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Session 24. Weight Loss Surgery and Obesity Related Health Issues at Macquarie University Hospital

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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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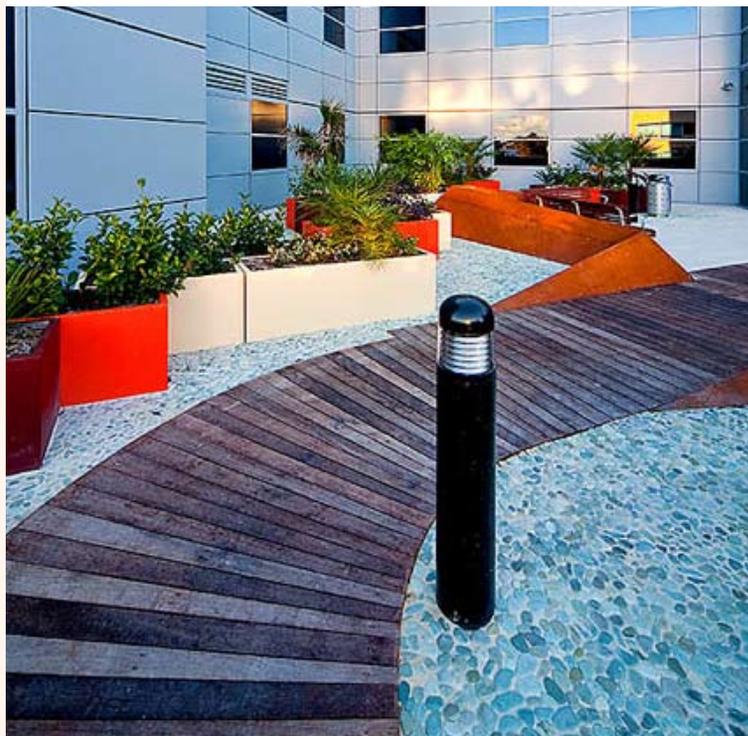


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Tuesday 25 September 2012

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Tuesday 25 September 2012

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).

RSVP by Friday 21 September 2012.

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WEIGHT LOSS SURGERY AND OBESITY RELATED HEALTH ISSUES AT MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

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.

DR KENNETH HO

Dr Kenneth Ho is a Consultant Physician and Endocrinologist with clinical and research interests in Diabetes, Obesity and General Endocrinology. His PhD studies involved researching the role of iron chelation for treatment of glucose, lipids and obesity and components of Metabolic Syndrome. As well as consulting at Macquarie University Hospital he has a number of public appointments and also runs the Diabetes Services and High Risk Foot Clinics.

Dr Ho teaches at all levels from undergraduate through to post-graduate medical, nursing and physician training. He has given lectures to both General Practitioners and to the general public on diabetes and osteoporosis.

Topic: Glucagon-Like Peptide-1 and Weight loss

DR STEVE LEIBMAN

Dr Steve Leibman is an Australian trained upper gastrointestinal, laparoscopic and weight loss surgeon. He graduated from UNSW in 1994 and obtained his FRACS in 2001. He has undergone specialist training in advanced surgery after obtaining his fellowship. Dr Leibman is an active member of the College of Surgeons, and is on a number of committees, both state and national, including a position on the executive committee of the NSW state committee, and on the executive of the Younger Fellows Committee (recently chairman). He is on the board of CHASM (Collaborating Hospitals Audit of Surgical Mortality) and has a strong interest in audit.

**Topic: Laparoscopic Sleeve Gastrectomy
(co-presented with Dr Garrett Smith)**

DR LYDIA MAKARIE ROFAIL

Dr Lydia Makarie Rofail is a Respiratory and Sleep Physician. She graduated from the University of NSW with Honours in 1997 and completed FRACP training in Respiratory Medicine at Concord and St George Hospitals and in Sleep Medicine at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital. She was involved in research through the University of Sydney and The Woolcock Institute of Medical Research and was awarded a PhD in Medicine by the University of Sydney for her research in the diagnosis of obstructive sleep apnea. She has presented her research locally and internationally and has been published in leading international sleep medicine journals. Dr Rofail is a director of Macquarie Respiratory and Sleep, a service based at the Macquarie University Clinic that manages asthma, COPD, lung cancer, tuberculosis, occupational lung disease, interstitial lung disease, respiratory failure, pre-operative assessment respiratory and sleep medicine assessment, sleep disordered breathing, insomnia, restless leg syndrome, circadian disorders and parasomnias. Other services include respiratory function studies and flexible and interventional bronchoscopy.

Dr Rofail is also Head of the Sleep Unit at Macquarie University Hospital, a diagnostic and therapeutic unit that offers services such as inpatient diagnostic sleep studies, CPAP titration, pre/post dental device assessment of sleep disordered breathing.

Topic: Obesity and Sleep Disorders

DR REGINALD LORD

Dr Reg Lord is an upper gastrointestinal and general surgeon. His clinical interests are in laparoscopic (keyhole) bariatric surgery for obesity and obesity-related conditions such as diabetes, laparoscopic surgery for gastro-oesophageal reflux disease and hiatus hernia, the treatment of Barrett's oesophagus, oesophageal cancer, and stomach cancer, laparoscopic cholecystectomy (removal of the gallbladder) and hernia surgery. He is a Professor of Surgery at Macquarie University, Head of Surgery at Notre Dame School of Medicine, and Head of the Gastroesophageal Cancer Program at St. Vincent's Centre for Applied Medical Research. His laboratory studies the biology of Barrett's oesophagus and oesophageal adenocarcinoma, and obesity. He trained at St. Vincent's Hospital and at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, where he was a surgery fellow working with the originators of the gastric sleeve operation for obesity.

**Topic: Endobarrier - an Endoscopic Sleeve Bypass
Procedure for Obesity and T2DM**

DR GARRETT SMITH

Dr Garrett Smith is an upper gastrointestinal and weight loss surgeon. He graduated from the University of Newcastle in 1988 and obtained his FRACS in 1998. Dr Smith has undergone training in upper gastrointestinal surgery and laparoscopic surgery in Australia, the United Kingdom and the United States. He was appointed to Royal North Shore hospital in 2002 where he works as a senior staff specialist. Dr Smith obtained his Master of Surgery by thesis from the University of Sydney in 2006.

Dr Smith has a keen interest in clinical and translational research and is a Clinical Associate Professor at both the University of Sydney and Macquarie University. He is a previous Chairman of the Sydney Upper Gastrointestinal Surgical Society and founding secretary of the Australia and New Zealand Gastro Oesophageal Surgery Association. In 2011 Dr Smith was appointed to the Court of Examiners of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons.

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