







## **Hepatitis C Medication Update**

A Guide for Pharmacists

When: Tuesday, 8 November 2016

Where: 381 Royal Parade, Parkville 3052

and Regional and Satellite Centres (see next page for location details)

**Cost: FREE for all pharmacists** 

Time: 7:00pm Networking and Refreshments, 7:30pm to 9:00pm Lecture

More than 74,200 Victorians currently live with the hepatitis C virus. Previously, only 1.3% of people living with hepatitis C received treatment; left untreated, chronic hepatitis C can lead to liver failure, liver cancer and death. However, since March this year, several new direct acting antivirals to treat hepatitis C have been made available on the PBS General Schedule.

This means that these medications can now be prescribed by general practitioners and supplied by community pharmacies. As a result, more people with hepatitis C can be treated and cured. This session delivered by Victorian Infectious Diseases Specialist Dr Thomas Schulz and current community pharmacist Ms Dimitra Tsucalas, will assist pharmacists in the provision of hepatitis C medications and services in the primary care sector.

This education session is a partnership between the Pharmaceutical Society of Australia and Victorian PHN Alliance.

To register visit: http://www.psa.org.au/event/hepatitis-c-medication-update-a-guide-for-pharmacists

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## **Regional Satellite Centres**

Region	Venue address
Albury	Murray PHN, 594 Hovell Street, Albury
Ballarat	260 Vickers Street, Sebastopol
Bendigo	Murray PHN, 37 Rowan Street, Bendigo
Box Hill	Eastern Melbourne PHN, 18-20 Prospect Street, Box Hill
Dandenong	314A Thomas St, Dandenong
Geelong	131 Myers St, Geelong
Heatherton	11 Corporate Drive, Heatherton
Horsham	148 Baillie Street, Horsham
Mildura	Murray PHN, Suite 1,125 Pine Ave, Mildura
Moe	Gippsland PHN, 16 Kirk Street, Moe
Mornington	Brooklands of Mornington, 97-101 Tanti Ave, Mornington
Parkville	Lecture Theatre 5, 381 Royal Parade Parkville
Shepparton	Murray PHN, 100A High Street, Shepparton