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PROGRAM**

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WEDNESDAY 11 OCTOBER 2006

7:30am		Registration – Grand Waldorf Foyer (Ground Floor)	
8:00am–9:00am	Herpes Forum Washington Room Chair: Professor Suzanne Garland		
8:30am–10:30am	ASHM Opening Ceremony and Plenary 1 Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chairs: Sharon Lewin and Joe Sasadeusz	9:00am–10:30am	Sexual Health Plenary: Challenges in the Clinic State Ballroom Sharon Hillier – Professor, Obstetrics, Gynaecology and Reproductive Sciences and of Molecular Genetics and Biology, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine An Update on the Etiology and Treatment of Bacterial Vaginosis Laura Koutsky – Professor, Department of Epidemiology, University of Washington, Seattle, USA Epidemiology of HPV-important clinical questions Nicola Low – Department of Social and Preventive Medicine, University of Bern, Switzerland Partner Notifications
8:30am–8:35am	Welcome to the Land – Carolyn Briggs	9:00am–9:30am	
8:35am–8:40am	Welcome by Sharon Lewin, ASHM President	9:30am–10:00am	
8:40am–8:50am	Official Welcome	10:00am–10:30am	
8:50am–8:55am	AFAO Representative – Ian Rankin		
8:55am–9:00am	NAPWA Representative – Gabe McCarthy		
9:00am–9:30am	Joop Lange – Professor of Internal Medicine at the Center for Communicable Diseases Academic Medical Centre University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands Biomedical prevention, particularly chemoprophylaxis and treatment rollout in the developing world		
9:30am–10:00am	Wafaa El-Sadr – Professor of Clinical Medicine and Epidemiology at Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons and the Malman School of Public Health, USA SMART Study and Implications		
10:00am–10:30am	Gary Nabel – Director, Vaccine Research Center, NIH, USA Viruses, Vaccines, and Emerging Threats to Human Health		
10:30am–11:00am	Morning Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer		
11:00am–12:30pm	ASHM Concurrent Session – ACH2 Basic Science: Translational Research 1 State Ballroom Chairs: Tony Cunningham and Chris Burrell	11:00am–12:30pm	Joint Plenary with Sexual Health Conference: Revisiting Prevention Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chairs: Anne Robertson and Joe Sasadeusz
11:00am–11:15am	Anderson D – Potential diagnostic and prognostic value of new test for hepatitis C virus specific IgM.	11:00am–11:30am	Will Nutland – Head of Health Promotion Services at Terrence Higgins Trust, London, UK Impacts of Conservatism on Health Promotion in General and HIV, STI
11:15am–11:30am	Tachedjian G – Novel Drug Resistance Mechanism in HIV-1 Reverse Transcriptase Connection Subdomain	11:00am–12:30pm	Connie Calum – Associate Professor, Division of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, School of Medicine, University of Washington, Seattle, USA Role of HSV Suppression in HIV Prevention Sharon Hillier – Professor, Obstetrics, Gynaecology and Reproductive Sciences and of Molecular Genetics and Biochemistry, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Topical Microbicides for Prevention of HIV
11:30am–11:45am	Poumbourios A – Novel HIV-1 glycoprotein vaccine based on a frozen fusion intermediate		
11:45am–12:00pm	Kent S – Immunotherapy of SIV with peptide pulsed blood		
12:00pm–12:15pm	Purcell D – Rapid assays that measure HIV-1 inactivation by neutralising and non-neutralising antibodies		
12:15pm–12:30pm	McPhee D – HIV-1 Transmission and Viral Fitness		

