

Westpac Let's Talk About Dementia Symposium



Thursday 22 September 2022
Te Papa, Wellington



8.30am	Registration desk opens Tea & coffee available	
9.00am	Welcome, karakia, & housekeeping	Anne Schumacher Judith Fyfe
	Lived experience: Getting it right - the challenge of respite.	Jan Pearson, carer
	Innovation: Home4all – Day activity programme	Jan Weststrate Home4all.
	Innovation: Recognising and responding to early signs of cognitive impairment/dementia in Primary Care.	Emma Fromings & Dionne Delacey Tawa Medical Practice
	Focus: Pacifica Vaka Atafaga Pacific Nursing Service	Margaret Southwick RGON, PhD. Clinical Team Leader Vaka Atafaga Pacific Nursing Service
	Sponsor's spot	Sandra Henderson, Regional Manager, Westpac
10.30am Morning tea (20mins)		
10.50	Restart	
	Research: Research into Mate wareware (dementia) and Māori - an overview - MANA tool - Mate wareware app	Dr Makarena Dudley, School of Psychology, the University of Auckland
	Lived Experience and Innovation: Sharing the Care in Aged Residential Care	Kristen Phillips Kristen supported her father while he was living in a dementia special care unit.
	Reflection: Managing Covid Balancing the needs of people with dementia with the Covid restrictions	Shelley Kennedy Dementia Knowledge Specialist, Summerset

	Innovation: MinDART: material and digital drawing for people with dementia and their supporters in 2022	Emma Febvre-Richards Senior Lecturer, Massey University
12.30pm Lunch (45mins)		
1.15	Afternoon session starts	Judith Fyfe
	Lived experience: Let's talk about Dementia!	Sue Piper, carer
	Research: Pacifica Metaphorically speaking – Dementia and Pacific Peoples	Dr Vanda Symon Va'a o Tautai – Centre for Pacific Health, University of Otago
	Research: Lifestyle interventions to maintain Brain Health	Dr Lynette Tippet, Centre for Brain Research and School of Psychology, The University of Auckland
	Dementia in the new health system	Nicky Smith, Manager, Healthy Ageing, Te Whatu Ora
	Wrap up	Anne Schumacher, CE, Dementia Wellington
3.00 pm Symposium ends		
Please feel free to stay on at the conclusion of the programme for informal networking.		