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**Safety Development Fund, WorkSafe Victoria
Free Public Industry Forum**

‘So you think there’s an excuse ...’

**Exploring the myths around client-initiated
aggression in health services**

**A thought provoking forum about
associated contemporary legal issues**

WHEN: Friday, 20th April 2007
from 10am to 2:30pm

WHERE: The Royal Melbourne Hospital,
Charles La Trobe Lecture Theatre

REGISTER: via email (name, position, contact details) to
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by 10th April 2007

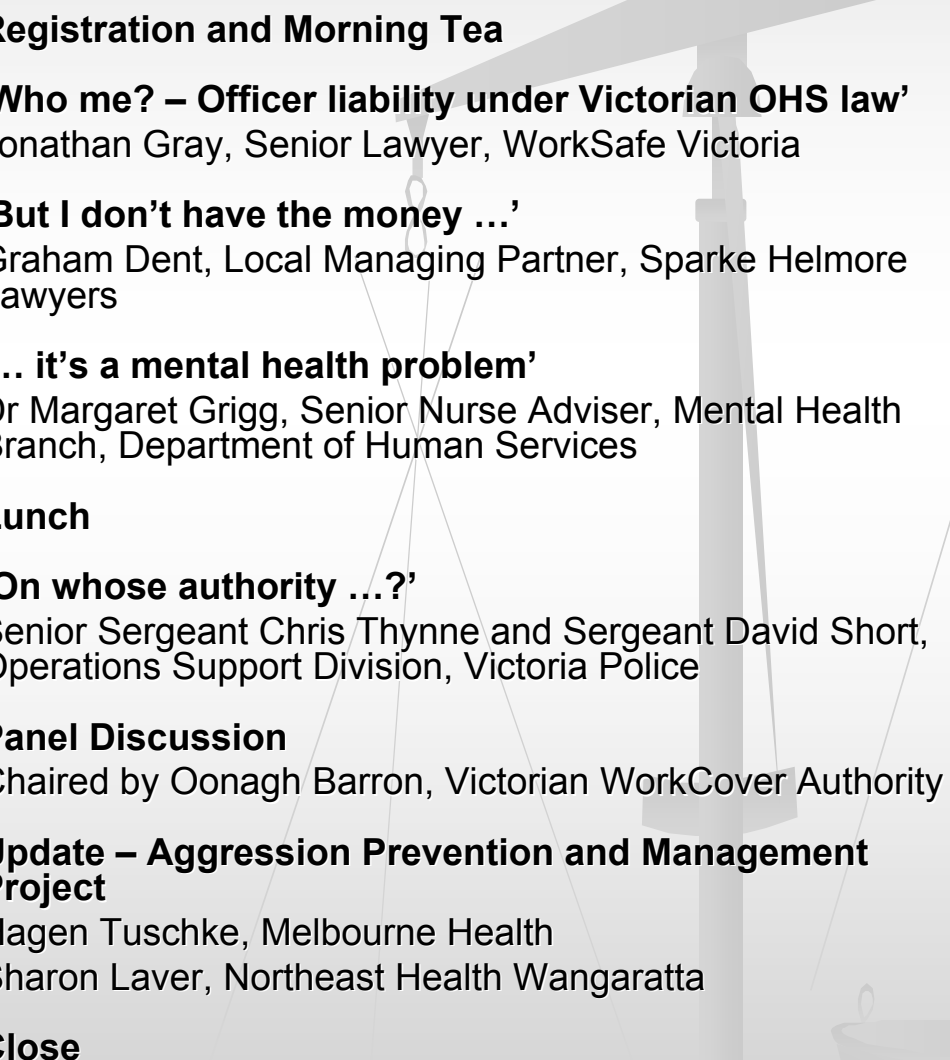
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Who should attend this stimulating FREE Industry Forum?

Executive Officers, Quality & Risk Managers, Corporate Service & Finance Officers, OH&S Staff, OH&S Representatives, Senior Clinicians

PROGRAM

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- 10:00** **Registration and Morning Tea**
- 10:30** **‘Who me? – Officer liability under Victorian OHS law’**
Jonathan Gray, Senior Lawyer, WorkSafe Victoria
- 11:00** **‘But I don’t have the money ...’**
Graham Dent, Local Managing Partner, Sparke Helmore Lawyers
- 11:30** **‘... it’s a mental health problem’**
Dr Margaret Grigg, Senior Nurse Adviser, Mental Health Branch, Department of Human Services
- 12:00** **Lunch**
- 12:45** **‘On whose authority ...?’**
Senior Sergeant Chris Thynne and Sergeant David Short, Operations Support Division, Victoria Police
- 13:15** **Panel Discussion**
Chaired by Oonagh Barron, Victorian WorkCover Authority
- 14:00** **Update – Aggression Prevention and Management Project**
Hagen Tuschke, Melbourne Health
Sharon Laver, Northeast Health Wangaratta
- 14:15** **Close**

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