



FRSA 2018 NATIONAL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

TUESDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2018

Pre-Conference Workshop Day

	Boardroom 2	Bluewater 2	Bluewater 1	Rosser
	Full Day Workshop	Full Day Workshop	Full Day Workshop	Half Day Workshops
9:00AM - 12:30PM	<p><u>Culturally informed trauma integrated healing practice: Practitioner-focused workshop*</u></p> <p>Emeritus Professor Judy Atkinson</p> <p><i>*Open to Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal participants</i></p>	<p><u>Family Law Workshop:</u></p> <p>Attorney-General's Department Family Law Update</p> <p>Kerry Wolke, Assistant Director, Family Safety Branch</p>	<p><u>What it really means to be trauma-informed</u></p> <p>Dr Howard Bath</p>	<p>Creating a culture of research and evaluation:</p> <p><u>Evaluation planning and program logics</u></p> <p>Kerry Haynes, Sharnee Moore, Jess Smart, Stewart Muir, Kelly Hand,</p> <p>Australian Institute of Family Studies</p>
10:30AM – 11:00AM	Morning Tea			
	<p><u>Culturally informed trauma integrated healing practice: Practitioner-focused workshop</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p><u>Family Law Workshop:</u> ALRC Discussion Paper: A Conversation</p> <p>Dr Julie MacKenzie, Sarah Dobinson, Australian Law Reform Commission</p>	<p><u>What it really means to be trauma-informed</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p>Creating a culture of research and evaluation:</p> <p><u>Evaluation planning and program logics</u></p> <p>Continued</p>
12:30PM – 1:30PM	Lunch			
1:30PM - 3:00PM	<p><u>Culturally informed trauma integrated healing practice: Practitioner-focused workshop</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p><u>Family Law Workshop</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p><u>What it really means to be trauma-informed</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p>Creating a culture of research and evaluation:</p> <p><u>Communication for impact: telling the story of your program</u></p> <p>Rebecca Armstrong,</p> <p>Australian Institute of Family Studies</p>
3:00PM – 3:30PM	Afternoon Tea			
3:30PM – 4:00PM	<p><u>Culturally informed trauma integrated healing practice: Practitioner-focused workshop</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p><u>Family Law Workshop</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p><u>What it really means to be trauma-informed</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p>Creating a culture of research and evaluation:</p> <p><u>Communication for impact: telling the story of your program</u></p> <p>Continued</p>
4:00PM – 5:00PM	<p>Yarning Circle for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander participants only</p>	<p><u>Family Law Workshop</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p><u>What it really means to be trauma-informed</u></p> <p>Continued</p>	<p><u>Communication for impact: telling the story of your program</u></p> <p>Continued</p>



FRSA 2018 NATIONAL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Click on session titles for more details

