



PRIMARY HEALTH TASMANIA EVENTS MAY 2026



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MD: Multidisciplinary

GP: General practitioners

AH: Allied health professionals

PN: Practice nurses

PM: Practice managers

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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10	11	12 Multidisciplinary Care in Diabetes: The Cycle of Care and Beyond - Hybrid event 6.30-8PM HOBART MD	13 Practice Managers Networking Breakfast 7.30-9AM NEW TOWN PM	14	15	16 Focussed Psychological Strategies Skills Training Part 1 9AM-4PM BURNIE GP
17 Focussed Psychological Strategies Skills Training Part 2 9AM-4PM BURNIE GP	18	19	20 Dementia Care for GPs: Behaviour Support, Service and Psychotropics 6.30-8PM WEBINAR MD	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 Triage for non-clinical staff in general practice 1-1.30pm WEBINAR MD Syncope: An overview of investigation and management 6.30-8pm WEBINAR GP	28	29	30
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PRACTICE MANAGERS

Practice managers networking breakfast



LAUNCESTON – Wednesday 6 May

Diverge, 50 Tamar St, Launceston
7.30-9am

WYNYARD – Thursday 7 May

Bruce's Cafe, 145 Old Bass Hwy, Wynyard
7.30-9am

NEW TOWN – Wednesday 13 May

The Parcel, 176 New Town Road, New Town
7.30-9am

An opportunity for practice managers to meet and connect with their peers.

MULTIDISCIPLINARY

Multidisciplinary Care in Diabetes: The Cycle of Care and Beyond – Hybrid Event

RACGP and ACRRM approved for 1.5 hours of Educational Activities and approved for 1.5 hours of interactive CPD for optometrists

Tuesday 12 May

Face-to-face: 6pm registration and light refreshments for a 6.30pm to 8pm session
Online: 6:30-8pm

Primary Health Tasmania invites health professionals from across all sectors to join us face-to-face or online for an event discussing the multidisciplinary management of diabetes. Diabetes is a common and complex presentation in primary care, with patient outcomes being optimised where multiple disciplines are involved. The aim of this event is to improve understanding of the scope, referral processes, and cost considerations for allied health services available to assist in the management of diabetes, and through this improve collaboration and care.

GENERAL PRACTITIONERS

Focussed Psychological Strategies Skills Training - north-west Tasmania



BURNIE Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 May

Ember and Vines, 22 Mount St, Burnie
9am-4pm

Primary Health Tasmania, in collaboration with Larter, invites you to attend a fully funded Focussed Psychological Strategies training (Level 2).

The training will focus on addressing a broad range of mental health presentations, strengthen holistic care pathways, and will provide GPs the opportunity to utilise the full suite of Better Access/MBS-supported services for their patients.

Successful completion will allow GPs to register with Medicare as a GP provider of Focussed Psychological Strategies, unlocking additional Focussed Psychological Strategies specific MBS item numbers so they can bill for these structured psychological strategies in patient consultations. This means patients can receive cost-effective, locally delivered psychological care directly from their GP, which is especially valuable in areas with limited access to psychologists or psychiatrists.

Focussed Psychological Strategies training involves a total of 22.5 hours of training, comprising:

- 9 hours of pre-work online and self-paced that will be sent to you prior to the workshop
- 12 hours of face-to-face or virtual workshop-based training (over the 16 and 17 of May)
- 1.5 hours of reinforcement activity

On completion you will be allocated 22.5 hours of CPD and will be eligible to apply to Medicare Australia to register as a provider of Focussed Psychological Strategies.

Limited to 30 GPs – please get in fast, so you are not disappointed! If you can no longer attend, please let us know so other GPs don't miss out.

MULTIDISCIPLINARY

Dementia Care for GPs: Behaviour Support, Services and Psychotropics



Webinar

Wednesday 20 May
6.30-8pm

Primary Health Tasmania invites GPs and nurses working in aged care and general practice to join us for a webinar on behaviour support, services and psychotropics in dementia care.

The webinar will discuss appropriate implementation, monitoring and ceasing of psychotropics and what to look for in a 'Behaviour Support Plan' to determine the requirement for psychotropic use. Additional topics will also include: eligibility requirements and overview of Dementia Support Australia (DSA) services for patients and carers, as well as how and when to reach out to the GP advice line for support from DSA. Lastly, we will touch on the important roles that Dementia Australia, Dementia Training Australia and Dementia Support Australia all play in dementia care.

RACGP approved for 1.5 hours of Educational Activities. ACRRM approval currently pending

MULTIDISCIPLINARY

Triage for non-clinical staff in general practice



Webinar

Wednesday 27 May
1-1.30pm

Primary Health Tasmania invites you to a practical education event Triage for Non-Clinical Staff in general practice- understand the importance of competent triage skills in determining urgency and appropriate and timely access to care based on presenting symptoms. It will enable you to recognise and respond appropriately by using effective triaging skills learned in the session.

There is no cost for participation in these events, thanks to funding from the Australian Government under the Primary Health Networks program



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Cardiology at the interface of primary and secondary care: An overview of investigation and management

Webinar

Wednesday 27 May

6.30-8pm

This session will provide an overview of the assessment and management of syncope, summarising current international guidelines and providing an approach from initial outpatient consultation to appropriate investigations and subsequent management.

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