

**International Society of Oncology Pharmacy Practitioners**  
**Australasian Regional Symposium**  
**August 28-30, 2009**



**Friday 28 August 2009**

**OPENING SESSION –**

**1400 Opening: Carol Chambers** (President of ISOPP)

**1405-1500 Pharmacist management of cancer pain**

**Tim Tyler**

Director of Pharmacy Services  
Comprehensive Cancer Center  
Desert Regional Medical Center,  
Palm Springs, California. USA

**1500-15.45 Chemotherapy, Pregnancy and Fertility**

**Andrew Grigg**

Medical Haematologist  
Melbourne Health  
Melbourne, Australia

1545-1615 AFTERNOON TEA

**1615 – 1715 ONTrak Adolescent + Young Adult evidence-based cancer research.**

**David Thomas**

Medical Oncologist  
Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre  
Melbourne, Australia

**1715 – 1745: Medication Safety**

**Carole Chambers**

Pharmacy Director  
Alberta Cancer Board  
Canada

1745 –1845 WELCOME COCKTAIL PARTY  
(Cocktail attire optional)

## Saturday 29 August 2009

**900-1000 Targeting targeted therapy- the cetuximab story**  
**Jeremy Shapiro** Medical Oncologist, Alfred Health, Melbourne, Australia

**1000 – 1030 Cases**  
**Alex Chan**, Assistant Professor, National University of Singapore, Clinical Pharmacist  
 National Cancer Centre, Singapore.

**1030 - 1100 MORNING TEA**

**Session 1**

1100-1200  
 HIV in cancer  
**Alison Duncan**  
 Senior Pharmacist  
 Alfred Health  
 Melbourne, Australia

**Session 2**

1100-1200  
 Update in supportive care  
 research  
**Jude Lees**  
 Senior Cancer Centre Pharmacist  
 Royal Adelaide Hospital  
 Adelaide, Australia

**Session 3**

1100 – 1200  
 Anti-Thymocyte Globulins in  
 BMT  
**Ruth Chieng**  
 Bone Marrow Transplant Pharmacist  
 Alfred Health  
 Melbourne, Australia

**1200 – 1330 LUNCH**

1215– 1315 symposium : Safe Manipulation of Cytotoxic Products:  
**Jim Jorgensen**  
 Director Pharmacy University of Utah Hospital , ISOPP Standards Committee Chair

**Session 4**

1330-1430  
 I, Robot  
**Michael Moloney**  
 Senior Oncology Pharmacist  
 Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre  
 Melbourne, Australia and **Jackie  
 Abercrombie**  
 Specialist Oncology Technician  
 Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre  
 Melbourne, Australia

**Session 5**

1330-1430  
 Chemotherapy interactions  
**John Coutsovellis**  
 Senior Clinical Pharmacist  
 Oncology and Haematology  
 Alfred Health  
 Melbourne, Australia

**Session 6**

1330 - 1430  
 AYA topic  
**Tracy Shields**  
 Paediatric Clinical Pharmacist -  
 Oncology  
 Royal Children's Hospital  
 Melbourne, Australia

**Session 7**

1430-1530 IT topic  
 HealthSMART Clinical System  
 Cerner Millennium. (electronic  
 prescribing)  
**Heather Grain**  
 Clinical Projects Manager  
 Centre for Applied Informatics  
 Austin Health  
 Melbourne, Australia

**Session 8**

1430-1530 Update your  
 understanding of Lymphoma  
**Diana Booth**  
 BMT pharmacist  
 Melbourne Health  
 Melbourne, Australia

**Session 9**

1430 -1530  
 steroid refractory  
 acute GVHD with cases  
**Genevieve Daly**  
 Senior Paediatric Oncology  
 Pharmacist  
 Centre for Children's Cancer &  
 Blood Disorders  
 Sydney Children's Hospital  
 Sydney, Australia

**1530-1600 AFTERNOON TEA**

<b>Session 10</b> 1600-1700 Clinical Trials – What you need to know/The essential package <b>Carol Rice</b> Senior Pharmacist Clinical Trials Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre Melbourne, Australia	<b>Session 11</b> 1600-1700 Oral Chemo- meeting the SHPA guidelines in a general dispensary <b>Robbie McLauchlan</b> Dispensary Manager Austin Health Melbourne, Australia	<b>Session 12</b> 1600-1700 AML in the elderly: update <b>Gail Rowan</b> Senior Pharmacist for Clinical Services Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre Melbourne, Australia
1700-1745 POSTER VIEWING WITH AUTHORS PRESENT		

## Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2009

0900 - 1000 <b>Palliative care</b> <b>Sanjeev Gil</b> Medical Oncologist Oncology Alfred Hospital
1000 - 1100 <b>Antioxidants</b> <b>Clare Francis</b> Palliative Care Pharmacist, Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre, Melbourne, Australia
1100-1130 MORNING TEA
1130-1230 <i>Pearls of Wisdom</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Ethanol locks and CVL infection</b>  <b>Ruth Tramscheck</b>  Oncology Pharmacist, Christchurch Hospital, New Zealand</li> <li>2. <b>Melatonin in Oncology</b>  <b>Suphat Subongkot</b>  Assistant Professor in Pharmacy Practice, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Khon Kaen University, Thailand</li> <li>3. <b>The story of folinic acid and folic acid use in oncology</b>  <b>Maxine Handford</b>  Clinical Oncology Pharmacist, Waikato Hospital, Hamilton, New Zealand</li> <li>4. <b>Alternatives to IV defibrotide for veno-occlusive disease.</b>  <b>Speaker TBA</b></li> </ol>
1230 – 1300 <b>ISOPP Update – ISOPP President Carole Chambers</b>
1300 MEETING CLOSE

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