

National Centre for Antimicrobial Stewardship
and RMH Guidance Group present

REGIONAL ANTIMICROBIAL STEWARDSHIP SUMMIT 2025



**FRIDAY 21
NOVEMBER** | **1 PM -
5 PM**

FREE EVENT
IN PERSON & ONLINE

**Arts West Building North Wing
University of Melbourne**
Room 456, Flexible Learning Space

**Registration required by
14th November 2025**
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PROGRAM

1:00 PM

Registrations

1:30 PM

**Introduction and
Acknowledgement of Country**

– Prof Kas Thursky

1:40 PM

Regional AMS Models of Care

Chair: Ms Jenna Maleki

Dr Tom Schulz – Royal Melbourne
Hospital, Goulburn Valley Health

Dr Sarah Boyd

– Queensland Statewide AMS

Ms Emily Hayes

– Shoalhaven Hospital, South Eastern
Sydney Local Health District

2:20 PM

Afternoon tea

3:00 PM

**Workshop: Building the Case
for Regional AMS**

Facilitator: Prof Lisa Hall

Dr Zaal Meher-Homji

– Latrobe Regional Health

4:15 PM

**Panel: Sustaining AMS in
Regional Australia**

Chair: Ms Zohal Rashidzada

Dr Christian McGrath

– Deputy Chief Health Officer-
Communicable Diseases, Victorian
Government

Prof Kas Thursky

– Director, NCAS and RMH Guidance
Group

Ms Felicity Loxton

– Director Centres for Clinical
Excellence, Safer Care Victoria

Dr Tom Schulz – Royal Melbourne
Hospital, Goulburn Valley Health

4:55 PM

Closing Remarks

– Prof Kas Thursky