



## SAFETY DEVELOPMENT FUND

SUPPORTING THE PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT OF  
AGGRESSION IN THE HEALTH SECTOR



MELBOURNE HEALTH

in partnership with



### AGGRESSION PREVENTION & MANAGEMENT PROJECT

Industry Forum

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2005

10.00am to 3.30pm

The Royal Melbourne Hospital

Aggression related injuries in our industry are constantly increasing and ad-hoc clinical management of aggression continues to pose risks for patients, staff and the community. Not only has the number of incidents increased but also the severity, leading to profound traumatic effects on staff and the community

The objective of this three-year project is to develop a practical and integrated industry-wide approach.

At our first Industry Forum, some of our industry partners will introduce their approaches. This will provide an opportunity to discuss *current* policies, procedures, strategies and outcomes with respect to Aggression Prevention and Management throughout the Victorian Health Sector.

*Register for this SPECIAL event (name, position, contact details)  
via email [Hagen.Tuschke@mh.org.au](mailto:Hagen.Tuschke@mh.org.au) or telephone (03) 9342-7411  
by Monday 22 August 2005 at the latest.*

**PLACES ARE LIMITED!**

## PROGRAM

10.00am	Registration and Coffee
10.15am	Welcome, Introduction and Housekeeping Mr Gary Robertson
10.30am	<b>Project Update</b> Mr Hagen Tuschke & Ms Deborah Smith
11.00am	<b>A Rural Ambulance Victoria Perspective</b> Mr Stephen Ford
11.30am	<b>Tiered Response to Aggression and Assault Management (TRAAM) Program at Northeast Health Wangaratta</b> Mr Greg Benton
12.00pm	Lunch Break and Networking <i>A light lunch will be provided.</i>
1.00pm	<b>Management of Clinical Aggression (MOCA) Program at Melbourne Health</b> Ms Elisa Ilarda
1.30pm	<b>Aggression Management Program at Eastern Health</b> Ms Sara Warne
2.00pm	<b>Management of Acute Behavioural Disturbances in Paediatrics and Adolescents (An Approach at The Royal Children's Hospital)</b> Mr Luke Mc Laughlin and Ms Leanne Shea
2.30pm	"Hot Topic" Panel Discussion
3.30pm	Close

## LOCATION

Charles LaTrobe Lecture Theatre (Function Centre)