WEDNESDAY 21 NOVEMBER 2018

8:00AM	Registration Desk Opens					
PLENARY SESSION 1 Grand Ballroom						
9:00AM	Welcome to Country					
9:10AM	Welcome to Conference Michael Austin, FRSA Board Chair					
9:20AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS 1 The Hon Michelle Landry MP Assistant Minister for Children and Families					
9:40AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS 2 Dr Jackie Huggins Co-Chair, National Congress of Australia's First Peoples <i>Putting our voices at the centre of delivering services to our communities</i>					
10:20AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS 3 Dr Howard Bath <i>The Place of the Trauma Framework in Child and Family Services</i>					
11:00AM	Morning Tea					
PLENARY SESSION 2 Grand Ballroom						
11:30AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS 4 Dr Stephen Crossley Senior Lecturer, Northumbria University <i>'Troubled families' or a 'troubling policy'? Lessons to be learnt from the Troubled Families Programme</i>					
12:45PM	Lunch					
CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1						
	Kuranda Ballroom	Rosser Theater	Bluewater 1	Bluewater 2	Mossman Ballroom	Boardroom 2
	The first 1000 days	Key transition points in the schooling years	Partnering and cohabitation	Family Violence	Relationship breakdown and re-partnering	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
	Concurrent Session 1A	Concurrent Session 1B	Concurrent Session 1C	Concurrent Session 1D	Concurrent Session 1E	Concurrent Session 1F
	Chair: Dr Deborah Hartman	Chair: Sue Christophers	Chair: Paula Washington	Chair: Bridget Quayle	Chair: Emily Hapea	Chair: Walter Guivarra
1:30PM	Looking back looking forward- valuing relationship Kelly Gribben, Nicole Rollbusch, Emerging Minds	Enhancing child safety – A whole-of-school curriculum approach Kristy Innes, Sharon Grocott, Interrelate	Building capacity to sustain relationships for men with families at risk of homelessness Brian Tranter, Adrian Workman, Uniting	Queer-specific intimate partner violence and family violence service provision: A new experience Jill Faulkner, drummond street services/queerspace	"Give children a bigger voice, more of the time" – Findings from the Children and Young People in Separated Families Project Dr Rachel Carson, Australian Institute of Family Studies	Growing Strong Brains: - An interactive toolkit used in remote WA with Aboriginal families/communities Dr Elaine Bennett, Ngala
2:00PM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 1G	Concurrent Session 1H	Concurrent Session 1I	Concurrent Session 1J	Concurrent Session 1K	Concurrent Session 1L
	Chair: Dr Deborah Hartman	Chair: Sue Christophers	Chair: Paula Washington	Chair: Bridget Quayle	Chair: Emily Hapea	Chair: Walter Guivarra
2:05PM	Why a theory of parenting matters in the first 1000 days of infancy Michael Hawton, Parentshop Pty Ltd	Transition from primary school to secondary school research project- enhancing mental health wellbeing Tanya Judge, CatholicCare Wilcannia-Forbes NSW	Health justice partnerships Anna McCarthy, Ruth Pilkinton, Legal Aid NSW	Project HERA: Police and support service working together to respond fast to domestic violence Anita Watson, YFS Ltd Sergeant Glen Green, Logan Police	LAFDR and LACADFR: Creative legally assisted mediation Michael Atkinson, Khairy Majeed Mackillop Family Services	Leading from behind. Reclaiming 'Old Way' for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families Sarah Decrea, Relationships Australia South Australia
2:35PM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 1M	Concurrent Session 1N	Concurrent Session 1O	Concurrent Session 1P	Concurrent Session 1Q	Concurrent Session 1R
	Chair: Dr Deborah Hartman	Chair: Sue Christophers	Chair: Paula Washington	Chair: Bridget Quayle	Chair: Emily Hapea	Chair: Walter Guivarra
