

PROGRAM

FRIDAY 12 JULY 2013

REFERENCE INTERVALS AND DECISION LIMITS – AN UPDATE



0800	REGISTRATION		
0825	WELCOME – <i>Mr Peter Graham, AACB</i>		
0830-1000	SESSION 1: HRIs (Adult & Paediatric) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction : Update from May 2012 Workshop - Goals of 2013 Workshop <i>A/Prof Graham Jones</i> “Aussie Normals” Reference Interval and Bias Study 2 Update <i>Mr Gus Koerbin</i> Corrected Calcium, review of algorithms - <i>Ms Julie Ryan</i> Bicarbonate – Sonic Study results - <i>Dr Ken Sikaris</i> 		
1000-1030	MORNING TEA		
1030-1200	BREAKOUT SESSIONS SESSION 2: A & B - Update of Problematic Analytes: ‘Bias 2’ and Data Mining <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> A. Problematic Analytes – Albumin/Globulin, AST, ALT (+/- P-5P), GGT, Bilirubin, Lipase <i>Facilitator Dr Ken Sikaris</i> <i>Mr Gus Koerbin</i> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> B. Problematic Analytes – CK, Corr Ca, Urate, Bicarbonate (Inpatient vs Outpatient), Urea (age related with input from Kidney Health Australia), Creatinine <i>Facilitator & Presenter A/Prof Graham Jones</i> </td> </tr> </table>	A. Problematic Analytes – Albumin/Globulin, AST, ALT (+/- P-5P), GGT, Bilirubin, Lipase <i>Facilitator Dr Ken Sikaris</i> <i>Mr Gus Koerbin</i>	B. Problematic Analytes – CK, Corr Ca, Urate, Bicarbonate (Inpatient vs Outpatient), Urea (age related with input from Kidney Health Australia), Creatinine <i>Facilitator & Presenter A/Prof Graham Jones</i>
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1210-1230	DISCUSSION OF WORKSHOP A & B – Outcomes <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitator Workshop A - <i>Dr Ken Sikaris</i> Facilitator Workshop B - <i>A/Prof Graham Jones</i> 		
1230-1330	LUNCH		
1330-1500	BREAKOUT SESSIONS SESSION 3: C & D - Paediatric and Decision Limits <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> C. Paediatric Survey Results - <i>Facilitator & Presenter Dr Tina Yen</i> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> D. Decision Limits – Lipids, CRP, Glucose, - Australian and New Zealand Position Statements <i>Facilitator Ms Maxine Reed</i> <i>Ms Maxine Reed, Dr David Sullivan & Dr Ken Sikaris</i> </td> </tr> </table>	C. Paediatric Survey Results - <i>Facilitator & Presenter Dr Tina Yen</i>	D. Decision Limits – Lipids, CRP, Glucose, - Australian and New Zealand Position Statements <i>Facilitator Ms Maxine Reed</i> <i>Ms Maxine Reed, Dr David Sullivan & Dr Ken Sikaris</i>
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1510-1530	DISCUSSION OF WORKSHOP C & D – Outcomes <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitator Workshop C - <i>Dr Tina Yen</i> Facilitator Workshop D - <i>Ms Maxine Reed</i> 		
1530-1600	AFTERNOON TEA		
1600-1700	SESSION 4: Final Considerations – To Harmonise or Not to Harmonise <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Adult RIs – <i>A/Prof Graham Jones</i> Paediatric RIs – <i>Dr Tina Yen</i> Decision limits – <i>Dr Ken Sikaris</i> 		
1700-1800	DRINKS		

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SATURDAY 13 JULY
HARMONISATION ACTIVITIES – AN UPDATE



0830	REGISTRATION
0900-1000	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Traceability – Recommended Methods – <i>A/Prof Graham Jones</i> 2. Chemistry Test Profiles – <i>A/Prof Tony Badrick</i>
1000-1030	MORNING TEA
1030-1130	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Iron Studies – Standardised Reporting Recommendations – <i>Dr Que Lam</i> 2. Critical Values Working Party Update – <i>Dr Que Lam</i> 3. PUTS Update – <i>Mr Robert Flatman</i> 4. Drug Units Update – <i>A/Prof Graham Jones</i> 5. RCPA Lipids Working Party Update (nonHDL/Chol/ National Vascular Disease Alliance) – <i>Dr David Sullivan</i>
1130-1230	<p>Clinical Discussion – Decision Limits – AST, ALT, GGT, Urate Which Cut-off , Which Reference Interval, Which Population Group?</p> <p>Facilitator – <i>Dr Ken Sikaris</i></p> <p>Open panel discussion with invited clinicians – <i>Dr Diana Chessman</i> (Rheumatologist) <i>Dr Geoff McCaughn</i> (Gastroenterologist)</p>
1230-1330	LUNCH
1330-1500	<p>DEBRIEF <i>A/Prof Graham Jones</i></p>
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