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Kidney Supportive Care Symposium

Date: Friday 12th March 2021

Location: Royal Brisbane and Women’s Hospital Education Centre

Event program and registration details TBA

The 2021 Kidney Supportive Care Symposium will be an opportunity to hear from leading international and local speakers on the latest in Kidney Supportive Care. This Symposium is targeted at renal and palliative care clinicians across all disciplines, academics, and consumers. This symposium is a blended event and can be attended in person or on-line.

Keynote Speaker

Edwina Brown, Consultant Nephrologist, Imperial College Renal and Transplant Centre, Hammersmith Hospital, London. Professor of Renal Medicine, Imperial College London

We are excited to introduce Professor Edwina Brown as the symposium’s keynote speaker. Professor Brown’s research interests encompass dialysis outcomes in older people, renal palliative care and peritoneal dialysis. Professor Brown was the principal investigator for FEPOD (Frail Elderly Patient Outcomes on Dialysis) comparing outcomes on assisted PD and HD with conservative care.

Professor Brown is currently working on a project integrating renal and elderly care and preparing for a study on Kidney Transplantation in Older People (KTOP). Professor Brown organises an annual meeting on Renal Supportive Care and co-organises the UK PD Academy. Professor Brown co-chaired the International Society Peritoneal Dialysis guideline committee (2014-2020) and has overseen the development of the 2020 guideline on ‘Prescribing high quality, goal-directed peritoneal dialysis’. Professor Brown has published extensively on peritoneal dialysis and dialysis in the elderly and is the author/editor of several books as well as being president-elect for the International Society Peritoneal Dialysis (2020-2022).

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