

# Patients and Carers Workshop

# Amyloidosis 2021

## Melbourne Program

Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup>

William Angliss Institute, Building A, at the 5th Floor conference room, 555 La Trobe Street, Melbourne City

Time: 1200 – 1800

Time	Speaker	Title/Session
1200-1210	Simon Gibbs	Welcome and Introduction
<b>1210-1330</b>	<b>Session One</b>	<i>Chair: James Hare</i>
1210-1230	Kim Wong	What is Amyloidosis ?
1230-1315	Carol Whelan	TTR Amyloidosis. What is TTR Amyloidosis? What are the treatments, now and in the future future? (pre-recorded)
1315-1330	Local Panel	Q&A
<b>1330-1400</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>1400-1515</b>	<b>Session Two</b>	<b>Managing the Disease</b>   <i>Chair: Masa Lasica</i>
1400-1415	Leeroy William	How best to manage your neuropathy and troubled bowels
1415-1430	James Hare	How best to manage your breathlessness
1430-1445	Nella Coomb and Jolin Luo	How best to access nursing supports and education
1445-1500	Evan Bittner	"My Journey" A personal reflection from a patient
1500-1515	Panel	Q&A
<b>1515-1530</b>	<b>Afternoon Tea</b>	
<b>1530-1630</b>	<b>Session Three</b>	<b>AL Amyloidosis</b>   <i>Chair: Michael Low</i>
1530-1615	Morie Gertz	What is AL amyloidosis? What are the treatments, now and in the future? (pre-recorded)
1615-1630	Local Panel	Q&A
<b>1630-1750</b>	<b>Session Four</b>	<b>Accessing the best therapies in Australia for your Amyloidosis</b>   <i>Chair: David Routledge</i>
1630-1645	Simon Gibbs	What's currently available for amyloidosis in Australia?
1645-1700	Andrew Spencer	How are drugs funded? Explaining the TGA and PBAC
1700-1715	Suzi Jakicic	What's involved in a Clinical Trial?
1715-1730	Pat Neely	Patient advocacy and the Role of the AAN
1730-1745	Local Panel	Q&A
<b>1745-1750</b>	Simon Gibbs	<b>Final Remarks and Thank You</b>