Epworth HealthCare Breast Symposium
Diagnosis, treatment and care of patients with breast disease

Eureka 89, Eureka Tower
Southbank, Melbourne
Friday 18 February, 2011

Inaugural Epworth General Surgery and Gastroenterology Clinical Institute Symposium
Program

8:00am
Registration

8:50am
Welcome and Introduction

9:00am – 10.30am
Management of benign disease or diagnosis and follow up of disease
Mr Tony Hyett
What I do with “benign” patients

Dr Allison Rose
The Category 3 mammogram/ultrasound – where to now?

Dr Leonie Constable
The at risk lesion – what does it mean?

10.30am – 11.00am
Morning Tea

11.00am – 12.30pm
The breast cancer patient
Dr Geoff Lindeman
The breast stem cell – where is the science going?

Ms Jane O’Brien
How I reconstruct the breast and who needs a plastic surgeon?

Mr Hamish Farrow
Which patients require a plastic surgeon for reconstruction?

12.30pm – 1.30pm
Lunch

1.30pm – 3.00pm
Dr Allison Rose
Who should have an MRI?

Dr Michael Chao
Radiotherapy
• Too much too often?
• The future of partial breast irradiation
• New criteria for selection

Dr Rick De Boer
Adjuvant Treatment
• Hormonal therapy – has anything really changed?

3.00pm – 3.30pm
Afternoon tea

3.30pm -5.00pm
Case discussions
What we do with these difficult problems?
Chairman: Mr Craig Murphy
Panel
• Prof Michael Green
• Dr Michael Chao
• Assoc Prof John Collins
• Ms Jane O’Brien
• Mr Tony Hyett

5.00pm
Post-symposium drinks and canapes

7.30pm
Close of Symposium
About the Faculty

Dr Michael Chao
Michael Chao is a radiation oncologist with over 12 years experience specialising in breast, lower gastrointestinal and prostate cancers. He consults at the Ringwood and East Melbourne Radiation Oncology Centres and has admitting rights to Epworth Freemasons and Ringwood Private Hospital. He is also an honorary radiation oncologist at the Royal Melbourne and Maroondah Hospital.

Assoc Prof John Collins
Assoc Prof John Collins is a breast surgeon practicing in the breast unit at the Royal Melbourne Hospital and at Epworth Freemasons. His major interest has been both benign and malignant breast disease and in the organisation and running of clinical trials in breast cancer. He is currently on the board of Breastscreen Victoria and the Victorian Breast Cancer Research Consortium.

Dr Leonie Constable
Dr. Leonie Constable is Director of Histopathology at Melbourne Pathology. She is involved in daily diagnostic work in histopathology and cytology, and has a special interest in breast pathology and the pathology of soft tissue tumours. She is a member of the ANZ Breast Cancer Trials Group and the Breast Cancer Committee of the Victorian Cooperative Oncology Group.

Dr Rick de Boer
Dr Richard de Boer MBBS FRACP Consultant Medical Oncologist, Department of Medical Oncology, Royal Melbourne, Royal Women’s and Western Hospitals, Melbourne. Dr de Boer’s major clinical interests include endocrine therapies, bone health, targeted therapies and the management of breast cancer in young patients. He has a major involvement in clinical trials both at the Australian and international levels.

Mr Hamish Farrow
Hamish is a Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon. He is a Fellow of the Royal Australian College of Surgeons and a member of both the Australian Society of Plastic Surgeons and the Australian Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgeons. Mr Farrow has a number of research interests in Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery and has a strong commitment to teaching. He is a supervisor of training for the Victorian Board of Plastic Surgery. For the last 8 years he has undertaken public operating lists at the Austin and Repatriation Hospital, Heidelberg and the Latrobe Regional Hospital, Traralgon.

Assoc Prof Michael Green
Michael Green is a Professor of Medicine at the University of Melbourne, Director of Cancer Services at Western Health and a consultant medical oncologist at the Royal Melbourne Hospital. His major clinical interest is in the treatment of patients with breast cancer, early clinical trials and new agents for cancer treatment. He is a recent member of the Breastscreen Victoria Board.

Mr Tony Hyett
As a member of the Western and Austin Breast Units, Mr Hyett’s special interest is in the diagnosis and treatment of benign and malignant breast disease and breast cancer management.

Professor Geoff Lindeman
Professor Geoff Lindeman is Joint Head of the Stem Cells and Cancer Division at the Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research and Clinical Director of the ACRF Centre for Therapeutic Target Discovery. He is also a medical oncologist and Head of the Familial Cancer Centre at The Royal Melbourne Hospital. He holds an appointment as Principal Fellow in the Department of Medicine at the University of Melbourne.

Mr Craig Murphy
Mr Craig Murphy is a General / Breast Surgeon with the Royal Women’s Hospital. He is also a consultant with the Royal Melbourne Hospital and the Royal Melbourne Hospital Breast Screen Program.

Ms Jane O’Brien
Jane O’Brien is a specialist breast surgeon whose practice is exclusively confined to breast work, encompassing the assessment, diagnosis and treatment of all benign and malignant conditions of the breast and surveillance and prophylactic surgery for high risk groups. She has public appointments at the Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre including the Familial Cancer Centre and also at Breastscreen Victoria. All her private operating is performed at Epworth Richmond.

Dr Allison Rose
Dr Allison Rose is Director of North Western BreastScreen which provides a free mammographic screening program for women without breast symptoms or breast problems who are aged 40 and over. The program especially targets women aged 50 to 69. She is also a senior fellow in radiology at the University of Melbourne.
Symposium Registration

Please register by Monday 7 February, 2011.

To register, or for further information contact:

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Registration includes the full day program with meals and beverages provided.

All fees include GST and a tax invoice will be forwarded to you after registration.

☐ Yes $350
☐ Yes $300 (Trainee/Nursing Staff)

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