

AGENDA

ANMF Health and Safety Symposium
21 March 2025, 9am–4pm



9am	Conference welcome Lisa Fitzpatrick, Branch Secretary, ANMF (Vic Branch)
9:05am	Housekeeping Olivia Peterson, ANMF (Vic Branch) OHS Officer Joey Bradford, ANMF (Vic Branch) Deputy OHS Team Manager (MCs)
9.10am	Designing safer work Dr Peta Miller, Director, WHS Consulting
10.10am	Gender equality, violence and harassment at work as a work health and safety issue Dr Lisa Heap, Senior Researcher, Centre for Future Work
11am	Morning tea
11.20am	Getting body stressing handled in health – a case study Stephanie Cassidy, CEO, Ergonomist/Health, Safety & Wellbeing Specialist Productivity Matters
12.05pm	Advocating for workplace safety – HSRs fighting for change panel Marita Wilson, RN, Jop Rep & HSR, Central Gippsland Health Service ED Amelia Berry, RN & HSR, Portland District Health ED Liam Blythe, RN, JobRep & HSR, Royal Melbourne Hospital ED
12.40pm	Developing standards to managing biological hazards in healthcare Veronica Black, Lead WHS Officer, NSW Nurses and Midwives Association
1.10pm	Lunch
2.00pm	Improving work health and safety in the healthcare and social assistance industry Nathan Lee, Director, Industries and High Risk Work Policy, Safe Work Australia
2.30pm	WorkSafe within healthcare and the problem-centric approach Pia Cerveri, Program Manager Healthcare, WorkSafe Victoria Johnathan Walters, Senior Ergonomist, WorkSafe Victoria
3.10pm	Returning to work: barriers and enablers Professor Alex Collie, Director, Healthy Working Lives Unit, School of Public Health and Preventative Medicine, Monash University
3.55pm	Closing address Olivia Peterson, ANMF (Vic Branch) OHS Officer Joey Bradford, ANMF (Vic Branch) Deputy OHS Team Manager (MCs)



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