

BLOOD SYNERGY OPEN MEETING



PROGRAM: 26th FEBRUARY 2024

Time (AEDT)	Title	Speaker
9.00	Welcome and introduction	Prof Erica Wood Monash University
Keynote		
9.05	Transfusion research in Canada: what’s hot, and why we need international collaborations	Prof Jeannie Callum Queens University, and University of Toronto
Closing Evidence Gaps: New and Ongoing Trials & Studies		
9.40	Transfusion research in critical care in France	Prof Cécile Aubron Centre Hospitalier Régional et Universitaire de Brest, and Université de Bretagne Occidentale
10.10	The impact of national guidelines on ICU transfusion practice in Australia and New Zealand	Dr Andrew Flint Monash University
10.25	Morning Break	
10.45	Prehospital blood use: survey of Australian and New Zealand emergency medical services	Dr Karina Brady Monash University
11.00	Snapshot from the National Transfusion Dataset: changes in clinical demand for blood products	Dr Cameron Wellard Monash University
11.15	Update on health economics projects: RATIONAL trial (Ig vs antibiotics) and Cost of Ig study	Ms Sara Carrillo de Albornoz Monash University
11.30	Immunoglobulin in the post-transplant setting	Dr Aleece MacPhail Monash University
11.45	Panel discussion	
12.05	Lunch Break	
Engaging Consumers in Transfusion Research		
12.45	Consumer and community involvement and co-design: a snapshot	A/Prof Darshini Ayton Monash University
1.00	Blood Synergy community consultation survey	Dr Catriona Parker Monash University
1.15	Consumer panel introductions	
1.25	Consumer panel discussion	
2.00	Afternoon Break	
Translating Transfusion Research into Policy and Practice		
2.20	Changing practice – how do we do it, and monitor its success?	Ms Linley Bielby Blood Matters
2.40	Implementing patient blood management guidelines	Prof Biswadev Mitra Alfred Health, and Monash University
3.00	Innovation and practice change in the military/ADF	Prof Michael Reade University of Queensland, and Australian Army
3.25	Assessing the value of patient blood management	Dr Adam Irving Monash University
3.40	Panel discussion	
4.00	Close	