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Session 11. Neurosurgery at Macquarie University Hospital

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The Specialist Brief
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Prompt registration is advised as places are limited. These events are waitlisted. Please advise if you can no longer attend to enable us to offer your place to another GP.

If you are unsure whether you have a place or not please call 0457 524 924

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MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

Macquarie University Hospital is Australia's first and only private hospital on a university campus. We are committed to delivering a positive patient experience and superior clinical outcomes through the best available care.

This state-of-the-art hospital offers a comprehensive range of services and specialist areas and features the latest technology, much of it unavailable anywhere else in the country.

To bring the best outcomes to our patients, Macquarie University Hospital follows three simply stated aims: to heal, to learn, to discover.

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session **11**

Neurosurgery
at Macquarie University Hospital
 Thursday 16 June 2011

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Thursday 16 June 2011

6.30 - 7.00pm start

at Macquarie University Hospital

3 Technology Place

Macquarie University, NSW 2109

Parking is available in the hospital's underground car park, (meet in the hospital foyer, ground floor).

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RACGP 2011-2013 Triennium

Join other Sydney GPs in an interactive educational session by leading Macquarie University Specialists. As well as learning about developments in their respective fields, you will have the opportunity to raise questions and discuss issues with these specialists.

Registration commences at 6.30pm with drinks, followed by rotating presentations by specialists, with round-table discussions. Dinner will be provided. The event will conclude around 9.45pm.

NEUROSURGERY

AT MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

Macquarie Neurosurgery brings together leading neurosurgery educators, researchers and clinicians, who are capitalising on the advanced facilities and technology at the new institution.

More than a collection of individual surgeons, Macquarie Neurosurgery works as a cohesive team to learn and create new knowledge. With some of the country's most advanced medical technology including Australia's only Gamma Knife MUH provides patients with access to the best possible treatment and care.

PROFESSOR MARCUS STOODLEY

Professor Stoodley is a neurosurgeon with clinical subspecialty interests in cerebrovascular disease, Chiari malformation, and syringomyelia. He graduated from the University of Queensland, then undertook neurosurgery training in Australia before spending 2 years at Stanford University and the University of Chicago for cerebrovascular training. He spent a decade at the Prince of Wales Hospital and the University of New South Wales before moving to the Australian School of Advanced Medicine. In addition to his clinical work, he heads a large research group at Macquarie University.

Professor Stoodley will be discussing academic neurosurgery in a new environment.

DR ANDREW DAVIDSON

Dr Davidson graduated from the University of Queensland in 1994, and served as a Medical Officer in the Royal Australian Navy until 2002, where he attained the rank of Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander. He then undertook Neurosurgical specialisation, and was admitted as a Fellow of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons in 2008. He currently holds clinical appointments at Macquarie University Hospital and Nepean Hospital. Dr Davidson's current research is focused on improving safety and efficacy in the management of brain AVMs by studying the molecular biology of AVM endothelial cells.

He will be discussing primary care diagnosis and management of subarachnoid haemorrhage.

DR TIMOTHY SIU

Dr Siu received his medical degree from the University of Sydney and his doctorate in visual neuroscience from the University of New South Wales. After completing his neurosurgery training in Sydney, Dr Siu joined the fellowship program at MD Anderson Cancer Center in the USA where he received subspecialty training in the management of brain, spine and peripheral nerve tumours. His clinical expertise includes awake surgery, multimodal imaging and electrophysiology guided surgery for eloquent brain and spinal surgery for degenerative and malignant disease. He is currently appointed as a Clinical Senior Lecturer at the Australian School of Advanced Medicine at Macquarie University.

Dr Siu will be discussing current diagnosis and evidence based management of degenerative and malignant spinal disorders.

DR LEWIS HOLFORD

Dr Holford is an interventional Pain Medicine Specialist whose area of clinical interest is spinal pain and interventions for diagnosis and treatment. He is a Fellow of the Faculty of Pain Medicine, Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists. Dr Holford is a consultant at Macquarie University Hospital and the Pain Management and Research Centre, Royal North Shore Hospital.

Dr Holford will be discussing non-surgical interventions for lower back pain.