2:40PM	Positioning supervision to ensure no infant is left behind Kelly Gribben, Nicole Rollbusch, Emerging Minds	The Settle Well Project Nestor Estampa, Nick Collins, CatholicCare Melbourne	Evaluating for change Beth McCann, Shae Johnson, drummond street services	Navigating case complexity pathways. The WISE approach to intervention selection Jonathan Graham, Institute of Specialist Dispute Resolution	Post Orders Intervention program - A 'hybrid' approach to improve outcomes for court ordered families Marie Johnson, Jill Russell, Uniting	Providing culturally appropriate services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in a mainstream service Stuart McMinn, Patricia Ocelli, Interrelate
3:10PM	Afternoon tea					
CONCURRENT SESSIONS 2						
	Kuranda Ballroom	Rosser Theater	Bluewater 1	Bluewater 2	Mossman Ballroom	Boardroom 2
	The first 1000 days	Key transition points in the schooling years	Partnering and cohabitation	Parenting	Relationship breakdown and re-partnering	Ageing
	Concurrent Session 2A	Concurrent Session 2B	Concurrent Session 2C	Concurrent Session 2D	Concurrent Session 2E	Concurrent Session 2F
	Chair: Glenda Devlin	Chair: Marie Morrison	Chair: Kyra Hutchison	Chair: Kelly Hand	Chair: Rachael Field	Chair: Paula Washington
3:45PM	A thousand days of play Fiona May, Playgroup Australia	Dads In School Michael Browne, Mark Braes, CatholicCare Wilcannia-Forbes NSW	I thought I knew all about my relationship...but do I? Mandi Smith, Prepare/enrich Australia	Using a human centred design approach with young parents: Let's not leave them behind Bernadette Drummond, Anglicare WA	More than supervised contact? An integrative therapeutic model promotes safer contact and progression to self-management Dr Lauren Kadwell, Courtney Jacques, CatholicCare Sydney	Differences in risk factors and abuse patterns in familial elder abuse Anna Gillbard, UnitingCare
4:15PM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 2G	Concurrent Session 2H	Concurrent Session 2I	Concurrent Session 2J	Concurrent Session 2K	Concurrent Session 2L
	Chair: Glenda Devlin	Chair: Marie Morrison	Chair: Kyra Hutchison	Chair: Kelly Hand	Chair: Rachael Field	Chair: Paula Washington
4:20PM	It takes a village to make a change Claire Tarelli, Miranda Edwards, CatholicCare Sandhurst	Key transition points in a child's life Jane Harpley, C&K Association, Chris Hanrahan, Napranum Pal Group, Leichan Williams, Boopa Werem Community Kindergarten	Stepped care relationship interventions – How organisations can lead the change in improving relationships Dr Jemima Petch, Relationships Australia Queensland	Ensuring children and families are not left behind in fathering groups Cath Tregillis, Lifeworks Relationship Counselling And Education Services	Direct cross-examination in family law matters – Findings from new research Dr Rachel Carson, Australian Institute of Family Studies	Responding to elder abuse in rural and remote communities Amy Warren, Curtin University
4:50PM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 2M	Concurrent Session 2N	Concurrent Session 2O	Concurrent Session 2P	Concurrent Session 2Q	Concurrent Session 2R
	Chair: Glenda Devlin	Chair: Marie Morrison	Chair: Kyra Hutchison	Chair: Kelly Hand	Chair: Rachael Field	Chair: Paula Washington
4:55PM	Early Matters, driving change through a whole community approach Shelley Fallowfield, Relationships Australia Victoria	Why supporting parents in lifelong-learning is relevant to family services: A case study of Uni4You Graeme Stuart, Michele Oshan, Kerrell Bourne Family Action Centre, University of Newcastle	Why should you be anything different David Cluff, Mercy Community	Still building connections - for separated parents Robyn Parker Interrelate	How to grow a children's contact service with limited resources Melissa Labor, Maureen Gillett, CatholicCare Wollongong	Outcomes from elder abuse prevention services Serge Sardo, Catherine Hayden, Better Place Australia
5:30PM	End of Day 1					



