

0800-0900	Registration				
0900-1030	Plenary				
0900	Welcome to Country <i>Uncle John Graham, Jellurgal Aboriginal Cultural Centre</i> Welcome from ACM <i>Dr Alison (Ali) Teate, ACM President</i> Department of Health, Disability and Ageing The Hon Rebecca White MP Assistant Minister for Health and Aged Care, Indigenous Health, and Women (pre recorded address) Update from Commonwealth Chief Nursing and Midwifery Office <i>Dr Olivia Tierney, CNMO Office</i> Looking to the Future <i>Kelley Lennon, ACM Chief Midwife</i> Relationship based research and practice, and transformational potential for women and babies' lives <i>Professor Jane Sandall CBE, King's College</i> <i>Chair: Dr Alison (Ali) Teate, ACM President</i>				
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1030-1100	Morning Tea Exhibition Marquee				
1100-1230	Concurrent Session A				
	Plenary Hall <i>Crafting the Future Midwife</i> <i>Chair: Karen McDonald Smith</i>	Surfers Paradise 1 <i>Re-centering Women in Maternity Care Design</i> <i>Chair: Assoc. Prof Vanessa Scarf</i>	Surfers Paradise 2 <i>Beyond the Clinical Gaze: Fear, Trauma, Choice and Alternative Birth Narratives</i> <i>Chair: Sue-Anne Hawkins</i>	Surfers Paradise 3 <i>Evidence That Moves Practice Forward</i> <i>Chair: Kate Hepburn Brown</i>	Coolangatta Room Workshops (pre registration only) <i>Chair: Kelley Lennon</i>
1100	O1 Growing the Midwifery Workforce: Understanding Midwifery Professional Experience Placement Capacity <i>Kristy Watson, Federation University & Katrina Thomas, Monash Health</i>	O5 Measuring what Matters to Australian Mothers: Co-designing world-first tools for safe maternity care <i>Dr Lauren Spark, Curtin University & Prof Zoe Bradfield, Curtin University, KEMH</i>	O9 Women's Experiences of Care When Planning to Freebirth in Australia <i>Caitlyn Atkinson, Edith Cowan University</i>	O13 Advancing antimicrobial stewardship in midwifery: The role of rapid GBS testing <i>Dr Laura Gabriel, University of the Sunshine Coast</i>	1100 The Moments You Spend with Them Matter <i>Jessica Birch, Sally Johnson & Marie Linden, Foundation for Alcohol Research & Education</i> Participants will rotate through 3 groups and be provided with evidence-based information and tools to discuss alcohol use with patients who are pregnant, planning a pregnancy or breastfeeding.
1120	O2 Students' and Women's experiences of a Student-Led Midwifery Clinic <i>Assoc Prof Amanda Carter & Marnie McDonald, Griffith University</i>	O6 Disrupting weight stigma in maternity care through narrative portraiture <i>Anna Robins, University of QLD, Assoc Prof Lauren Kearney, University of QLD & RBWH</i>	O10 Bridging the gap to the freebirth world and the "system" <i>Sarah Handby, Sunshine Coast University Hospital</i>	O14 Mode of birth following induction of labour in nulliparous women: A Victorian cohort study <i>Professor Christine East, La Trobe University</i>	

1140	O3 Strengthening the First 2000 Days: Midwifery student placements in Child and Family Health Services <i>Dr Samantha Nolan, GCUH & Hannah McCallum, Griffith University</i>	O7 Small Ripples, Big waves: Women’s experiences of declining recommended maternity care in rural Aus <i>Melissa Woodhouse-Adolphus, Western Sydney University</i>	O11 A Scoping Review of Verbal and Non-Verbal Communication Practices During Labour and Birth <i>Assoc Prof Laura Whitburn, La Trobe University</i>	O15 CHOICES: Birth after caesarean section <i>Fiona Kane, KEMH</i>	1145 Advocacy for Clinical Midwives <i>Kelley Lennon, ACM Chief Midwife</i> Share your thoughts, in this facilitated discussion, about the advocacy needed for midwives working in maternity services.
