



Join us for an evening of quality education: **Beyond tummy pain in kids and adolescents**

Date:
Tuesday 25 July 2017

Time:
6.30pm (for a 7.00pm start) - 8.30pm

Venue:
St Vincent's Private Hospital Brisbane
411 Main Street Kangaroo Point

Event details:
Includes free buffet dinner
guest speaker and presentation
Free parking is available on site

Welcome introduction by:
Dr Kathleen Cooke
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Recurrent abdominal pain is a common complaint in children and adolescents. Its incidence is quoted up to 20 per cent worldwide. A case study will help facilitate discussion regarding the complexities surrounding recurrent abdominal pain and modalities of management.

Pain perception in the gastrointestinal tract is mediated through the enteric, autonomic and central nervous systems. It is no wonder then, that neural pathways for pain in these systems are activated by multiple different afferents.

Discussion includes:

- Overview and explanation of these systems.
- Ways to assess pain in these children, particularly excluding alarm symptoms and signs.
- Treatment using a collaborative approach in the community and hospital setting.
- The role of the GP Specialist in referral and ongoing management.

Speaker: Dr Jacqueline Evans

BSc (Hons), MBBS (Hons), FANZCA, FFPMANZCA

Dr Evans is a Pain Medicine Specialist with special interests in rehabilitative multidisciplinary management of persistent pain in children and adults. In 2013 Dr Evans completed a Fellowship of the Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists and in the following year Fellowship of the Faculty of Pain Medicine, ANZCA. Dr Evans works in public and private hospitals. She is Supervisor of Training at the RBWH and Visiting Medical Officer at St Vincent's Private Hospital Brisbane.

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