

WORLDWISE GEOMED
‘Have Red Shoes, Will Travel’ Conference
 30th Anniversary WORLDWISE GEOMED Travellers Health, New Zealand
GREAT BARRIER ISLAND, AUCKLAND, NEW ZEALAND, 14-17 July, 2025
‘NOW AND INTO THE FUTURE’
‘Masterclasses in Applied Expedition Medicine’

Scientific Committee: Prof Marc Shaw, Prof Richard Franklin, A/Prof Charmaine Tate, Prof Sundeep Dhillon, Dr Sara Gordon
 Additional Speakers: Prof Eric Caumes

TUESDAY 15 JULY, 2025

0800 – 0830	REGISTRATION
0830 – 0845	OPENING SESSION – EXPEDITION AND WILDERNESS MEDICINE
0845 – 0915	The Nature and Environment of Expeditions and Wilderness Medicine – From Mountain to Sea. Travel – off the Beaten Track : History, Trends, Nature and Drivers of Adventure / Expedition Travel Mountain / Altitude Expeditions When things go wrong - Death on an Expedition
0915 – 0945	
0945 – 1015	
1015 – 1045	MORNING TEA
1045 – 1115	The role of health personnel on expeditions - lessons in resilience and leadership. The Role of Health Personnel on Expeditions The Psychology of Expeditions, Expeditioners and Expedition Medical Officers Leadership in Austere Environments
1115 – 1145	
1145 – 1215	
1215 – 1315	LUNCH
1315 – 1340	Health Threats to Expeditions. Vector Borne Disease Update Safety and Security Health Threats in Remote Locations Rabies – Always a Risk in Remote Locations
1340 – 1420	
1420 – 1500	
1500 – 1530	AFTERNOON TEA
1530 - 1645	Practical Expedition Preparation. BREAKOUT SESSIONS - Round Robin Austere Environment Essential Skills Health Provider Preparation Planning Expedition Medical Support
1645 - 1700	
1800 – 1900	
	Recap Session
	Evening Presentation - Expedition Extremes

WEDNESDAY, 16 JULY, 2025

0800 – 0815	Program and preparation for the day
0815 – 0845	Prepare the traveler for expeditions and wilderness environments. The Medical Preparation of the Expeditioner - Vaccine Preventable Disease Specialist Environment Considerations - Cold / High Marine Food Toxins
0845 – 0945	
0945 - 1015	
1030 – 1045	MORNING TEA
1045 – 1145	Practical Medical Skills in the Wilderness Environment. BREAKOUT SESSIONS - Round Robin Health Threats in Hot Environments Health Threats in Cold Environments
1145 - 1215	
	Emergency Management of the Injured Diver
1215 – 1315	LUNCH
1315 – 1700	Water Safety on Expeditions ‘Surface and Subsurface’ skills. Note - this is a water based practical session.

THURSDAY 17 JULY, 2025

0800 – 0815	Program and preparation for the day
0830– 1015	Practical Medical Skills in the Wilderness Environment. BREAKOUT SESSIONS - Round Robin Risk Assessment Expedition Medical Kits Packaging and Moving Patients
1015 – 1045	MORNING TEA
1045 – 1200	Practical Medical Skills in the Wilderness Environment. BREAKOUT SESSIONS - Round Robin Water Treatment Technology on Expeditions Navigation
1200 – 1245	LUNCH
1245 – 1345	Pacific Preparedness
1345 - 1545	Team Scenario’s – ‘Putting it into practice’
1545 - 1600	Close Conference

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 Dr AMY NEILSON, AUSTRALIA

SPECIALIST TRAVEL NURSE LISA SCOTLAND

SPECIALIST TRAVEL NURSE TONYA ANDERSON

FRIDAY 18TH JULY **Programme for Nurses, Pharmacists, Primary Care Physicians interested in Travellers' Health**

'NOW AND INTO THE FUTURE – NURSES KNOW TRAVEL MEDICINE' - LET THEM DELIVER IT!		
TIME	SPEAKER	PRESENTATION
<i>Projected Programme – Subject to change</i>		
08:45 – 09:00	WELCOME AND CONFERENCE GREETINGS Lisa and Tonya	
09:00 – 09:30	Lisa Scotland	Back to basics -Often forgotten
09:30 – 10:00	Tonya Anderson	International requirements for travel- Not just yellow fever
10:00 – 10:30	Eric Caumes	History of sexually transmitted diseases in Travel
10:30 – 11:00	MORNING BREAK	
11:00 – 11:30	Deb Mills	Rabies- Global risks and preventative measures for travellers
11:30 – 12:00	Andy Nelson	Arboviral infections in old and new endemic areas. <i>What to watch out for and how to manage it.</i>