1200	O4 Rethinking Numerical Birth Requirements Alicia Drake, Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital & Assoc Prof Lauren Kearney, University of QLD & RBWH	O8 Evidence shaping tomorrow’s midwifery: Co-designing maternity research from the ground up <i>Dr Elysse Prussing, University of Newcastle</i>	O12 Shaping tomorrow’s midwifery through use of the Birth Map antenatally <i>Jane Palmer, Westmead Hospital</i>	O16 Innovating for impact: a pathway to eliminating congenital syphilis <i>Elizabeth Milroy, Office of the Chief Midwife Officer, QLD</i>	
1220	P1 Innovation in emergency training: Embedding shared decision making in scenario-based learning <i>Jessica Pope, QLD Health</i>	P3 Future Focused Midwifery: Preparing a Workforce Equipped for Gender and Sexual Diversity <i>Alicia Carey, Charles Sturt University</i>	P5 Separated from access, support and choice: Women’s experiences of negative and traumatic births <i>Sophie Van Limbeek, University of Tasmania</i>	P7 Midwives Experiences of Providing Pregnancy Associated Cancer Care in Australia <i>Lucy Armitage, University of Canberra</i>	
1225	P2 Exploring midwifery students’ perspectives of workplace culture during clinical placement. <i>Sharon Mumford, La Trobe University</i>	P4 Who Defines Woman-Centred Care? Reclaiming Meaning Through Women’s Voices <i>Shathani Buckley, University of QLD</i>	P6 ADHD Across the Women’s Lifespan: Implications for Midwifery Practice and Perinatal Care <i>Kati Krebs, University of Southern Queensland</i>	P8 Shaping Midwifery Scope of Practice; An Australian Neonatal Hypoglycaemia CPG appraisal <i>Kylie Hodges, University of Canberra</i>	
1230-1330	Lunch Exhibition Marquee				
1245-1315	Annual ACM Professoriate Forum Meeting <i>Prof Zoe Bradfield</i> Coolangatta Workshop Room				

1330-1500	Concurrent Session B				
	Plenary Hall <i>Rethinking Rural and Remote Midwifery</i> <i>Chair: Assoc. Prof Vanessa Scarf</i>	Surfers Paradise 1 <i>Designing Better Intrapartum Care Through Practice and Place</i> <i>Chair: Marnie McDonald</i>	Surfers Paradise 2 <i>Walking Together: Strengthening First Nations Midwifery Futures</i> <i>Chair: Jaunita Landeesse</i>	Surfers Paradise 3 <i>Care Culture and Collective Support</i> <i>Chair: Kate Hepburn-Brown</i>	Coolangatta Room Workshops (pre registration only) <i>Chair: Aya Emery</i>
1330	O17 Building a Sustainable Rural Maternity Workforce; Implementing A Part-Time MGP Option <i>Jessica Stone & Kate Fay, Dalby Hospital</i>	O21 One year on: Outcomes from a quality improvement project to increase safe access to water immersion <i>Dr Valerie Slavin, GCHHS/WNCS/GCUH</i>	O25 From Classroom to Community: A Student Midwife's Experience in a Remote First Nations Setting <i>Ellie Wame, Southern Cross University</i>	O29 Shaping Tomorrow by Listening Today: A National Workforce Case Study on Midwifery Trauma, Retention, <i>Kelli Ann Zakharoff, Midwife/Author</i>	1330 Introduction to Midwifery Practice Review <i>Aya Emery, ACM Midwifery Advisor</i> This workshop will give you a taste of the Midwifery Practice Review process and the interactive activities and discussion undertaken in the full review.
1350	O18 Shaping a Greener Future for Midwifery: Carbon Footprint Evaluation of a Regional Australian MGP <i>Dr Elysse Prussing, Newcastle University</i>	O22 Shaping Birthplace: How Environment Design Supports the Future of Midwifery Practice <i>Grace McLean, Global Birth Environ. Design Network</i>	O26 First Nations midwifery student financial supports in Australia <i>Stacey Butcher, Western Sydney University</i>	O30 Telling, Not Asking: How power shapes decision-making in antenatal care <i>Dr Madeline Hawke, Deakin University</i>	
1410	O19 What Sustains Private Homebirth Practice? A Synthesis of PPM's Experiences <i>Tani Paxton & Assoc Prof Lauren Kearney, University of Queensland</i>	O23 From First Birth to Registration: Perineal Outcomes Across Midwifery Training <i>Beata Gidasewski, Westmead Hospital</i>	O27 Birthing on Country Co-Design on Bundjalung Country Walking Alongside as a Non-First Nations Midwife <i>Suzanne Weir, Bullinah Aboriginal Health Service</i>	O31 Caring for Midwives: Exploring Peer support in midwifery practice in an Australian hospital <i>Professor Gina Kruger, University of Tasmania</i>	1415 Real Practice, Real Impact: Spinning Babies™ Case Studies for Midwives <i>Meg Austin</i> This interactive workshop will provide clinical scenarios and demonstrate the application of Spinning Babies(TM) movement and bodywork to promote health outcomes for women and babies.
