV Infection in the Health in Men (HIM) Cohort	4.15pm - 4.30pm	Bourne C - Still Immune to the Message? Preliminary Results from the Sydney Gay Men's Hepatitis Vaccination Pilot Project	4.10pm - 4.20pm	Rock J, Mea M - IGAT Hope/ NAPWA Project
						4.20pm - 4.30pm	Kulunga A - HIV/AIDS Care in the Highlands



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4.30pm - 4.45pm	Sarangany J - Atazanavir Plasma Concentrations Vary Significantly Between Patients and Correlate with Increased Serum Bilirubin Concentrations	4.30pm - 4.45pm	Guy RJ - HIV Sentinel Surveillance in Victoria - A Pilot Study	4.30pm - 4.45pm	Dabbhadatta J - Passing the Tests?: Inner Sydney GPs and Use of STI Testing Guidelines for Men who have Sex with Men	4.30pm - 4.40pm	Martin C - Caring for People with HIV: A Capacity Building Program for Health Care Teams in Papua New Guinea
4.45pm - 5.00pm	Bloch MT - Atazanavir Trough Plasma Concentration Monitoring in a Cohort of HIV-1 Positive Individuals Receiving Highly Active Antiretroviral Therapy	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Prestage G - Sexually Transmitted Infections in a Cohort of HIV Positive Gay Men in Sydney	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Whately YE - A Cross Sectional Study of Access and Use of HIV Information by HIV Positive People in Sydney	4.40pm - 5.00pm	Discussion
5.00pm	Session Ends	5.00pm	Session Ends	5.00pm - 5.15pm	Puls DN - Negotiating the Law - Service Providers Duties to Third Parties	5.00pm	Session Ends
5.00pm - 6.30pm	Conference Reception in Exhibition & Poster Area - Exhibition Hall						

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7.30am	Registration						
9.00am - 10.30am	Plenary: Understanding HIV Pathogenesis and Treatment Ballroom North/Centre Chairs: Suzanne Crowe and Bruce Brew						
9.00am - 9.30am	Jenny Hoy, Head, Clinical Research Unit, The Alfred Hospital, Melbourne, Australia What to start with: an NNRTI or a PI? Does it matter?						
9.30am - 10.00am	Daniel Douek, Investigator at the Vaccine Research Center of the National Institutes of Health, and Chief of the Human Immunology Section, USA Mechanisms of HIV Pathogenesis						
10.00am - 10.30am	Simon Mallal, Professor and Executive Director, Centre for Clinical Immunology and Biomedical Statistics, Royal Perth Hospital, Perth, Western Australia Abacavir and Nevirapine Hypersensitivity: Genetics and Pathogenesis						
10.30am - 11.00am	Morning Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area - Federation Ballroom						
11.00am - 12.15pm	Symposium - Clinical Medicine - Contentious & Emerging Issues - Ian Thompson Memorial Session		Symposium - ACON/NSW Health Session		Symposium - International - Testing Testing Is This Thing Working?		Symposium - Current Issues in Public Health and Prevention
	Ballroom North/Centre Chairs: Debbie Marriott and Jenny Hoy		Ballroom South Chairs: Lisa Ryan and Geoff Honnor		Sullivans Room Chairs: Sue Kippax and Elizabeth Reid		Meehans Private Dining Room Chairs: Phillip Clift and Vanessa Read
11.00am - 11.20am	Kazatchkine M - Current Issues in Antiretroviral Treatment	11.00am - 11.15am	Clayton S - Negotiated Safety or Negotiated Risk: Is It Time to Rethink Talk, Test, Test Trust?	11.00am - 11.15am	Worth H - Routine HIV Testing: The Answer to the AIDS Crisis in the Resource-Poor World, or a Backward Step for Human Rights?	11.00am - 11.15am	Combo T - Early Detection and Treatment of STI and BBI: A Manual for Improving Access to Early Detection and Treatment of STI and BBI within Aboriginal Communities in NSW

