



## **NRUDRH Research Seminars**

### **Semester 1, 2010**

This free seminar series promotes the transfer of research into practice by providing a forum for researchers and others to present their work to people in the Northern Rivers health care community. Both experienced & early career researchers have the opportunity to present. All health professionals, including private practitioners, are invited to attend.

#### **Wednesday Afternoon Seminars: (4<sup>th</sup> Wed, 3.45 – 4.45pm)**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Presenter</b>
24 <sup>th</sup> February	Refugee women survivors of torture and trauma: How do they experience Western naturopathic treatments?	Dr Judy Singer, PhD Graduate, Southern Cross University
17 <sup>th</sup> March	Identifying the chronic heart failure self-management needs in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples: A secondary needs analysis	Assoc Prof Janelle Stirling and Ms Lindy Swain, Northern Rivers UDRH
26 <sup>th</sup> May	A study into the possible causes of a cleft lip and/or palate in children	Graeme Wallace, PhD Candidate, Southern Cross University
23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Tackling climate change on the North Coast: Health Promotion's role in developing an effective organisational network	Eric van Beurden, Denise Hughes, Annie Kia, Uta Dietrich, Suman Kavooru, NCAHS, and Professor Jeffrey Fuller, Flinders University of SA

**Please note: although every effort is made to keep to a schedule of every 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday in the month, due to public holidays and presenter availability – some dates may be altered. This semester, March 17 is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, and the April seminar has been postponed.**

**WHERE:** Northern Rivers University Department of Rural Health (NRUDRH)  
61 Uralba St, Lismore (opposite Lismore Base Hospital)

Presentations are video-conferenced free to Grafton, Murwillumbah, Broken Hill, Moree, Tweed Heads, Coffs Harbour, Port Macquarie, Casino, Ballina and Maclean. Other sites may be possible by special arrangement, however there may be some costs.

Seminars are part of the NRUDRH Primary Health Care Research, Evaluation and Development (PHC RED) program, funded by the Commonwealth Government Department of Health and Ageing.

**If you would like to attend a particular seminar, or to organise video-conferencing – please phone or email one week ahead. For sites not listed above please give two weeks' notice.  
Call Tania Lienert on 6620 7570 or email [tania.lienert@ncahs.health.nsw.gov.au](mailto:tania.lienert@ncahs.health.nsw.gov.au)**