1430	O20 Optimising Midwifery Group Practice Workforce in Rural and Remote contexts <i>Ingrid Birtwistle, QLD Health</i>	O24 Midwives in the Pelvic Space: Reclaiming Preventative Care as Core Midwifery Practice <i>Laura Mathias, Tall Trees Pelvic Care</i>	O28 Teaching the Heart of Teamwork: Preparing Midwives for Safer, Kinder Practice <i>Dr Carolyn Hastie, Griffith University</i>	Emerging Trends in Midwifery Education Quality Assurance <i>Camilla Rowland, CEO ANMAC</i>	
1450	P9 Shaping tomorrow's rural midwifery; skills, scope and sustainability in the bush <i>Jane Reynolds, Curtin University</i>	P11 Contextual complexities of intrapartum communication <i>Assoc Prof Lauren Gawne, La Trobe University</i>	P13 Co-design of a culturally appropriate resource for First Nations women on Palm Island <i>Kerry Foster, QLD Health</i>	P15 Informed choices for labour and birth: the role of Decision Aids in Maternity care <i>Assoc Prof Lauren Kearney, University of Queensland TBC</i>	

1455	P10 Strengthening Rural Maternity Care Through Endorsement: Implementing a Public Midwifery Endorsement <i>Jessica Stone, Dalby Hospital</i>	P12 A Cervical Membrane Sweep: Women's experiences within an Induction Pathway <i>Maria Lohan, Royal Hospital for Women</i>	P14 Working towards safe and sacred care: A toolkit to support perinatal care for First Nations parents <i>Storm Henry, The University of Melbourne</i>		
1500-1530 Afternoon Tea Exhibition Marquee					
1530-1700	Plenary				
1530 1615	The intersectionality of FGM <i>Khadija Gbla, FGM lived experience survivor and advocate</i> Continuity of Culture. First Nations Midwifery from Community to Leadership. <i>Natalie Hobbs, Assistant Director of Midwifery Darling Downs Hospital and Health Service, Katrina Pearson, MGP Midwife Thursday Island, Torres and Cape Hospital and Health Service, Aunty Linda Biunaiwai, Director of the Yugambeh Regional Aboriginal Corporation Alliance, Facilitated by Melina Connors, First Nations Midwifery Director, QLD Health</i> <i>Chair: Jodie Atkinson, ACM Vice President</i>				
1700-1830 Networking Drinks Grand Poolside Lawn					

0730-0830	Student Breakfast sponsored by Huggies <i>Assoc Prof Vanessa Scarf, UTS, Kelley Lennon, ACM Chief Midwife & ACM Midwifery Advisors</i>				
0830-0900	Registration				
0900-1030	Plenary				
0900	The GPT Revolution: A Deep Dive into the AI Revolution <i>Adam Spencer, AI Expert, Science Communicator & Comedian</i> <i>Chair: Michelle Warriner, ACM Board Director</i>				
1030-1100	Morning Tea Exhibition Marquee				
1100-1230	Concurrent Session C				
	Plenary Hall <i>By Mob, For Mob: First Nations Models of Midwifery Care</i> <i>Chair: Dr Elysse Prussing</i>	Surfers Paradise 1 <i>Continuity Under Pressure: Making Models Work in the Real World</i> <i>Chair: Eleanor Tomlinson</i>	Surfers Paradise 2 <i>Digital Futures Reshaping Midwifery</i> <i>Chair: Aya Emery</i>	Surfers Paradise 3 <i>Early Pregnancy, Extended Practice and Care Across the Continuum</i> <i>Chair: Jo Pinder</i>	Coolangatta Room Workshops (pre registration only) <i>Chair: Karen McDonald Smith</i>
1100	O32 Walking in our power – Tjurtu <i>Melina Connors, QLD Health</i>	O36 Sustaining Midwifery Continuity of Care: Insights from North Queensland Midwives <i>Mariann Hadland, Townsville Hospital and Health Service</i>	O39 Is virtual pregnancy care safe and effective? Building the evidence for the Australian context <i>Sarah Murray, University of Technology Sydney</i>	O43 The future of acute early pregnancy care in Australia: Midwives leading change <i>Nicole Freeman, Curtin University and King Edward Memorial Hospital</i>	1100 AI in Practice: A Hands-On Workshop for Research and Clinical Work <i>Adam Spencer</i> This practical workshop is designed to help you confidently get started with AI in both research and clinical settings. You'll explore how tools like generative AI can support everyday tasks, from quickly summarising research papers and drafting grant applications to improving clinical documentation and patient communication. Through guided, hands-on examples, you'll learn how to write effective prompts, assess outputs, and apply AI safely and responsibly in your work.
