

# Lismore Base Hospital Trauma Day: Friday August 13<sup>th</sup>

Venue: Theatre Room Y 205, Southern Cross University

## “State of origin to state of management: Getting the injured to definitive care”

### 0845 - 0900 Opening and Introduction: **Setting the scene**

- Review of 18 months Lismore trauma data  
Highlighting numbers / reasons for transfer  
*John Graham, Surgeon LBH, Chair LBH Trauma Committee*  
*Sharene Pascoe, CNC Emergency Services, LBH*

### 0900 – 1030 Session 1: **Trauma – At the site and on to hospital.**

Chair: *Anne Drinkwater, Emergency Physician, LBH*

- Presentation by ambulance / police forensics on the issues relating to dealing with the injured at the site. Includes pre-hospital care and modes of transport.
- Pre-hospital retrieval of major trauma  
*Steve Rashford, Queensland Ambulance Service Medical Director*

### 1030-1100 Morning Tea

### 1100 – 1300 Session 2: **Injuries needing transfer to a higher level of care.**

Chair: *Rick Easton, ICU specialist, LBH*

*Brief case examples with presentations*

- Head injury  
*Maryanne Vonau, Neurosurgeon Royal Brisbane Hospital*
- Spinal injury  
*Paul Poulgrain, Neurosurgeon, Gold Coast Hospital*
- Paediatrics  
*Roy Kimble, Paediatric surgeon, Royal Brisbane Hospital*
- Compound pelvic injury  
*Cliff Pollard, Director of Trauma, Royal Brisbane Hospital*

### 1300 – 1345 Lunch

### 1345 – 1515 Session 3: **Managing the transfer.**

Chair: *Chris Gavaghan, Director A&E Department LBH*

- The NSW perspective  
*Ron Manning, Director Aeromedical Retrieval, NSW*
- The Queensland Perspective  
*Mark Elcock, State Medical Director, Retrieval Services Qld*
- The local perspective  
*Local Emergency specialist*

### 1515 – 1545 Afternoon tea

### 1545 – 1700 Session 4: **Making it happen. Getting the injured to definitive care**

Chair: *John Graham, Surgeon LBH, Chair LBH Trauma Committee*

Focussed specific cases with discussion involving all speakers  
What's wrong and how to improve the system to expedite transfer