

## Speaker Profiles

**Professor Nadia Badawi, AM** is Medical Director and Co-Head of the Grace Centre for New-born Care at the Children's Hospital at Westmead. She is also the Macquarie Group Foundation Chair of Cerebral Palsy at Cerebral Palsy Alliance Research Institute, where she works with a team of researchers whose focus is the prevention, evidence-based intervention and cure of cerebral palsy. Nadia is a CI on several NHMRC funded studies including two Centre of Research Excellence Grants in cerebral palsy.

**Professor Sally Tracy** is Professor of Midwifery at The University of Sydney and Conjoint Professor, School of Women's and Children's Health, Faculty of Medicine, UNSW. She has experience in implementing and evaluating primary level maternity units and caseload midwifery care for all risk women.

**Karen Kumar** is a partner with the Health Law Team at Hicksons Lawyers who are a panel firm appointed by the NSW Ministry of Health. Karen is an insurance lawyer with nearly 20 years experience. She specialises in the health sector including defending medical negligence claims and appearing at coronial investigations and inquests. Prior to studying law, Karen worked as a registered nurse.

**Margaret Martin** has a background in Midwifery and Nursing and is the SESLHD Nursing and Midwifery Manager for Practice & Workplace Capabilities. An experienced facilitator and educator, she leads a small team who aim to make a difference to the care women and patients receive by supporting and developing clinicians and leaders.

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**Associate Professor Elisabeth Murphy** is the Senior Clinical Advisor, Child and Family Health, NSW Ministry of Health. She has overseen the implementation of a number of early intervention programs designed to lead to improved health throughout life, including NSW-wide evidence based screening programs for hearing and vision, Aboriginal Maternal and Infant Health programs, and promotion of health checks for improved child development and health in the NSW Personal Health Record. Concurrent with her Ministry role, A/Prof Murphy works in Northern Sydney Local Health District as Network Director for Child, Youth and Family Health Services and is the Discipline Head, Child Health, University of Notre Dame, School of Medicine Sydney

**Kate Dyer, AM**, is the Clinical Midwife Consultant, High Risk Pregnancy Coordinator, Midwifery Group Practice/Maternal-Fetal Medicine at the Royal Hospital for Women. Kate coordinates the provision of care and education to women following the diagnosis of fetal anomaly or when there are significant medical problems complicating a woman's pregnancy.

**Louise Everitt, Amanda Reilly and Maria Bulmer** are all midwives from St George Hospital. Louise Everitt is the CMC for complex Midwifery care, Honorary associate at UTS, specialising and working extensively in working with vulnerable women. Most recently she has been developing simulation training for midwives within the domestic violence and psychosocial emotional screening space. Amanda Reilly is the CMC for Risk and Practice Development, has extensive experience within models of care in maternity and development of practice change across all areas. Maria Bulmer is MUM Birthing Services and is passionate about ensuring her Birthing Services provides holistic care encompassing all vulnerabilities of women.

**Dr Amanda Lazzaro** MBBS, MPH is a 4<sup>th</sup> year Obstetrics and Gynaecology registrar at RHW. She has been collaborating with others to raise awareness of Cytomegalovirus (CMV) and its implications.

## GOOD INTENTIONS

CELEBRATING TEN YEARS OF  
RAISING AWARENESS

Royal Hospital for Women  
Lecture Theatre, Level 1  
Barker St, Randwick 2031

Friday 23rd February 2018

## The RHW Midwifery Conference



## Conference Programme

0800 0830 0840	Registrations, tea and coffee Acknowledgement and Welcome to Country <b>Welcome and Opening Address:</b> <b>Helen McCarthy, RHW DON&amp;M</b>
0900- 1000	<b>KEYNOTE ADDRESS:</b> <b>Associate Professor Elisabeth Murphy</b> Antenatal Care: A Child Health Perspective
1000- 1030	<b>Karen Kumar (Hicksons Lawyers)</b> Ten Years On: The Rise of Disciplinary Complaints
1030- 1100	<b>MORNING TEA and visit trade displays</b>
1100- 1200	<b>Professor Nadia Badawi, Cathy Morgan and Consumer,</b> Cerebral Palsy: Ten Years of Early Detection and Early Intervention
1200- 1230	<b>Dr Amanda Lazzaro</b> Cytomegalovirus: Raising Awareness
1230- 1315	<b>Lunch and visit trade displays</b>
1315- 1400-	<b>KEYNOTE: Professor Sally Tracy</b> Ten Hot Topics to Consider!
1400- 1430	<b>Louise Everitt, Amanda Reilly, Maria Bulmer</b> Disclosures and Responses to Domestic Violence: What a Difference a Decade Makes...
1430- 1500	<b>Margaret Martin</b> Soft Skills for Hard Conversations
1500- 1530	<b>Kate Dyer</b> Perinatal Loss: Creating Positive Memories
1530- 1550	<b>Robbie Solomon</b> A Sankalpa Meditation
1600	<b>Closing Remarks</b>

**VENUE**  
**Royal Hospital for Women**  
**Lecture Theatre, Level 1**  
**Barker St. Randwick 2031**

**6 Professional Development Points awarded**

### Transport

Pay Parking available onsite  
\$28 per day (at time of printing)  
Limited street parking is available.

Buses to Randwick Junction : check website as due to light rail construction, bus stop locations have changed [www.sydneybuses.info](http://www.sydneybuses.info) or call 131500

Local accommodation information available upon request

### Enquiries

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**CONFERENCE FEES\***  
**All fees are inclusive of GST**

RHW employees .....\$80

All student midwives .....\$80

### All other registrants

Early Bird registration by Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Jan .....\$150

After 28<sup>th</sup> January .....\$170

### **Morning tea and lunch will be provided**

*Please indicate any special dietary requirements when booking online*

### To register

[www.royalwomen.org.au/rhwmidwifery](http://www.royalwomen.org.au/rhwmidwifery)

Standard credit card fees apply

### **Cancellation policy:**

\*Cancellations after 28<sup>th</sup> January will incur a 20% fee however you may transfer your registration to another delegate. There will be no refund for non-attendance on the day.