1120	O33 The Growing Deadly Families Birth Registration Project <i>Catherine Scott & Natalie Hobbs, QLD Health</i>	O37 Scope Doesn't Implement Itself: Lessons from a Tertiary Maternity Service <i>Kieran Froese, Mater Mothers Hospital</i>	O40 Closing the Distance: Extending Breastfeeding Journeys Through Telehealth in WA <i>Sam Foster, WA Country Health Service</i>	O44 Leading the Continuum: A Midwifery-Led Perinatal Loss and Pregnancy After Loss Service <i>Cherie Martin & Emma Porter, Mater Mothers Hospital</i>	
1140	O34 Gudjaga Gunyahlamia – Waminda's journey to design and build an Aboriginal-led Birth Centre <i>Melanie Briggs, Waminda South Coast Women's Health and Wellbeing Aboriginal Corporation</i>	O38 From Challenge to Change: Reinventing Midwifery Continuity for Today's Workforce <i>Gemma Macmillan & Kathleen Goldsmith, Office of the Chief Midwife Officer QLD</i>	O41 Best Practice vs Reality: Insights from a Time-Motion Study of Antenatal Care in the Digital Age <i>Elsa Suk Fan Chan, Gold Coast University Hospital</i>	O45 No Missed Opportunities: Expanding Midwifery Scope to Prevent Cervical Cancer <i>Julianne Nissen, Centenary Hospital for women and Children</i>	

1200	O35 Mob caring for Mob – Increasing the Aboriginal Midwifery workforce to upscale Birthing on Country <i>Dr Rebecca Coddington & Jade Jackson, Waminda South Coast Women's Health and Wellbeing Aboriginal Corporation</i>	Shaping the Future Midwifery Workforce: Supporting Midwives' Wellbeing <i>Dr Sarah Hay, Edith Cowan University</i>	O42 Beyond Geography: Telehealth Childbirth Education Shaping Equitable Rural Midwifery <i>Kasey Biggar, WA Country Health Service</i>	From Evidence to Action: How Midwives Are Shaping the Future of Infant RSV Protection Through Maternal Vaccination <i>Dr Edin Mifsud, Pfizer</i>	1145 What happens when a concern about a midwife is raised with Ahpra? <i>Penelope Marshall, Amy Hargreaves, Karen McNeil</i> This interactive workshop provides an overview of how midwives are regulated in Australia and regulatory decision making in practice. Working through mock scenarios, participants will take on the role of Board members to consider regulatory options and possible outcomes. We will unpack these decisions and consider how it relates to the requirements under the National Law.