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1.30pm - 1.45pm	Dickson N – Unlinked Anonymous HIV Surveillance Among New Zealand Sexual Health Clinic Attenders, 2005/6	1.30pm - 1.45pm	Lemoh C – Sex and Death: The Image of HIV/AIDS in Victoria's African Communities	1.30pm - 1.40pm	Kerr S – NADIR CD4 Count Predicts Abnormalities in PAP Smear: Women's Health in a Resource Limited Setting	1.30pm - 1.45pm	Dorajee J (Reid G) – Illicit Drug Issues in Asia: The Challenges and Responses	
1.45pm - 2.00pm	Guy R – Sustained Increase of HIV Diagnoses in Victoria: Epidemiology and Testing	1.45pm - 2.00pm	Devadason D – That HIV Virus: Thoughts and Experiences of Cambodians Diagnosed with HIV in Victoria	1.40pm - 2.00pm	Jin F – Anal Sexually Transmissible Infections and Herpes Simplex Virus Type 1 (HSV-1) As Risk Factors For HIV Seroconversion: Data From The HIM Cohort	1.45pm - 2.00pm	Walsh N – The Prevention Treatment Nexus, Still a Wide Gap in Asia	
2.00pm - 2.15pm	Prestage G – Difference in Trends in Behaviour Among Gay Men in Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Lui L – Sex workers from Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Backgrounds Require culturally Appropriate and Language Specific HIV/AIDS Outreach and Education: Multicultural Sex Worker Projects in Australia Deliver High Quality Service To Meet The Needs of These Target Groups	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Tomney J – Partner Notification for C Trachomatis: Can The Internet Assist GPs?	2.00pm - 2.15pm	Maher L – Scaling up HIV Treatment, Care and Support For Injecting Drugs Users in Vietnam	
2.15pm - 2.30pm	Jin F – Update From The Seroconversion Study: Failures of HIV Risk Reduction in Gay Men	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Korner H – Late HIV Diagnosis of People From Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Backgrounds and Perceptions of 'Risk'	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Mariotti D – Lymphogranuloma Venereum: the First Four Confirmed Cases in NSW	2.15pm - 2.30pm	Power R – Reflections on Central Asia	
2.30pm - 2.45pm	Grunich A – Prevalence and Types of Anal HPV Infection in Homosexual Men with and Without HIV Infection	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Middleton M – Birthplace and AIDS Incidence in Australia, 1996–2005	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Savage J – The Development of New National Nonoccupational Post Exposure Prophylaxis (NPEP) Guidelines	2.30pm - 2.45pm	Syah S – Programs for injecting drug users in Indonesia	
2.45pm - 3.00pm	McDonald A – The Case for AIDS Surveillance in the HAART Era	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Lui L – Sex Workers From Chinese Background in Australia Place High Levels of Importance on Confidentiality and Trust From HIV Service Delivery: Recent Experiences of Ethical Breaches Illustrate The Need for Unambiguous Strategies when Traversing the Boundaries of Disclosure	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Bowden F – Screening For Chlamydia Trachomatis at The Time of Routine PAP Smear in General Practice: A Cluster Randomised Controlled Trial	2.45pm - 3.00pm	Discussion	
3.00pm - 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer							
3.30pm - 5.00pm	Opportunistic Infections – Clinical Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chairs: Edwina Wright and Chris Lee	3.30pm - 5.00pm	Basic Science – Attacking the Virus: Immunology of HIV and Related Infections State Ballroom 3 Chairs: Tony Kelleher and Tony Cunningham	3.30pm - 5.00pm	International: Maternal and Paediatric Issues State Ballroom 1&2 Chair: Wendy Holmes	3.30pm - 5.00pm	Indigenous Issues Washington Room Chairs: Cindy Shannon and James Ward	
3.30pm - 3.45pm	Xhosama H – Cerebral Toxoplasmosis in HIV Patients in Jakarta	3.30pm - 3.45pm	Lewin S – Human Cytomegalovirus (HCMV)-Specific CD8+ T-Cell Responses are reduced in HIV-infected Individuals with a History of HCMV Disease Despite CD4+ T-Cell Recovery	3.30pm - 3.45pm	Giles M – Maternal HIV In Australia: Best Practice, Issues and Challenges	3.30pm - 4.00pm	Smith K, Fethers K, Latif A – Sexually Transmitted Infections in Central Australia: Time for Concerted Action	
