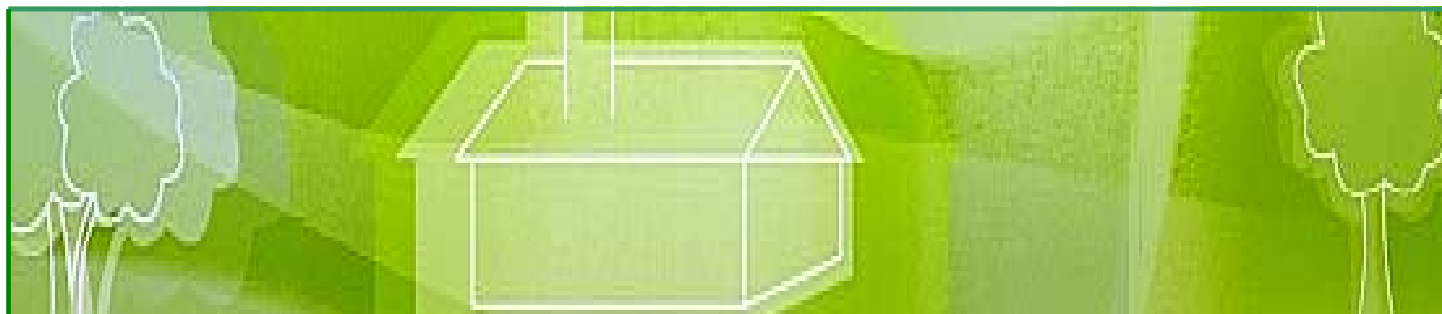


Global ideas Local innovations

Municipal Public Health Planning State Conference 2004



Conference focus

This one-day conference coordinated by the Partnership Development Section, Public Health, aims to highlight and celebrate leading edge work undertaken by Victorian local governments in planning for healthier environments.

The conference will scope current global activities related to healthy planning and the WHO Healthy Cities and Communities approach.

Victorian councils involved in the second round of Good Practice funding will then share their experiences. Topics will include: indicators of sustainability and health, integrated planning, collaborating with other councils and external partners, and community participation.

In the spirit of the Year of the Built Environment the conference will also address current issues in the role of urban design and the built form in contributing to active, healthy communities.

Details

When: Tuesday 9th Nov 2004

Time: 9:30am – 4:30pm

Where: The Centre Ivanhoe
275 Upper Heidelberg Rd
Ivanhoe, Victoria

Cost: \$55 including GST

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Who should attend?

Individuals working in public health, health promotion, social and corporate planning, urban design, urban and regional planning, engineering, education, and researchers interested in the built environment, health policy and evaluation.

Participant opportunities

The Minister for Health will present the Victorian Public Health Awards for Excellence and Innovation, on Monday 8 November at 5pm. The event will showcase best practice in public health research, capacity building, and public health programs. Venue: Melbourne CBD (TBA closer to the event). There are limited attendance numbers for the Awards. Enquiries contact: Spiro Iliopoulos, Awards Coordinator
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