1220	P16 Culturally Grounded, Community-Led Care: How Waminda's Birthing on Country is improving outcomes <i>Dr Rebecca Coddington, Molly Wardaguga Institute for First Nations Birth Rights, Charles Darwin University</i>	P18 A route to better outcomes: Exploring perinatal outcomes and satisfaction associated with MAPS <i>Fiona Kane, KEMH</i>	P20 A Qualitative Descriptive Study Exploring Student Experiences of Video-Recorded Clinical Skills Asse <i>Peta Cornell, Curtin University</i>	P22 Listening to Midwives: Themes from the NT's first bereavement care survey <i>Julie Healey, NT Health</i>	
1225	P17 Replanting the Birthing Trees: culturally-responsive, trauma-informed continuity of maternity care <i>Prof Cath Chamberlain, University of Melbourne</i>	P19 Two years on – Publicly Funded Homebirth on the Sunshine Coast <i>Hayley Ersser, Sunshine Coast University Hospital</i>	P21 Designing for impact: enhancing student and staff experience and workflow optimisation in midwifery <i>Dr Glenda Hawley, University of Queensland</i>	P23 Shaping Tomorrow's Midwifery: Building Workforce Capability through ADHD-Informed Education <i>Kati Krebs, University of Southern Queensland</i>	
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1330	Optimising Oxytocin in Labour and Birth: Essential Information for Tomorrow's Midwives <i>Dr Sarah Buckley</i> Elsevier Caroline Homer Writers' Prize <i>Editor in Chief, Women and Birth</i>				
1415	Queensland – Midwives Shaping Policy and Practice <i>Liz Wilkes, QLD Chief Midwife</i>				
1440	ACM Midwifery Awards <i>Chair: Alisha Thompson, ACM Board Director</i>				
1500-1530	Afternoon Tea Exhibition Marquee				
1530-1700	Concurrent Session D				
	Plenary Hall <i>Confronting Power, Racism and Inequity in Maternity Care</i> <i>Chair: Jo Pinder</i>	Surfers Paradise 1 <i>Holding Complexity: Mental Health, Identity and Inclusive Perinatal Care</i> <i>Chair: Eleanor Tomlinson</i>	Surfers Paradise 2 <i>Shaping the First Days of Life</i> <i>Chair: Marnie McDonald</i>	Surfers Paradise 3 <i>Expanding the Edges of Practice</i> <i>Chair: Aya Emery</i>	Coolangatta Room Workshop (pre registration only) <i>Chair: Assoc. Prof Lauren Kearney</i>
1530	O46 Filling the Gaps: Internationally Qualified Midwives and Obstetricians in Rural and Remote Australia <i>Yordanka Berg Blanc, Alice Springs Hospital</i>	O50 Rethinking Care in Medically Complex Pregnancies: Implementation Processes, Professional Experiences <i>Naomi Homel, Mater Mothers Hospital</i>	O54 Lactation and breastfeeding training programs in Australia: a scoping review <i>Tanisha Springall, First Peoples Midwifery Lecturer, Griffith University</i>	O57 Shaping Tomorrow's Midwifery: Unlocking Scope, Unleashing Potential <i>Assoc Prof Megan Cooper, University of QLD</i>	1530 Decolonising Maternity Care Melanie Briggs and Cleone Wellington, Waminda This workshop will provide an introduction to decolonising maternity care, educating non-Indigenous Australians on the colonial structures and systemic racism that affect the everyday lives of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, while addressing outdated stereotypes, white privilege and white fragility.
1550	O47 Transforming Maternity Care Through Education: Embedding Respectful Maternity Care <i>Amy Rigano & Kelly Stegmeyer, Northern Adelaide Local Health Network</i>	O51 "Holding the woman and the complexity": Clinical Case Studies from an Obstetric Medicine MGP <i>Abby Murphy & Naomi Homel, Mater Mothers Hospital</i>	O55 Neonatal Early Warning Tools for the Early Identification of Clinical Deterioration in Newborns <i>Ryan McDonald, Griffith University</i>	O58 'Advanced Midwifery Practice': Is it working to our full scope or a designated role? <i>Prof Jenny Fereday, Adelaide University & Dr Paula Medway, SA Health</i>	
1610	O48 Racism and discrimination in maternity care in Australia– let's speak out! <i>Dr Glenys Frank, University of Canberra</i>	O52 Beyond the Binary <i>Gemma Simms, Curtin University</i>	O56 Midwifery Leadership in Neonatal Hypoglycaemia: Innovating Practice to Protect Early Breastfeeding <i>Kylie Hodges, University of Canberra</i>	O59 The Maryborough Model: Rural Maternity Care Close to Home Through Endorsed Midwifery Practice <i>Penny Browne, Maryborough District Health Service</i>	

1630	O49 “We don’t want this” ... “We don’t trust this” ... “We need to keep this”: Neonatal Postnatal Support <i>Prof Linda Sweet, Western Health/Deakin University</i>	O53 Psychological Preparation for Motherhood <i>Christy Manning, University of the Sunshine Coast</i>	Advances in Breastfeeding Technology <i>Bianca Burge, momsnet Midwife</i>	O60 Women's experiences and perceptions of the first publicly funded homebirth service in Queensland <i>Dr Bethan Townsend, Sunshine Coast Health</i>	1615 Diagnosing Perineal Lacerations <i>Dr Sara Kindberg Adelskov & Melanie Francis, Gynzone</i> Diagnosing and suturing a simple perineal trauma or an episiotomy is considered as part of a midwife’s scope of practice . Learn to diagnose perineal lacerations in this innovative blended learning approach for midwives.
