

ADS PRACTICAL SKILLS COURSE

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Day 1: Saturday 21st February 2026

Crowne Plaza Hotel, Melbourne

TIME	TOPIC	ROOM	SPEAKER/FACILITATOR
0800-0820	REGISTRATION & COFFEE	Crowne Plaza Hotel, Melbourne Level 1, Pre-function Lounge (Pearl Riverfront)	Hosts: Ms Linda Valenzisi A/Prof Sof Andrikopoulos
0820-0830	WELCOME INTRODUCTION	Level 1, Studio 5 Room (Pearl Riverfront)	Speakers: Prof Josephine Forbes (ADS President) A/Prof Glynis Ross (Chair, ADS Education Advisory Committee)
LECTURE 1: 0830-0915	Key Landmark Trials in CVRM	All Groups Level 1, Studio 5 Room (Pearl Riverfront)	Chair: TBA Speaker: Prof Richard MacIsaac
LECTURE 2: 0915-1015	Prescribing for Type 2 Diabetes (Glucose Lowering Medications)	All Groups Level 1, Studio 5 Room (Pearl Riverfront)	Chair: TBA Speaker: Prof Jenny Gunton
PANEL DISCUSSION: 1015-1030		All Groups Level 1, Studio 5 Room (Pearl Riverfront)	Chair: TBA Speakers: Prof Richard MacIsaac & Prof Jenny Gunton
1030-1100	MORNING TEA	Level 1, Studios 3 & 4 Trade Area (Pearl Riverfront)	
Trainees split into small workshop groups			
WORKSHOP A: 1100-1215	Measuring Glucose Levels (Meters, Flash GM, CGM)	Small Workshops Groups Level 1, Studios 2 & 3 Rooms (Pearl Riverfront)	Facilitators: TBA
WORKSHOP B: 1100-1215	Insulin and other Injectable Therapies	Small Workshops Groups Level 1, Studios 5 & 6 Rooms (Pearl Riverfront)	Facilitators: TBA
1215-1315	LUNCH	Level 1, Studios 3 & 4 Trade Area (Pearl Riverfront)	

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WORKSHOP B: 1315-1430	Insulin and other Injectable Therapies	<i>Small Workshops Groups</i> Level 1, Studios 5 & 6 Rooms (Pearl Riverfront)	Facilitators: TBA
WORKSHOP A: 1315-1430	Measuring Glucose Levels (Meters, Flash GM, CGM)	<i>Small Workshops Groups</i> Level 1, Studio 2 & 3 Rooms (Pearl Riverfront)	Facilitators: TBA
LECTURE 3: 1430-1530	Managing Inpatient Glycaemia	<i>All Groups</i> Level 1, Studio 5 Room (Pearl Riverfront)	Chair: TBA Speaker: Prof N Wah Cheung
1530-1600	AFTERNOON TEA		<i>Level 1, Studios 3 & 4 Trade Area (Pearl Riverfront)</i>
<i>Trainees split into small workshop groups</i>			
WORKSHOP C: 1600-1800	Insulin Pump Therapy (Fundamentals)	<i>All Groups</i> Level 1, Studios, 2, 4, 5, 6 Rooms (Pearl Riverfront)	Facilitators: TBA
1800-1815	EVALUATION & CLOSING REMARKS	<i>All Groups</i> Level 1, Studio 5 Room (Pearl Riverfront)	Speakers: Prof Josephine Forbes A/Prof Glynis Ross
1815-1900	NETWORKING SOCIAL FUNCTION		<i>Level 1, Pre-function Lounge (Pearl Riverfront)</i>