FRSA 2018 NATIONAL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Click on session titles for more details

THURSDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2018

PLENARY SESSION 3 Grand Ballroom

8:30AM	Welcome Michael Austin, FRSA Board Chair
8:40AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS 5 Senator Amanda Stoker Senator for Queensland
9:00AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS 6 Dr Andrew Bickerdike Part-Time Commissioner, Australian Law Reform Commission <i>The ALRC's Review of the Family Law System</i>
9:40AM	KEYNOTE ADDRESS 7 Judge Joe Harman Federal Circuit Court of Australia <i>How FDR/ADR is integral to the individual, the community and the Administration of Justice</i>

Morning Tea

CONCURRENT SESSIONS 3

	Kuranda Ballroom	Rosser Theater	Bluewater 1	Bluewater 2	Mossman Ballroom	Boardroom 2
	The first 1000 days	Key transition points in the schooling years	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	Family Violence	Relationship breakdown and re-partnering	Ageing
	Concurrent Session 3A	Concurrent Session 3B	Concurrent Session 3C	Concurrent Session 3D	Concurrent Session 3E	Concurrent Session 3F
	Chair: Sue Christophers	Chair: Dr Deborah Hartman	Chair: Kelly Hand	Chair: Chris Le Gay Brereton	Chair: Kyra Hutchison	Chair: Bridget Quayle
10:50AM	<u>Cue based infant massage - attachment and attunement program across cultures and communities</u> Deborah Lockwood, Relationships Australia South Australia	<u>Pathways for early learning and development - exploring family support with children at the centre</u> Iona Tait, Queensland Department of Education	<u>Improving relationships with children for Aboriginal men who have used violence</u> Andrew Rush, drummond street services	<u>The Alternatives to Violence Project - a strengths-based approach to nonviolent relationships and conflict resolution</u> Graeme Stuart, University of Newcastle, Gener Lapina, Family Support Newcastle	<u>Legally assisted and culturally appropriate mediation - our children, our choice</u> Kelly Hatch, Jesse Porter Centacare NENW	<u>Elder Abuse National research - Stage 1 - The development of an Australian definition of abuse of older people to apply in research</u> Dr Rachel Carson, Australian Institute of Family Studies
11:20AM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 3G	Concurrent Session 3H	Concurrent Session 3I	Concurrent Session 3J	Concurrent Session 3K	Concurrent Session 3L
	Chair: Sue Christophers	Chair: Dr Deborah Hartman	Chair: Kelly Hand	Chair: Chris Le Gay Brereton	Chair: Kyra Hutchison	Chair: Bridget Quayle
11:25AM	<u>Safe from the start 'listening to the voices of children'</u> Danielle Habib, CatholicCare Diocese of Broken Bay	<u>R4Respect - Young people empowering their peers towards respectful relationships</u> Beenush Khokhar, Tom Rainsford, R4respect at YFS Ltd	<u>'Hey Brother' - connecting and supporting our Aboriginal men's growth, their desire to change</u> Jane Kemp, CatholicCare Wilcannia-Forbes NSW	<u>National Office for Child Safety</u> Kathryn Mandla, Department of Social Services	<u>Strengthening prevention and early intervention service provision in the context of a Family Relationship Centre</u> Norma Williams, Sue Alexander, Logan FRC, UnitingCare	<u>Elder abuse intervention</u> Jeannette Stott, Relationships Australia South Australia
11:55AM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 3M	Concurrent Session 3N	Concurrent Session 3O	Concurrent Session 3P	Concurrent Session 3Q	Concurrent Session 3R
	Chair: Sue Christophers	Chair: Dr Deborah Hartman	Chair: Kelly Hand	Chair: Chris Le Gay Brereton	Chair: Kyra Hutchison	Chair: Bridget Quayle
12:00PM	<u>Look how many likes we got baby!</u> Helen Rimington, Beth McCann drummond street services	<u>Foundations for effective transitions to school</u> Meg Jones, Tracey Moir C&K	<u>Structuring group work practice to include cultural and minority voices</u> Ros Singleton, Family Support Newcastle	<u>The Velvet Covered Sledgehammer: A child-centred approach to perpetrator intervention</u> Monique Yeoman, Fiona Edwards, Children's Protection Society	<u>'Let's talk about the kids' - engaging parents in the exploration phase of FDR</u> Sarah Devis, Interrelate	<u>CALD communities and elder abuse</u> Catherine Hayden, Better Place Australia
12:30PM	Lunch					

PLENARY SESSION 4 Grand Ballroom

1:30PM	Welcome Michael Austin, FRSA Board Chair
1:35PM	PANEL DISCUSSION 1 Family Law Panel <i>What would the ideal family law system look like?</i> Panellists: Judge Matthew Myers AM, Federal Circuit Court of Australia, Professor Rachael Field, Bond University, Associate Professor Bruce Smyth, Australian National University and Dr Andrew Bickerdike, Part-Time Commissioner, Australian Law Reform Commission
3:15PM	Afternoon tea

