

The Children's Hospital at Westmead 12th Annual Paediatric Palliative Care Symposium Thursday, 3 March 2016

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For Medical, Nursing and Allied Health Professionals

International Guest Speaker: Ulrika Kreicbergs RN, PhD

Ulrika Kreicbergs holds a professorship, funded by the Gålö Foundation, in palliative care for children and youth at Ersta Sköndal University College and is also associated with the Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden. Her doctoral thesis entitled "To Lose a Child To Cancer: A Nationwide Study of Parental Experiences", at Karolinska Institutet in 2004, has been acknowledged worldwide. Dr Kreicbergs completed postdoctoral studies at the Dana Farber Cancer Institute and Boston Children's Hospital in Boston, US and has continued her research in paediatric palliative care. Her research is now focused on factors in health care that can be modified or avoided to reduce suffering and thereby enhance quality of life for the child and their families.

Program

Date Thursday, 3 March 2016
Time 8.30am – 4.20pm (Registration from 8am)
Venue Lorimer Dods Lecture Theatre
The Children's Hospital at Westmead
Cnr Hawkesbury & Hainsworth Avenue, Westmead NSW 2145

Workshops on Research, Bereavement and Practical advice for medical practitioners will be conducted on Friday, 4 March. Check the website <http://www.schn.health.nsw.gov.au/health-professionals/work-and-learn/learn-with-us/education-and-training-events> for full details and registration form.

08.00-08.30	Registration NEW INITIATIVES	12.00-13.00	Lunch GRAND ROUNDS
08.30-08.55	Hummingbird House, Queensland Children's Hospice (Paul and Gabrielle Quilliam)	13.00-14.00	Ethics Forum (Christine Duffield, Vicki Xafis, David Isaacs, Henry Kilham)
08.55-09.20	Quality of Care Collaborative Australia (QuoCCA) for Paediatric Palliative Care Education (Anthony Herbert)	14.00-14.15	Brief break
09.20-09.45	Paediatric Palliative Care in Southern Tasmania (Chris Edwards)	14.15-14.45	Medical Marijuana (Sharon Ryan)
09.45-10.15	Morning Tea	14.45-15.15	Palliative Care Nursing in the community (Therese Smeal)
	RESEARCH	15.15-15.40	Afternoon tea
10.15-10.45	Bereavement Research: findings from the Compass Study (Leigh Donovan)		INTERNATIONAL GUEST SPEAKER
10.45-11.15	Palliative Care and the Child with Neuroblastoma (Jusveer Rakhra)	15.40-16.20	Risk of parental dissolution of partnership following the loss of a child to cancer: a population-based long-term follow-up (Ulrika Kreicbergs)
	INTERNATIONAL GUEST SPEAKER		
11.15-12.00	Talking about Death with Children who have Severe Malignant Disease (Ulrika Kreicbergs)	16.20	Conclusion

Faculty

Leigh Donovan, Bereavement Coordinator / PhD Candidate; Bereavement Support Program, Paediatric Palliative Care Service; Lady Cilento Children's Hospital, Brisbane, QLD; Kids Cancer Centre, Sydney Children's Hospital and UNSW

Julie Duffield, Clinical Practice Consultant, Paediatric Palliative Care Service, Women's and Children's Hospital, Adelaide, SA

Christine Edwards, Staff Specialist Palliative Care, Royal Hobart Hospital, Tasmanian Health Service, TAS

Anthony Herbert, Director, Paediatric Palliative Care Service, Lady Cilento Children's Hospital, South Brisbane, QLD

David Isaacs, Senior Staff Specialist, Infectious Diseases and Clinical Ethics, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, NSW

Henry Kilham, Senior Staff Specialist Clinical Ethics, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, NSW

Ulrika Kreicbergs, Professor, Palliative Care for Children and Youth, Ersta Sköndal University College and Karolinska Institutet Stockholm, Sweden

Gabrielle Quilliam, Co-founder, Hummingbird House, Brisbane, QLD

Paul Quilliam, Co-founder, Hummingbird House, Brisbane, QLD

Jusveer Rakhra, Fellow, Paediatric Palliative Medicine, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, NSW

Sharon Ryan, Senior Staff Specialist, Paediatric Palliative Care, John Hunter Children's Hospital, Newcastle, NSW

Therese Smeal, Area Nurse Coordinator, Palliative Care, Sydney South West Local Health District, Sydney, NSW

Vicki Xafis, Clinical Ethics Coordinator, The Sydney Children's Hospitals Network, Sydney, NSW

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