

Antimicrobial Awareness Week 2021



Dates:	18-22 November 2021	
Venue:	Webinar series	
Registration:	https://www.ncas-australia.org/AAW2021	
Type:	External	Enquiries: CRE-NCAS@unimelb.edu.au

Program

Thursday, 18 November	
1.30 – 3 PM AEDT	VETERINARY ANTIMICROBIAL STEWARDSHIP Chair: Prof. James Gilkerson (NCAS & APCA, Faculty of Veterinary and Agricultural Sciences, University of Melbourne)
1.30 – 1.55 PM	Antimicrobial stewardship trial in companion animal veterinary practice Dr. Kirsten Bailey and Dr. Laura Hardefeldt (NCAS & APCA, Faculty of Veterinary and Agricultural Sciences, University of Melbourne)
1.55 – 2.15 PM	How veterinary laboratories can contribute to antimicrobial stewardship Dr. Ri Scarborough (NCAS & APCA, Faculty of Veterinary and Agricultural Sciences, University of Melbourne)
2.15 – 2.40 PM	Know your audience! Evidence-based ways to talk to pet owners about responsible antibiotic use Dr. Ri Scarborough (NCAS & APCA, Faculty of Veterinary and Agricultural Sciences, University of Melbourne)
2.40 – 3 PM	Unravelling the spread of antimicrobial (and biocide) resistance(s) in a veterinary hospital through environmental surveillance Dr. Marc Marena (Faculty of Veterinary and Agricultural Sciences, University of Melbourne)
Friday, 19 November	
1.30 – 3.40 PM AEDT	HOW TO USE DATA – SUCCESS STORIES, PITFALLS AND OPPORTUNITIES Chair: Prof. Karin Thursky (NCAS, Department of Infectious Diseases, Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences, University of Melbourne)
1.30 – 2 PM	Optimising audit and feedback: recent evidence from implementation research Prof. Jill Francis (School of Health Sciences, Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences, University of Melbourne)
CASE STUDIES	
2 – 2.10 PM	How to optimise antimicrobial allergy documentation A/Prof. Jason Trubiano (Austin Hospital, Melbourne)
2.10 – 2.20 PM	How big is this problem? Quantifying paediatric infections using activity-based management data Dr. Brendan McMullan (Sydney Children's Hospital)
2.20 – 2.30 PM	An innovative AMS program for children in remote and regional areas: optimising antibiotic use through early intravenous-to-oral conversion Dr. Minyon Avent (State-wide AMS Program, Queensland Health)
2.30 – 2.40 PM	Repurposing disease surveillance to capture social drivers of AMR

	Dr. Teresa Wozniak (CSIRO)
2.40 – 2.50 PM	Applying big data to general practice: implementation of AMS Dr. Brian Hur (NCAS & APCA, Faculty of Veterinary and Agricultural Sciences, University of Melbourne)
2.50 – 3 PM	Evaluating the implementation of a pilot quality improvement program to support appropriate antimicrobial prescribing in general practice Dr. Ruby Biezen (Department of General Practice & NCAS, Faculty of Medicine, Dentistry and Health Sciences, University of Melbourne)
3 – 3.10 PM	Embedding clinical trials in the electronic medical record to improve antibiotic use Dr. Coen Butters (John Hunter Children’s Hospital, Newcastle)
3.10 – 3.20 PM	Q&A
3.20 – 3.40 PM	The National Antimicrobial Prescribing Survey and the Clinical Care Standards Dr. Rodney James (NCAS, Melbourne Health), Ms. Xin Fang (NCAS, Melbourne Health) and Ms. Fiona Doukas (Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care)
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Monday, 22 November	
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1.30 – 3.10 PM AEDT	ANTIMICROBIAL STEWARDSHIP IN AGED CARE Chair: A/Prof. Noleen Bennett (NCAS & VICNISS, Melbourne Health)
1.30 – 1.50 PM	Quality use of antimicrobials in residential aged care services: An update from the Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission Dr. Lyn-li Lim (Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission)
1.50 – 2.10 PM	Basic principles of antimicrobial use Ms. Xin Fang (NCAS, Melbourne Health)
2.10 – 2.30 PM	The Royal Commission into Aged Care and the implications for AMS Dr. Janet Sluggett (Registry of Senior Australians, South Australian Health and Medical Research Institute)
2.30 – 2.45 PM	National Infection Surveillance Program for Aged Care (NISPAC) A/Prof. Leon Worth (VICNISS, Melbourne Health)
2.45 – 2.55 PM	Preliminary results: Barriers and enablers to the implementation of a national infection and antimicrobial surveillance system Ms. Eliza Watson (NISPAC, Melbourne Health)
2.55 – 3.10 PM	Recommended resources for IPC and AMS A/Prof. Noleen Bennett (NCAS & VICNISS, Melbourne Health)

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