

Pain Medicine, Addiction Medicine, Psychiatry and General Practice: Do great minds really think alike?

An educational evening to discuss complex pain, addiction & psychiatry conundrums and crossovers.

Brief update on **SafeScript**, Victoria's **Real-Time Prescription Monitoring** system, by Dr Malcolm Dobbin, DHHS Senior Medical Advisor Alcohol and Drugs.

Speakers

- Dr David Jacka Addiction Medicine Specialist, Monash Drug and Alcohol Centre
- **Dr John Monagle** Pain Specialist, St John of God Hospital
- Dr Malcolm Dobbin Senior Medical Advisor Alcohol and Drugs, Department of Health and Human Services

Case presentations will be provided by Dr David Jacka and Dr John Monagle.

Learning Outcomes

- Increase collaborative practice between Pain Specialists, Addiction Specialists, and General Practitioners
- Improve patient safety when prescribing opioids and other pain medications
- Improve management of patients who may have both pain and dependence issues
- Explain what SafeScript is, how it will operate and when it should be used by health professionals

Accreditation

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