3.45pm - 4.00pm	Zhou J – Risk of Active Tuberculosis and Prognostic Significance of Tuberculosis in Tubod Patients	3.45pm - 4.00pm	Flynn J – Cellular Immunity in Acute HCV Infection	3.45pm - 4.05pm	Natraj S and Sands A	4.00pm - 4.15pm	Mak D – Improving The Accuracy of Aboriginal and Non-Aboriginal Disease Notification Rates Using Data Linkage	
4.00pm - 4.15pm	Chel S – Characteristics and Outcomes of Tuberculosis Treatment in an Outpatient HIV Clinic in Phnom Penh, Cambodia	4.00pm - 4.15pm	Mason R – T Cell Recognition of POL and Regulatory GENES by SIV-infected Macaques: Implications For Vaccination	4.05pm - 4.20pm	El-Sadr W	4.15pm - 4.30pm	MCGuckin R – Aboriginal Men and Women Living with HIV in a Small Remote Community: a Decade of Experiences in Maintaining Confidentiality	
4.15pm - 4.30pm	Chalmers W – National External Quality Assessment of HIV Serology Testing in Thailand: Five Years' Experience	4.15pm - 4.30pm	Oon A – Sequences complexity of the Hepatitis C Virus in Acute Infection	4.20pm - 4.45pm	Schaefer M – Survival of Children on HAART: Multicenter Analysis of Outcomes of Children According To Immunosuppression at Baseline Treated in Médecins Sans Frontières Programs	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Willis J – Disadvantage Among Australian PLWHA Who are Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islanders: Findings From The HIV Futures Surveys	
4.30pm - 4.45pm	Tan L – Outcomes of ART in Malaysian HIV Patients Reflect Pre-Existing Opportunistic Infections	4.30pm - 4.45pm	Price P – Proportions of Regulatory T Cells Decline in the First Few Months of ART, But NK Cells, T-Cells and iNKT are maintained	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Discussion			
4.45pm - 5.00pm	Wright E – HIV-Associated Neurocognitive Impairment And Symptomatic Peripheral Neuropathy Are Highly Prevalent In The Asia Pacific Region	4.45pm - 5.00pm	Visvanathan K – Innate Immunity in HIV Infection: The Expression and Function of Toll Like Receptors					
5.00pm - 6.30pm	Conference Reception – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer							

FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER 2006

7.30am	Registration – Grand Waldorf Foyer (Ground Floor)						
7.30am-9.00am	Case Presentation Breakfast (sponsored by Bristol-Myers Squibb)						
8.00am-8.15am	Washington Room						
8.15am-8.30am	Chair: Tim Blackmore						
8.30am-8.45am	Abolins C – Gastrointestinal Leishmaniasis Due to Leishmania Donovanii in A Patient With Advanced Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1						
8.45am-9.00am	Darby J – Immune Reconstitution Inflammatory Syndrome (IRIS) Kaposi's Sarcoma: An Aggressive Case in the Post-HAART Era						
9.00am-9.00am	Wade A – Castleman's Disease in HIV: A Case Series						
9.00am-9.00am	Ingram P – Flare of HIV-Associated Polymyositis During Treatment Interruption						
9.00am-9.00am	Arrival Coffee/Tea & Exhibition Viewing – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer						
9.00am-10.30am	Plenary 3 Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chairs: Marian Pitts and Liz Dax						
9.00am-9.30am	Daniel Tarantola – Professor and Chair of Health and Human Rights at The University of New South Wales, Australia						
9.30am-10.00am	From HIV Prevention to Universal Access: A Health and Human Rights Perspective						
10.00am-10.30am	Vera Paiva – Professor of Social Psychology, University of São Paulo, Brazil						
10.00am-10.30am	The Right to Love: Reproductive Health Care and Desire for Children among Men, Women and Adolescents Living with HIV						
