

GP TRAINING PROGRAM FOR MEDICATION ASSISTED TREATMENT FOR OPIOID DEPENDENCE



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Date: Saturday 18 June 2016
Time: 9.00am - 4.30pm | Registration 8.45am
Location: Quality Hotel Gateway, 27-39 Ryley Street
Wangaratta VIC 3677
Presenter: Dr Paul Grinzi | Networking Health Victoria
Cost: This workshop is provided free of charge and is funded by a grant from the Victorian Department of Health and Human services.

Training Overview

This training will provide GP's with the skills and required accreditation to prescribe medication assisted treatment for opioid dependence within the Victorian regulatory framework.

Note completion of the workshop part 1 *Safe Opioid Prescribing* is a pre-requisite to attending this workshop (part 2).

Topics

- Problematic pharmaceutical opioid use
- Drugs, dependence and harm minimisation
- Treatment approaches
- Clinical assessment of patients using opioids
- Methadone maintenance, buprenorphine and buprenorphine/naloxone maintenance
- Legal issues - permits, regulations, clinical standards and take-away policies
- Where to get support

Follow up support will be provided to all health professionals after this workshop.

For more information or to register

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