1650		P24 Rewriting the opening act of a child disability story <i>Ingerlise Svaleng, 21 Gifts</i>	P26 Confidence Without Complexity? Re-shaping Prenatal Breastfeeding Education for Tomorrow’s Midwifery <i>Rachel Austin, Griffith University</i>	P28 Women's Experience of Uterine Rupture - What they say <i>Ashlee Anslow, Western Sydney University</i>	
1655		P25 Unapologetically Biased: Reflexive Insights from a Feminist Perspective on Birth Trauma <i>Sophie Van Limbeek, University of Tasmania</i>	P27 Every Baby, Every Family, Every Feed — Building Baby Friendly Futures in Western Sydney <i>Michelle Simmons, Westmead Hospital and Western Sydney University</i>	P29 Shaping the rural midwives of the future through support <i>Cath Ryan, Western NSW LHD</i>	
1830 - 1900 1900 - 2300					
Pre Dinner Drinks Gala Dinner Plenary Hall					

0730-0830		Breakfast sponsored by Philips (pre registration required)			
0830-0900		Registration			
0900-1030		Plenary			
0900	Shaping of a Rural Midwife <i>Anne Bousfield</i>				
0930	MAMA sustainable private midwifery model: Shaping community based midwifery <i>Kelly Langford, MAMA Midwifery</i>				
1000	Centering health equity in practice: midwifery approaches within street health outreach settings in Australia. <i>Sonia Martin, OneBridge</i> <i>Chair: Associate Professor Amanda Carter, ACM Board Director</i>				
1030-1100		Morning Tea Exhibition Marquee			
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	Plenary Hall <i>Policy, Power and Profession Ahead</i> <i>Chair: Eleanor Tomlinson</i>	Surfers Paradise 1 <i>Becoming Leaders, Growing Professions</i> <i>Chair: Aya Emery</i>	Surfers Paradise 2 <i>Culture, Knowledge and New Pathways in Midwifery Practice</i> <i>Chair: Jo Plnder</i>	Surfers Paradise 3 <i>Life After Birth</i> <i>Chair: Jaunita Landeesse</i>	Coolangatta Room Workshops (registration only) <i>Chair: Assoc. Prof Vanessa Scarf</i>
1100	Perineal Repair within the Midwifery Scope of Practice <i>Dr Sara Kindberg- Adelskov, Gynzone</i>	O64 From Clinician to Leader: A Journey of Reflection and Growth <i>Kathleen Goldsmith, Office of the Chief Midwife Officer</i>	O68 Visiting Rights for Midwives: Insights from Waminda’s Birthing on Country program <i>Fiona Reid & Patricia Deaves, Waminda South Coast Women's Health and Wellbeing Corporation</i>	O72 The overlooked year: A scoping review of women's health and wellbeing in the first year postpartum <i>Emily Leefhelm, Curtin University/Sydney Local Health District</i>	1100 Weight Inclusive Midwifery Care <i>Dr Bec Jenkinson (UQ), Tina Siale (consumer), Dr Maddie Hawke (Monash), Assoc Prof Lauren Kearney (UQ/RBWH) and Anna Robins (UQ)</i> Critically reflect on the impacts of weight stigma in your own practice, and in maternity care more broadly. Learn practical strategies to identify strengths and gaps within your own services, and achievable actions to support care for women of all body sizes.