10.30am-11.00am	Peter Drahoš – Professor in Law, the Head of Program of the Regulatory Institutions Network and the Director of the Centre for the Governance of Knowledge and Development at the Australian National University, Australia						
10.30am-11.00am	TRIPS and Trade Agreement and Access to Treatments						
11.00am-12.30pm	Morning Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer						
11.00am-12.30pm	Co-infection with Hepatitis and HIV – Clinical Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chairs: Joe Sasadeusz and Greg Dore						
11.00am-11.15am	Amin J – Liver Cancer, Hepatitis B and C in NSW 1990–2002: A Linkage Study						
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1.30pm-3.00pm	Basic Science – New HIV Therapies and Low Cost Diagnostics Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chairs: Suzanne Crowe and Patricia Price						
1.30pm-1.45pm	Cox S – Properties of Apricitabine, A New NRTI For HIV Infection						
11.00am-12.30pm	Primary Care – Peter Meese Session State Ballroom 3 Chairs: Norm Roth and Darren Russell						
11.00am-11.15am	Baker D – Multiple Measurements Of Adherence To ARV Therapy In Primary Care						
11.15am-11.30am	Green C – Treatment Literacy: A Key Element in Assuring Adherence						
11.30am-11.45am	Farmer G – Howdy Partner! Partnerships in Rural Settings Providing Shared Care And Outcomes For PLWHA						
11.45am-12.00pm	Vujovic O – Rural PLWHA Referred To A State-wide Consultancy Service: The Importance Of Primary Care Provision						
12.00pm-12.15am	Attwood R – Rural Perspectives About The ADAHPT Telehealth Project						
12.15pm-12.30pm	Yap L – Buying Time in NSW Prisons: Sexual Protection and Rejection Among Men						
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2.00pm-2.15pm	Tschoner M – Changes of HIV-1 Viral Load are Accompanied by changes in the Numbers of Mutations in viral Minor Populations	2.00pm-2.15pm	Guy R – Surveillance of Hepatitis C in Victoria: A New System of Identifying Newly Acquired Infections	2.00pm-2.15pm	McNaily S – 'No One Has Sex Like This In Our Community': What Newly Arrived African And Arabic Women Think About HIV Prevention Information In Australia	2.00pm-2.15pm	Mackay T – The Indonesian HIV/AIDS Prevention and Care Project
2.15pm-2.30pm	Greengrass V – Evaluation of The Cavidil EXAVIR™ LOAD Quantitative HIV RT Load Kit as an alternative HIV Viral Load Monitoring Test For use in Resource-Constrained Settings	2.15pm-2.30pm	Nguyen V – Estimates of Hepatitis B-Related Liver Cancer Among Vietnam Born Population in Australia	2.15pm-2.30pm	Clementson C – What A Relief: They're Talking Sexual Health! Developing A Social Marketing Campaign Targeting Gay Men In A Non-Metropolitan Area	2.15pm-2.30pm	Elliott J – HIV Treatment Beliefs and Practices and Adherence to Antiretroviral Therapy In Cambodia
2.30pm-2.45pm	Plate M – Evaluation of Blood Stabilizers Transfix tm and Cyto-Chex® BCT For Use in Low cost CD4+ T Cell Monitoring	2.30pm-2.45pm	Poeder F – Findings From AIVLS Hepatitis C and Vietnamese IDU Consultation	2.30pm-2.45pm	Sabri W – HIV/AIDS, Soccer And The African Communities: Evaluation Of African Soccer Calendar	2.30pm-2.45pm	Browne K – My Skin is Dark and I am Beautiful: A Pragmatic Response For Sexual Health Promotion within Churches in the Christian Provinces of Papua and Nusa Tenggara Timur, Indonesia
2.45pm-3.00pm	Learmonth K – The Subjective Interpretation of Simple/Rapid HIV Tests: Implications For Quality	2.45pm-3.00pm	Waish N – Acute Hepatitis C Treatment Uptake in the Victorian Population	2.45pm-3.00pm	McLean M – Other Voices Other Rooms: The Secret Life of Arse	2.45pm-3.00pm	Discussion
3.00pm-3.30pm	Afternoon Tea in Exhibition & Poster Area – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer						
