

First session: Tuesday 23 May 2017



# GP Small Group Learning: Opioid dependence and AOD

## Why attend a Small Group Learning?

- Enhance clinical competence, knowledge and performance
- Remain up-to-date with best practice standards and new treatments
- Connect with peers for support, interaction and reflection in a friendly environment

## Event Overview

**Alcohol and other Drug (AOD)** presentations are commonly seen in primary care and GPs are increasingly managing complex patients.

This Small Group Learning (SGL) series will assist and support GPs in this space. It will have a strong focus on the management and treatment of **opioid dependence** using pharmacotherapy.

Specific topics will be determined based on the learning needs of participants.

## Facilitators

**Dr Matthew Frei**  
**Dr Noel Plumley**

Our facilitators are **Addiction Medicine Specialists** from Turning Point Drug and Alcohol Centre (Eastern Health).

## 40 Category 1 RACGP points available

- A minimum of 6 hours must be attended in order to obtain 40 Category 1 RACGP Points, in addition to attendance at the planning & review meetings
- GPs will be asked to complete a pre-disposing activity to identify their personal learning needs prior to the first session
- Topics, dates and times will be agreed on by all attending GPs to reflect learning needs
- Sessions will run approximately every 6-8 weeks

## Event Details

Date: First session: Tuesday 23 May 2017  
*Subsequent session dates will be agreed on by participants (approximately 6-8 weekly)*

Venue: Eastern Melbourne PHN – Box Hill Office  
18-20 Prospect St, Box Hill

Time: Registration & light catering from 6.30pm  
Program from 7.00pm to 9.00pm

Book: [Register now](#)

RSVP: Friday 19 May 2017

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