

Health and Society Seminar Series

Special Guest Seminar



**A nice bunch of projects ... but so what?
Lessons from 15 years of review and evaluation projects and routine
health outcome measurement**

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There are similarities between the Australian and Canadian health systems - federal and national - public and private mix – population health issues – Primary Health Care strategies – crises in acute institutions – quality issues in residential care. And there are likely to be common theories and assumptions about equity and disadvantage - population health research focus, reducing inequalities, closing gaps and so on.

There will be differences of culture and local context – health care funding systems - clinical, professional and institutional balance - support networks, academic, bureaucratic and service affiliations.

The talk will investigate alternative health service research funding systems and ways to build research capacity inside the health system.

How do we know, as a health research centre, whether it all makes any difference? This talk outlines how one health research centre has “taken stock” of its impact on the health system.

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