



# Clinicians Health Channel Newsletter

## Resource News

**The Pregnancy and Breastfeeding Medicines Guide (PBMG)** is this month's featured resource on the Clinician's Health Channel. PBMG is a quick reference guide for healthcare professionals which provides information on medicine use in pregnancy and breastfeeding. Recent updates include 10 new medicines profiles, 3 new therapeutics groups information and 4 new patient medicine fact sheets added. 417 medicine profiles and 7 patient information fact sheets have been reviewed and updated.

The **eTG** Endocrinology guidelines have been split into 3 separate guidelines: **Diabetes**, **Bone and Metabolism**, and **Sexual and Reproductive Health**. Updates of the latter two titles are expected later this year. Diabetes, v1 covers all types of diabetes, new information on hospital and community management options, a comparative drug table and handy information sheets. The revised Ulcer and Wound Management v2 focuses on individualised patient-centered therapy, includes advice on optimising the treatment and prevention of common ulcers and wounds including skin tears, surgical wounds and abrasions and includes a new topic on minor burns and a guide to starting compression therapy.



CHC provides access to dental reference and research tools from TDS Health. The **STAT!Ref** Resources Collection for Dentistry and Dental Hygiene includes a range of resources in over 21 dentistry sub-disciplines from dental hygiene to dental surgery.

**Psychiatry Online Premium** provides psychiatrists and mental health professionals with key resources for diagnosis, treatment, research, and professional development. View the 2 new titles now available to you via **CHC**: View new titles such as the **Textbook of Traumatic Brain Injury, Third Edition** or the handbook of the month **Handbook Of Medicine In Psychiatry, Second Edition**

### **Hospital accreditation resources: The NSQHS "Live Literature Searches"**

PubMed live searches have been developed, tested and endorsed as part of the Health Libraries for the National Standards Research Project (HeLiNS). The searches provide updated results for topics aligned to the Australian National Safety and Quality Health Service (NSQHS) Standards. All queries concerning the live literature searches should be directed to [Michele Gaca](#).

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## CHC @ Western Health Education Expo

The Expo, held at Sunshine Hospital on the 20<sup>th</sup> March, brought together more than 200 clinicians.



Clinicians at the Expo learn about the wide range of resources available on the CHC

Clinicians dropped by the CHC table to chat with the Medical Librarian, ask questions about accessing resources, hear about various ways to access training and training resources and hear about developments and new information available from their most popular resources. The event was followed by training sessions at both Sunshine and Footscray Hospitals.



Pharmacists attend training at Sunshine and Footscray Hospitals

## Let CHC's next visit be to your hospital

Watch this space for training news. Contact [Miranda Ebenezer](#), Medical Librarian, to request training for yourself or your team at your hospital or library or online. Visit the training calendar on the [KnowledgeHub](#) to view and register for forthcoming classroom and online sessions. View [User Guides](#), [Newsletters](#) and [FAQs](#) on the [KnowledgeHub](#).



So much to explore on the CHC during the Expo



Lots of new information for clinicians at the Expo



Good pointers to take away from the Expo



### Training & Events

Visit the CHC Knowledge Hub to register online for training sessions.

[CLICK HERE TO FIND OUT MORE](#)

### Coming up ...

#### Austin Health invites you:

[Fundamentals of research: for everyday practice](#) Tuesday 14 May 2019 9 - 3:45 pm  
[Advanced Research Methods: poised to publish](#) Tuesday 14 May 2019 9:45 - 4:30 pm  
[How to write a research paper](#) Friday 13 Sept 2019 - 12:00 noon - 1:15 pm

## Gippsland hospitals host CHC Training during Library and Information Week

Nurses attend a CHC session at Sale Hospital



Clinicians attend an interdisciplinary CHC session at Latrobe Regional Hospital



Hands on for dialysis and chemotherapy nurses at Latrobe Regional Hospital



Doctors attend CHC training in the Sir Frank Macfarlane Burnet Library

The Sir Frank Macfarlane Burnet Library (Latrobe Regional Hospital) provides current evidence to support health professionals involved with high quality patient care in the public health, specialties and mental health services in the shires of Baw Baw, Bass Coast and Latrobe City.

Contact: [library@lrh.com.au](mailto:library@lrh.com.au)

The Bairnsdale Regional Health Service Medical Library is a multidisciplinary health sciences library serving all major occupational groups within the Community Health Service, Allied Health, Aged Care and Hospital service areas.

Contact: [library@brhs.com.au](mailto:library@brhs.com.au)



The Clayton Willington Library (Central Gippsland Health) is located on the Sale campus. It facilitates informed decision-making in patient care, education, research and management. across the health service for staff, students and the communities of central Gippsland.

Contact: [library@cghs.com.au](mailto:library@cghs.com.au)

## Can't find it on the CHC? Ask your Library ...

The CHC provides a list of local library contacts. The medical librarians can help you locate information if not available on the CHC and provide research advice.

[View Victorian health library services contacts](#)