3.30pm-5.00pm	Paediatric and MTCT Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chair: Pam Palasantzman	3.30pm-5.00pm	Metabolic Complications – Clinical State Ballroom 3 Chairs: Jonathan Anderson and Andrew Carr	3.30pm-5.00pm	Social and PH BBV State Ballroom 1&2 Chairs: John Imrie and Heather Worth	3.30pm-5.00pm	Treatment Rollout in Regional Countries – it's not just about drugs Washington Room Chairs: Chris Lee and Liz Dax
3.30pm-3.45pm	Blyth C – Missed Opportunities in Prevention of Paediatric HIV. Has Much changed?	3.30pm-3.45pm	Petromenos K – Exposure to PIS and NNRTIS and RISK of Myocardial Infarction (MI): Results From the D.A.D Study	3.30pm-3.45pm	Wilcock D – Positive Women: Epidemiology and Prevention	3.30pm-3.45pm	Bomlitz L – Clinical Mentoring Provides Clinical Expertise for Rapid Scale-Up of HIV/AIDS Services in Developing Countries
3.45pm-4.00pm	Burke J – Building Trust and Openness For Safe® Infant Feeding	3.45pm-4.00pm	Ward H – Incidence of Metabolic Syndrome, Cardiovascular Disease and Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus After Initiation of Antiretroviral Therapy in HIV Infected Individuals	3.45pm-4.00pm	Thorpe R – Coinfection with HIV and Hepatitis C: Data from HIV Futures 5	3.45pm-4.00pm	Calmy A – Routine Viral Load in Resource-Limited-Settings: Unnecessary Luxury or Necessity?
4.00pm-4.15pm	Giles M – Variable Uptake of Recommended Interventions to Rescue Perinatal HIV Transmission in Australia 1982-2004	4.00pm-4.15pm	Carey D – POLY-L-LACTIC Acid Injections For Facial Lipotrophy: A Randomised, Multicentre Trial	4.00pm-4.15pm	Day C – Experience of Hepatitis C Testing Among Drug Users	4.00pm-4.15pm	Sarim C – The Role of Peer Support Workers in Adherence Support at the Social Health Clinic, Phnom Penh, Cambodia
4.15pm-4.30pm	Burke M – Understanding Traditional and Modernising Masculinities in Prevention of Mother to Child Transmission Programs in Tanzania	4.15pm-4.35pm	Paul A – Challenges in Management Of Treatment-Experienced Virologically Non-Suppressed Patients With Multiple HIV-1 Drug Resistance	4.15pm-4.30pm	Grierson J – Australian Trends in ARV Uptake and Experience 1997-2005	4.15pm-4.30pm	Martha A – Health Laboratory Service Program For HIV/AIDS In Indonesia
4.30pm-4.45pm	Giles M – Assisted Reproduction For HIV Discordant Couples	4.35pm-4.50pm	Pathavanich P – Risk Factors Determining Antiretroviral Drug Treatment Failure Among HIV/AIDS Patients Attending A Government Hospital In Northern Thailand	4.30pm-4.45pm	Pitts M – Living and Working with HIV: Results from HIV Futures Surveys 1997-2005	4.30pm-4.45pm	Houtzager L – Nutrition Knowledge, Attitude and Practice of Health Professionals Caring for PLWHA in Indonesia
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Evening	Free Evening						

SATURDAY 14 OCTOBER 2006

7.30am – 8.30am – 9.00am		Registration – Grand Waldorf Foyer (Ground Floor) Arrival Coffee/Tea – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer	
9.00am – 10.30am	Nursing Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chairs: Garry Trotter and Janine Roney	9.00am – 10.30am	IDU Workshop State Ballroom 3 Chair: Nick Crofts
9.00am – 9.15am	Rendle Va – Group Cognitive Therapy (Cbt) For HIV+ And Gay Men	9.00am – 9.15am	Drummond F – Episodic CD4-Guided Use of ART is Inferior to Continuous Therapy: Results of the SMART Study
9.15am – 9.30am	Tank K – Death Knell For The Hospice? Palliative Care Provision For HIV In The Naughties: A Sacred Heart Perspective	9.15am – 9.30am	Emery S – Progression of Opportunistic Disease or Death (POD) in the Randomised SMART Study: Why Was The Risk of POD Greater in the CD4+ Guided Drug Conservation (DC) Arm vs. the Virological Suppression Arm?
