



# The Better Care Everywhere Webinar calendar

## 02 Feb 2021

12.30-2.00pm (AEDT)

Same care everywhere? Far from it!

All Australians deserve safe, high-quality health care, so why don't they get the same care everywhere? Learn more about the causes of healthcare variation, how data about healthcare variation can improve health outcomes, and what it means for health service leaders, clinicians, consumers and the health system.

### 09 Feb 2021

### 6.00-7.30pm (AEDT)

# Stopping the habit: Opioid prescribing in general practice

Opioid prescribing and harm continue to rise in Australia, but GPs and pain specialists can work together to 'stop the habit'. Find out when to avoid opioids altogether, how to deprescribe opioids, and how to manage difficult conversations with colleagues and consumers.

## 11 Feb 2021

6.00-7.30pm (AEDT)

# Preventing a problem: Opioid prescribing in hospitals

The use of opioids after surgery can set many patients on a journey towards opioid harm. Get practical advice on how to change prescribing practices in your hospital, and work with primary care providers to prevent the problems of ongoing opioid use.

## 16 Feb 2021

12.30-2.00pm (AEDT)

# Vanishing variation: Practical tips for doing more of the same

Cathy Balding and Cathy Jones of the No Harm Done podcast see managing unwarranted variation as a change management issue. In this recording of the podcast, they offer practical tips on managing change, and advice on how to make the investigation and management of healthcare variation part of your clinical governance framework.

## 23 Feb 2021

### 12.30-2.00pm (AEDT)

#### NSQHS Standards action 1.28: Your roadmap to better care

The NSQHS Standards User Guide for the Review of Clinical Variation in Health Care is your roadmap to identify, investigate and address unwarranted variation. Real case studies will guide you through the six steps to drive change and deliver better care.

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