CONCURRENT SESSIONS 4

	Kuranda Ballroom	Rosser Theater	Bluewater 1	Bluewater 2	Mossman Ballroom	Boardroom 2
	The first 1000 days	Technology	Partnering and cohabitation	Relationship breakdown and re-partnering	Relationship breakdown and re-partnering	Ageing
	Concurrent Session 4A	Concurrent Session 4B	Concurrent Session 4C	Concurrent Session 4D	Concurrent Session 4E	Concurrent Session 4F
	Chair: Walter Guivarra	Chair: Rachael Field	Chair: Glenda Devlin	Chair: Paula Washington	Chair : Marie Morrison	Chair: Emily Hapea
3:45PM	<u>The Big Tent program: enhancing experience and knowledge of professionals in early childhood settings</u> Mandy Taylor, Associate Professor Claire Thompson, Professor Kathryn von Treuer The Cairnmillar Institute	<u>Ready Steady.... Together! Helping CALD new parents adjust</u> Helen Rimington, Amanda Testro drummond street services	<u>Walking the talk - towards truly inclusive services for diverse families and communities</u> Chris Pye, Relationships Australia Queensland	<u>KIN-ctions - Embracing diversity: A new approach for the FRC in walking with diverse families</u> Kurene Faalolo, Lenora Aldridge, Centacare North Queensland	<u>Providing Children with a voice in complex family dispute resolution cases</u> Johanna Wood, Narelle Russ Victoria Legal Aid	<u>Supporting Queensland grandparents who have informal care of their grandchildren</u> Dulcie Bronsch, UnitingCare
4:15PM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 4G	Concurrent Session 4H	Concurrent Session 4I	Concurrent Session 4J	Concurrent Session 4K	Concurrent Session 4L
	Chair: Walter Guivarra	Chair: Rachael Field	Chair: Glenda Devlin	Chair: Paula Washington	Chair : Marie Morrison	Chair: Emily Hapea
4:20PM	<u>Sure Steps: Trialling a family coaching model with families in public housing</u> Christine Grose, YFS Ltd	<u>Welcome to Baby</u> Jena-Maree Glover, Livebetter Community Services Lorna Brennan, Buninyong School as Community Centre	<u>Intimacy in a digital age</u> Eva Fraticelli, Elise Phillips, CatholicCare Wollongong	<u>Participatory Action Research: A way to ensure no one is left behind</u> Bec Kennedy, Uniting Communities	<u>Leaving no one behind at Better Place Australia: Medium and longer term outcomes for FDR clients</u> Graeme Westaway, Better Place Australia Esther Lestrell, Monash University	<u>Communities of wellbeing: preventing loneliness and unwanted social isolation of older Australians</u> Simon Curran, Relationships Australia Victoria

End of Day 2

Conference Gala Dinner

6:30PM	
--------	--



FRSA 2018 NATIONAL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Click on session titles for more details