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11.20am - 11.35am	Marriott D - Virological and Immunological Outcomes at 3 Years Following Initiation of ART with Regimens Containing a NNRTI or PI or Both: The Initio Trial	11.15am - 11.30am	Berry S - Getting in Early - Working Smarter with People Living with HIV and Mental Illness	11.15am - 11.30am	Reis E - What Part of Prevention Don't We Understand?	11.15am - 11.30am	Lodge MA - Is the Australian Approach to Drugs and HIV/AIDS Still Underpinned by the Principles of Harm Minimisation?
		11.30am - 11.45am	Hobday T - Management of Clients with Challenging Behaviours: A Shared Responsibility Model of Care	11.30am - 11.45am	Burke M - VCT as a Proxy Test for Male Partners in Tanzanian PMTCT Programs	11.30am - 11.45am	Moreton R - Increased Risk- Taking Behaviour Despite Improved STI Knowledge Following a Local Targeted Health Promotion Campaign
11.35am - 11.55am	Kelleher A - Management of Primary HIV Infection	11.45am - 12.00pm	Persson A - Entering the Closet: Living with HIV Heterosexually	11.45am - 12.00pm	Race KD - Configuring the Body of HIV Prevention	11.45am - 12.00pm	Kaldor J - Pre-Exposure Chemoprophylaxis for HIV Prevention
11.55am - 12.15pm	Crowe S - Role of Resistance Testing in HIV Management	12.00pm - 12.15pm	Discussion	12.00pm - 12.15pm	Discussion	12.00pm - 12.15pm	Grulich A - Defining High Incidence Groups of Homosexual Men for HIV Prevention Studies: Data from the Health in Men (HIM) Cohort
12.15pm - 12.45pm	<b>Closing ASHM Conference</b>						
	Ballroom North/Centre Chairs: Sharon Lewin, Liz Dax and Levinia Crooks						
12.25pm - 12.40pm	Sharon Lewin - Closing Remarks and Prize Announcements						
12.40pm - 12.45pm	Levinia Crooks - Future Conferences						
12.45pm - 1.30pm	Lunch in Meehans Restaurant for registrants of the Consensus Conference						
1.30pm - 5.30pm	Consensus Conference (See following pages for full program)						
5.30pm	End						



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FULL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Time	Session	Chairs	Format	Speaker
1330	Process and rules of engagement	Levinia Crooks	Plenary	Alan Street
1340	When to commence antiretroviral therapy	Nick Medland Tony Kelleher Debbie Marriott		
			Issues raised at the conference	Fraser Drummond
			Issues for PLWHA	Bill Whittaker
			Questions from the chairs	
			Questions from the floor	
1430	The management of primary HIV infection	Tony Kelleher Nick Medland Debbie Marriott		
			Issues of primary care	Norm Roth
			Issues of primary care	Robert Finlayson
			Questions from the chairs	
			Questions from the floor	
1515	Afternoon Tea - Meehans Restaurant and Foyer			
1530	Preferred first-line regimens	Jenny Hoy Jeff Post Chris Birch Suzanne Crowe		
			Issues in primary care	Nick Medland
			Issues for PLWHA	Kirsty Machon
			Questions from the chairs	
			Questions from the floor	
1610	Role of resistance testing in HIV management	Suzanne Crowe Jeff Post Chris Birch Jenny Hoy		
			Testing in particular populations	Gary Rogers
			Availability on resistance testing	Jonathan Anderson
			Questions from the chairs	
			Questions from the floor	
1650	Additional issues raised in the guidelines which require an Australasian commentary	Sharon Lewin	Brainstorm	Alan Street
1700	Process from the day and continuous process of update	Sharon Lewin	Plenary	Jeff Post
1705		Alan Street Sharon Lewin	Issues from the floor	
1710	Summing up	Alan Street	Plenary Focus for future conferences	Sharon Lewin

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