

COH Telehealth Webinar

Centre for Online Health CENTRE FOR HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH

(In partnership with the Australian Telehealth Society)

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the COH Telehealth Forums will proceed each month with a special online format, which is designed to address common questions related to telehealth. The COH will partner with the Australian Telehealth Society (ATHS) to provide a monthly webinar. The webinars will include a short presentation (20-30 minutes) on a specific telehealth topic, and a Q&A panel discussion (20 minutes) involving experts from the COH and the ATHS. **Participants are encouraged to send their questions to enquiries@coh.uq.edu.au and the panel members will do their best to address these.**

Webinar Topic:

Tracking telehealth using Medicare Benefits Scheme data: Psychiatry and Psychology 2019-2021

Presented by: Dr Centaine Snoswell PhD, MPH, BPharm

Dr Snoswell is a Health Economics Research Fellow with the Centre for Health Services Research, focusing on the economic evaluation of telehealth. She is currently working with the NHMRC Partnership Centre for Health System Sustainability to explore the economic efficiency of implementing telehealth initiatives in Australia.



Since the start of the pandemic telehealth use has increased in Australia. Using national data from the Medicare Benefits Scheme we can track telehealth service provision and describe the changes in use over time. Here we will specifically examine Psychiatry and Psychology service provision before and after the pandemic started (2019-2021) using both descriptive statistics and time-series analysis.

Panelists this month include:

- Dr Zena Burgess, Chief Executive Officer, Australian Psychological Society
- Dr Urska Arnautovska, Psychologist, UQ Faculty of Medicine
- Professor Anthony Smith, Director, Centre for Online Health, CHSR (Webinar Chairperson)
- Associate Professor Liam Caffery, Telehealth Technology Director, Centre for Online Health (Webinar Moderator)



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Date: Wednesday, 6 April 2022

Time: 12:30pm – 1:00pm (Seminar Presentation)
1:00pm – 1:20pm (Panel Discussion)

Location: Zoom Only (see details below)

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