FRIDAY 23 NOVEMBER 2018

Boardroom 2

7:30AM
-
8:15AM

FRSA Annual General Meeting
All Welcome

CONCURRENT SESSIONS 5

	Kuranda Ballroom	Rosser Theater	Bluewater 1	Bluewater 2	Mossman Ballroom	Boardroom 2
	The first 1000 days	Key transition points in the schooling years	Relationship breakdown and re-partnering	Family Violence	Relationship breakdown and re-partnering	Workforce Development
	Concurrent Session 5A	Concurrent Session 5B	Concurrent Session 5C	Concurrent Session 5D	Concurrent Session 5E	Concurrent Session 5F
	Chair: Rachael Field	Chair: Kelly Hand	Chair: Dr Deborah Hartman	Chair: Kyra Hutchison	Chair: Chris Le Gay Brereton	Chair: Walter Guivarra
8:25AM	<u>Girls n boys come out to play – Gender equality...is it ever too early?</u> Helen Rimington, Amanda Testro, drummond street services Nancy Lee Merzel, Playgroup Victoria	<u>Understanding mental health as children start school</u> Dr Meredith O'Connor, Murdoch Children's Research Institute	<u>New research reveals depth of Australian loneliness epidemic</u> Paula Mance, Relationships Australia	SYMPOSIUM <u>Transforming trauma</u> Simon Curran, Dr Catherine Orr, Summah Hemming, Relationships Australia Victoria	<u>Reaffirming the value of FDR and relationship services in a systematic review by using a client journey model approach</u> Graeme Westaway, Kristen Poel, Better Place Australia	<u>Cross sector collaboration for outcomes in Indigenous early childhood early intervention</u> Dylan Reynolds, Joseph Archibald, Growing Potential Limited
8:55AM	5 Minute Break				5 Minute Break	
	Concurrent Session 5G	Concurrent Session 5H	Concurrent Session 5I		Concurrent Session 5K	Concurrent Session 5L
	Chair: Rachael Field	Chair: Kelly Hand	Chair: Dr Deborah Hartman	Chair: Chris Le Gay Brereton	Chair: Walter Guivarra	
9:00AM	<u>Too often left behind: infant and child reunification in families with problematic parental substance use</u> Anne Tidyman, Violeta Solarte, Odyssey House Victoria	<u>Getting ready to succeed at school: Investigating the role of parents</u> Amy Graham, Charles Darwin University	<u>Leave no one in need of counselling behind: Potential factors preventing the initiation of counselling</u> Dr Riyad Rahimullah, Relationships Australia Queensland		<u>Supporting adolescents and the parents with communication coaching and facilitated conversations</u> Janine Brissett, Conflict Resolution Service	<u>Leaving no one behind: Using technology to focus our service delivery for all life stages</u> Graeme O'Connor, Patricia Ocelli, Interrelate
9:30AM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 5M	Concurrent Session 5N	Concurrent Session 5O	Concurrent Session 5P	Concurrent Session 5Q	Concurrent Session 5R
	Chair: Glenda Devlin	Chair: Paula Washington	Chair: Sue Christophers	Chair: Emily Hapea	Chair: Bridget Quayle	Chair: Marie Morrison
9:35AM	<u>The legacy, legality and legitimacy of adopting out</u> Anne Webster, Zoe Support Australia	<u>Downloading the skills for independence: Co-designing a new web resource for care leavers becoming independent</u> Nora Goodbourn, Namam Salih, Relationships Australia South Australia	<u>The Developmental Feedback model - giving children under five a clearer voice in FDR</u> Libby Bragg, Tara Houseman, Uniting	<u>Intimate partner violence in Australian refugee communities: An overview of underlying issues and service responses</u> Dr Alissar El-Murr, Australian Institute of Family Studies	<u>The healing can begin with therapy dogs</u> Gayle Phillips, Helen Diamond, Centacare Ballarat	<u>Future of Family and Community programs</u> Lisa Foreman, Department of Social Services
9:55AM	5 Minute Break					
	Concurrent Session 5S	Concurrent Session 5T	Concurrent Session 5U	Concurrent Session 5V	Concurrent Session 5W	Concurrent Session 5X
	Chair: Glenda Devlin	Chair: Paula Washington	Chair: Sue Christophers	Chair: Emily Hapea	Chair: Bridget Quayle	Chair: Marie Morrison
10:00AM	<u>How families navigate through early childhood services (from conception to school)</u> Carina O'Neill, Federation University	<u>Transcending fear – the risky business of supporting transgender children and their families</u> Chris Pye, Relationships Australia Queensland	<u>Mediating with Intact Families (MIF): innovative early intervention</u> Michael Atkinson, Khairy Majeed, Mackillop Family Services	<u>Family dispute resolution where there is a history of family violence - Bring back CFDR!</u> Professor Rachael Field, Bond University	<u>Over the barriers, onto the benefits: How practitioners changed their minds about universal risk screening</u> Dr Michael Kelly, Relationships Australia Tasmania Dr Jamie Lee, Relationships Australia South Australia	<u>Don't leave the workforce behind: Lifelong learning for the future of family services</u> Dr Deborah Hartman, Dr Jennifer St. George, University of Newcastle
10:30AM	Morning Tea					
	PLENARY SESSION 5 Grand Ballroom					
11:00AM	PANEL DISCUSSION 2 <u>Leaving no one behind: what are the practical steps that can be taken to meet this aspirational objective?</u> Senator Jenny McAllister, Shadow Assistant Minister for Families and Communities, Megan Mitchell, National Children's Commissioner, Anne Hollonds, Director, the Australian Institute of Family Studies and Dr Stephen Crossley, Senior Lecturer, Northumbria University					
12:20PM	CONFERENCE CLOSE					
12:30PM -1:30PM	Lunch					