9.30am – 9.45am	Dobson P – The Best Of Both Worlds: Collaboration Between Health Promotion & Clinicians In HIV/STI/PEP Education	9.30am – 9.45am	Anderson J – The Effect Of Episodic CD4-Guided Antiretroviral Therapy On Quality Of Life: Results Of The Quality Of Life Substudy Of SMART
9.45am – 10.00am	Cockroft E – Establishing A Nursing Telephone Information Line For Victorians To Access HIV Post Exposure Prophylaxis (PEP)	9.45am – 10.00am	Hoy J – Overview Of All Other Treatment Interruption Studies
10.00am – 10.15am	Ranka J – Effects Of Information Processing Impairment On Everyday Tasks In People With AIDS Dementia Complex	10.00am – 10.30am	Panel Discussion
10.15am – 10.30am	Blyth K – Provision Of HIV Clinical Care And Support For PLWHA With High Level Care Needs In The Community		
10.30am – 11.00am			
11.00am – 12.30pm	Plenary 4 & Closing Grand Waldorf Ballroom Chairs: Sharon Lewin and Joe Sasadeusz		
11.00am – 11.35am	Anne Mijch – Infectious Disease Physician Melbourne, Australia Antiretroviral Treatment in the Region		
11.35am – 12.10pm	Connie Celum – Division of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, University of Washington HSV-2 and HIV: Interactions & Interventions		
12.10pm – 12.25pm	Closing Remarks & Prize Announcements		
12.25pm – 12.30pm	Future Conferences		
12.30pm – 1.30pm	Lunch – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer		
1.30pm – 3.00pm	2nd Consensus Conference on the Australian Commentary to the USA Antiretroviral Guidelines Grand Waldorf Ballroom		
3.00pm – 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea – Grand Waldorf Ballroom Foyer		
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5.00pm	Close		

THE 2ND AUSTRALASIAN CONSENSUS CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Time	Session	Chairs	Format	Speaker
1:30	Welcome and rules of engagement	Professor Sharon Lewin & Dr Alan Street		Dr Alan Street
	Perspectives on guideline development			
1:40	NHMRC vision			Professor Warwick Anderson
1:50	US DHHS ARV Guidelines			Ms Alice Pau
2:10			Discussion	
2:20	First-line therapy: Yes to abacavir, no to AZT?	Professor Sharon Lewin & Dr Alan Street		
				Dr Patricia Martinez
				A/Professor Anne Mijch
				Dr Paddy Mallon
3:00			Discussion	
3:10	Afternoon tea			
3:30	Resistance Testing: Now recommended but what about access?	A/Professor Jenny Hoy and Dr Jonathan Anderson		
				A/Professor Sean Emery
				Dr Roger Garsia
				Professor Suzanne Crowe
4:05			Discussion	
4:15	Treatment Interruption: Dead in the water or awaiting rescue?	A/Professor Jenny Hoy and Dr Jonathan Anderson		
				Dr Fraser Drummond
				Dr David Baker
				Dr Jeffrey Grierson
4:50			Discussion	
5:00pm	Close			