



- ❖ **Would you like to learn more about health and healing ministry within the church?**
- ❖ **Do you have a passion for social justice and compassion for vulnerable people?**
- ❖ **Would you like to be equipped and re-invigorated in your ministry, pastoral care or nursing role?**

This conference will encourage and equip pastoral carers, pastors/priests and health professionals, faith community nurses and any person interested in the church's response to the care of people living in our community with health issues and particularly mental health needs.



## REGISTRATION FORM

Please photocopy additional forms as required  
**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY IN CAPITAL LETTERS**

Name.....  
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 Occupation.....  
 Employer.....  
 Church/Organisation.....

Financial AFCNA member 2010: Yes  No

**Registration due:**

- \$230.00 Full Conf Early Bird AFCNA Member
- \$255.00 Full Conf AFCNA Member
- \$400. 00 Full Conf/Accom. Early Bird AFCNA Memb
- \$425. 00 Full Conf Accom. AFCNA Member
- \$255.00 Full Conf Early Bird Non Member
- \$280.00 Full Conf. Reg. Non Member
- \$425. 00 Full Conf/Accom. Early Bird/Non Member
- \$450. 00 Full Conf/Accom. Non Member
- \$100.00 Day only Wed  Thurs  Fri
- \$25.00 additional guest conference dinner 8<sup>th</sup> April

**Mail registration with cheque to:**  
**AFCNA Conference 2010**

PO Box 2707, Kent Town, South Australia, 5071

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# PROMOTING MENTAL HEALTH



## **AFCNA Conference** **April 7-9, 2010**

**Stream 1: Introducing health ministry  
 to your Christian faith community**

**Stream 2: No health without mental health:  
 No mental health without spiritual health**



Conference Sponsored by:  
**Australian Faith Community Nurses Assoc. Inc.**  
 Inquiries Email: [afcna@afcna.org.au](mailto:afcna@afcna.org.au)  
 Inquiries Phone: 61 8 8278 8274

## CONFERENCE INFORMATION

The conference offers two optional streams:

### **Stream 1: Preparation for Health Ministry in the Christian Faith Community.**

This stream is designed to introduce & prepare people for health ministry in the Christian church. It will provide basic knowledge and practical professional preparation for the responsibilities of such a ministry in your faith community.

### **Stream 2: No health without mental health: No mental health without spiritual health**

The prevention of mental illness and the support of people living with mental health needs are central to the health and healing ministry of the Christian church. We will discuss a range of issues to help us minister effectively to support and promote health and healing for this growing and needy group within our community.

Conference fees have been kept to a minimum to facilitate participation. Your full registration fee **MUST** accompany your booking form in order for you to be registered.

- Please book early to assist planning
- Early Bird Registration by 28<sup>th</sup> Feb 2010
- Book accommodation direct with the Campion Centre. Places are limited so book early by phoning 61 3 9854 8110

### **Make all cheques payable to:**

**Australian Faith Community Nurses**

**Association Inc.** (Please print your name)

**Registration deadline 26th March 2010**

## CONFERENCE VENUE

### **Campion Centre of Ignatian Spirituality**

99 Studley Park Road, Kew, Victoria

Book Accommodation on Ph 61-3-9854 8110

[secretary@campion.asn.au](mailto:secretary@campion.asn.au)

## Conference Program Wed 7<sup>th</sup> April

**08.30** Registration  
**09.00** Opening devotion & welcome  
**09.30** **The state of mental health in Australia and ministry opportunities for the Church**

**10.30** Morning Tea  
**11.00** **Christian theology of health & healing**

**12.30** Lunch  
**1.15** *Concurrent Sessions: choose 1 option only*  
**Option A1: Models of health ministry for the Christian church**

**Option B1: Illness prevention & promotion of mental & spiritual health in the church**

**2.15** *Concurrent Sessions: choose 1 option only*  
**Option A2: Translating the health ministry model into practice: Practical application**

**Option B2: Understanding depression and caring for people living with it**

**3.15** Afternoon Tea  
**3.45** **'Body Prayer' 1 Spiritual worship**  
**4.45** Close of Day Sessions  
**5.00** **AFCNA Board Meeting** (Board members only)

## Conference Program Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> April

**08.30** Registration  
**09.00** **Opening Devotion**  
**09.30** **Real Choices Supporting pregnancy choice 1**

**10.30** Morning Tea  
**11.00** **Practical skills to support decision making 2**

**12.00** Lunch  
**1:00** *Concurrent Sessions: choose 1 option only*  
**Option A3: Conducting health promotion activities in the faith community**  
**Option B3: How to support and do group work with vulnerable people**

**2:00** *Concurrent Sessions: choose 1 option only*  
**Option A4: Legal, ethical & professional issues in health ministry**

**Option B4: Supporting people dealing with addiction within the faith community**

**3:00** Afternoon Tea  
**3.30** **'Body Prayer' 2 Spiritual nurture**

**4.45** Close of Day Sessions

**6.00** **Conference Dinner & Guest Speaker**  
**Additional Guests Welcome \$25/ person**  
**Developing the healing potential of your faith community re mental health support**

## Conference Program Fri 9<sup>th</sup> April

**09:00** Opening devotion

**09.30** Using spiritual exercises of Ignatius today

**10.30** Morning Tea  
**11:00** *Concurrent Sessions: choose 1 option only*  
**Option A5: Resource, referral & advocacy roles in health ministry**

**Option B5: Healing prayer & worship possibilities for the faith community**

**12:00** Lunch  
**1:00** *Concurrent Sessions: choose 1 option only*  
**Option A6: Getting a health ministry started in your church**

**Option B6: Legal and ethical Issues relating to mental illness & healing**

**2:00** **Body Prayer Spiritual care 3**

**3:00** Afternoon Tea  
**3.30** **Celebration Worship Service**

**4.45** **Close of Conference**

