

0800 - 0900

## REGISTRATION

0900

**Conference Opening**

0910

**Welcome to Country**  
Dr Joyce Donovan

0930

**Dr Jana Pittman in conversation with Dr Vanessa Scarf**  
Keynote

1030 - 1100

## MORNING TEA

1100

**Lucy Bannister**  
Midwifery and Postnatal Debriefing: A Steady Hand in the Waves

1120

**Jane Palmer and Maria Diaz (Beata Gidaszewski Submission)**  
SMILE Clinic: Charting a New Course and Navigating the Currents of Increasing Demand for Quality Student Learning through a Student-Led Model of Care

1140

**Professor Joanne Gray AM**  
Midwifery Futures: A workforce analysis to inform the future of Australian midwifery

1200

**Nicola Parry**  
Building a strong foundation for Early Career Midwives to thrive in Midwifery  
Continuity of Care models

1220

**Alison Weatherstone**  
Midwifery Leadership

1230 - 1330

## LUNCH

1330

**Melanie Briggs**  
Keynote - First Nations Maternity Care - Our Way in Community

1420

**Jen Doust with Leece Leccione**  
Bypass is NOT an option

1440

**Helen Donovan**  
Not just surviving: finding ways to support regional midwives to thrive

1500 - 1530

## AFTERNOON TEA

1530

**Peter Dawes**  
A Trilogy of Balloons by CooperSurgical

1540

**Kelley Lennon**  
NSW Nursing and Midwifery Office

1600

**Lynda Smith**  
Improving Midwifery care for women affected by FGM/C in NSW: We are part of something bigger than ourselves

1620

**Jenny Greed**  
The Power of Midwifery Led Water Birth Education

1640

## DAY 1 CLOSE

1830

**CONFERENCE DINNER**

**FRIDAY**  
24th May 2024

0730

**STUDENT BREAKFAST**

0830 - 0900

**REGISTRATION**

0900

**Dr Helen Cooke**  
Keynote - Courage to Dive In

0950

**Nicole Greig and Katie Farrell**  
Consumers Steering the Ship

1010

**Dr Rakime Elmir**  
Sailing the seas of change: Transforming midwifery practice to be culturally responsive and father inclusive

1030 - 1100

**MORNING TEA**

1100

**Karen Sorensen and Janelle Ollerenshaw**  
Mentoring Midwifery Group Practice

1120

**Cindy Partridge**  
From Ripples to Waves: The Mentoring in Midwifery (MiM) Facilitator's Journey of Transformation and Connection Across NSW

1140

**Shark Tank**  
Presentation of new ideas, innovations and creative concepts

1220 - 1320

**LUNCH**

1320

**Karen Kennedy**  
Creating Waves: Midwives creating a holistic wellness primary maternity care model. Set sail, destination a publicly funded homebirth model

1340

**Assoc. Professor Allison Cummins**  
Exploring the value and acceptability of midwifery antenatal and postnatal services, making waves in New South Wales

1400

**Sarah Mumm**  
Keynote

1450

**Closing Words / Raffle Draw**

1500

**DAY 2 CLOSE**

**SATURDAY**  
25th May 2024