1120	O61 Structural and contextual factors impacting provision of Continuity of Midwifery Care in Australia <i>Prof Jenny Gamble, Monash University</i>	O65 Does TV reporting of Midwifery events affect the resilience of Midwifery Students <i>Joanne Giblin, Flinders University</i>	O69 Pathway to a Thriving Service: Djerriwarrh to Bacchus Marsh 10 years on... <i>Adj Prof Tanya Farrell, Western Health</i>	O73 Can Neonatal Postnatal Support Nurses complement and support midwives in the postnatal setting? <i>Dr Vidanka Vasilevski, Deakin University</i>	

1140	O62 Beacon Lit, Scope Limited: Removing System Barriers for Australia’s Endorsed Midwife Workforce <i>Prof Zoe Bradfield, Curtin University, KEMH</i>	O66 Exploration of University clinical-based learning and simulation settings across Australia <i>Dr Glenda Hawley, University of Queensland</i>	O70 SISTABIRTH: Shaping Tomorrow’s Midwifery Through Culturally Safe Birthing on Country Models <i>Simone Druitt & Miriam Holliday, Southern Cross University</i>	O74 Supporting postnatal women: Outcomes of the DAISY peer support to prevent postnatal depression <i>Assoc Prof Touran Shafiei, La Trobe University</i>	1145 This is Midwifery Too: Building Knowledge, Skills and Confidence in Acute Early Pregnancy Care <i>Nicole Freeman</i> Build practical awareness and applied knowledge related to common early pregnancy complications, including miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy and hyperemesis gravidarum, while remembering the midwifery role in physical assessment, emotional support, and continuity of care.
1200	O63 Midwifery regulation: NMBA’s key policy priorities <i>Penelope Marshall, NMBA</i>	O67 Reimagining Midwifery Education: A Consumer-Led Model for Respectful Maternity Care <i>Alecia Staines, Maternity Consumer Network</i>	O71 Supporting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families to stay together from the start (SAFeST Start) <i>Prof Cath Chamberlain, University of Melbourne</i>	O75 “We Ask Mothers, We Forget Fathers”: Partner Inclusion as a Workforce and Systems Priority <i>Frances Bilbao, Mums Matter Psychology</i>	
1220	P30 Strengthening Midwifery Capability: Implementing a Self-Assessment Tool for Full Scope of Practice <i>Kate Robson, Werribee Mercy Hospital</i>	P32 Nurse’s transition to a new health profession: A scoping review <i>Monique Vermeulen, Deakin University</i>	P34 Reflective clinical supervision for midwives in continuity models for First Nations women <i>Annabel Tafe, Charles Darwin University</i>	P36 Shaping Breastfeeding Practice: How Midwives Build Knowledge and Support Skills <i>Sabine Pangerl, University of Notre Dame Fremantle</i>	
1225	P31 Choosing Not to Be a Mother: Reproductive Autonomy and the Future of Midwifery Practice <i>Sushitha Vijayan Kumar, UTS</i>	P33 Building relationships of trust: the ACT Maternity Experience Dashboard <i>Jessie Price, Office of the Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officer, ACT</i>	P35 Breaking down boundaries and building trust: Collaborative midwifery and child health model <i>Dr Bethan Townsend, Sunshine Coast Health</i>	P37 Overcoming Barriers and Harnessing Facilitators: Respectful Maternity Care in Low-Income countries <i>Ephrem Roga, Griffith University</i>	
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1330 1335 1355 1430	Prizes and 2027 Announcement From Advocacy to Action <i>Alison Weatherstone, WA Country Health Service</i> Case Study: Beyond labels – Collaborative care in action using the ACM National Midwifery Guidelines for Consultation and Referral <i>Nicola Taylor-Edwards (MUM), Dr Anders Faber-Swensson (Obstetrician), Sarah Handby (Clinical midwife MGP), Amelia Seymour (Consumer), Jillian Clarke (Private Midwife), facilitated by Kelley Lennon (ACM Chief Midwife)</i> President’s Oration <i>Dr Alison (Ali) Teate</i> <i>Chair: Kelley Lennon, ACM Chief Midwife</i>				