12:00 – 12:30	Panel Lisa Scotland Tonya Anderson	PANEL DISCUSSION – WHAT NURSES NEED TO KNOW ... A Potpourri of topics could include <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Travelling children- preparing parents</i> • <i>Travel medicine in primary care</i> • <i>Nurses on Expeditions</i> • <i>Pregnant women travelling</i>
12:30 – 13:30	LUNCH	
13:30 – 14:00	The Safety and Security of Travel Marc Shaw	
14:00 – 14:30	Global Travelling – Experiencing the Post COVID World Annemarie Hern	
14:30 – 15:00	Practical tips when vaccinating Children and Needle Phobic Individuals Margaret Davidson	
15:00 – 15:30	New and upcoming vaccines and their applicability to travellers – <i>Recommended but not necessarily funded</i> Lisa Scotland	
15:30 – 15:45	AFTERNOON BREAK	
15:45 – 16:30	Humanitarian Aid – An Overview Amy Neilson	
16:30 – 17:00	General Discussion and Q and A	
17.00 – 19.00	<p>‘An Evening Snifter or Two: Sip happens, just wine your way through it.’</p> <p>REMINISCING THE DAY: ‘SIP SIP, HOORAY. ITS BEGINNING TO LOOK A LOT LIKE COCKTAILS!’</p> <p>Matt Walker and Max Lahaye: Winemakers</p> <p>‘An Introduction to New Zealand and French Wines’</p> <p><i>‘Wine is sunlight, held together by water’ attrib. Galileo Galilei</i></p> <p>Evening Presentation</p> <p>TALES FROM THE TEAM ROOM</p> <p>Dr Chris Milne, Sports Physician to the Stars</p>	

SATURDAY 19TH JULY

PLENARY: VACCINE ‘FUTURA’ VACCINE PREVENTABLE DISEASE THE IMPACT OF EPIDEMICS ON TRAVEL MEDICINE: Lessons Learned CHAIR:			
TIME	PRESENTATION		
8.00 – 8.45	“To Vaccinate or Not to Vaccinate” Dr John Byron President NZSTM		
9.00 – 9.30	Learning the lessons: Pandemics of Circumstance <i>Lessons from previous pandemics on international travel</i>		
9.30 – 10.00	In Extremis: Epidemics of the Environment <i>What is now different compared to pre-pandemic procedures, and how do we best adapt to this change?</i>		
10.00 - 10.30	Change in Travel - ‘Pan/Epidemics: in the nature of things’		
10.30 – 11.00 MORNING BREAK			
FUTURE PRESENT ‘LOOKING AHEAD: How will Clinical Travel Medicine Change’			PRACTICAL SESSION
11.00 – 11.30	Future Proofing AIR TRAVEL and ‘air rage’ <i>‘Lock ‘em, Load ‘em, get them there fast!’</i> Dr. Hardeep Hundal AIRNZ <i>Chief Medical Officer/Chapter Lead, People Safety & Aviation Medicine</i>	11.00 – 12:30	Applied Skills required for Humanitarian Aid and Expedition Medicine Burn Care
11.30 – 12.00	Skin, Sun and Sex! <i>Not always Safe!</i> Prof Eric Caumes		Minor Surgery and Wound Care

12.00 – 12.30	Post Exposure Prophylaxis for Dummies <i>'Yes, No, What for, When?'</i> Dr Deb Mills		
12.30 – 13.30		LUNCH	
NOW LOOKING INTO THE FUTURE <i>How will Clinical Travel Medicine Change?</i>			THE WORLD AT LARGE <i>'To Care for, or to Cast aside?'</i> <i>Humanitarianism in the 21st Century</i>
13.30 – 14.00	The Growing Scourge of ARBOVIRAL Disease <i>There's Got to be Some Good News</i> Dr Joan Ingram <i>Medical Advisor</i> <i>Immunisation Advisory Centre</i>	13.30 – 14.00	Who are the Humanitarians Amy Neilson
14.00 – 14.30	The Next Generation of Vaccine Delivery Ben Baker – virtual presentation <i>Project Manager at Vaxxas</i> <i>Brisbane</i>	14.00 – 14.30	NGOs are WEIRD <i>Western, Educated, Industrialized, Rich and Democratic</i>
14.30 – 15.00	Travel Health into the Future <i>'New Styles of Travel, medication, diagnostics, communication'</i>	14.30 – 15.00	IS IT NAIVE TO WANT TO HELP <i>'How best can I do this?'</i>
15.00 – 15.30	The Changing 'Face' of Global Disease <i>'Will AI and Virtual Travel impact on Travel? If so, What's the Point of Travel Medicine: Why Bother?'</i>	15.00 – 15.30	The Emergence of New Zealand 's NZMAT / PACMAT <i>'Who, what, where, why'</i>
15.30 – 16.00		AFTERNOON BREAK	
CONTEMPORARY TRAVEL HEALTH RISKS <i>The Safety and Security of Travellers</i>			HUMANITARIAN MEDICINE: CARING FOR CULTURES
16.00 – 16.30	Part 1: Mass Shootings, Riots, Nuclear bombs <i>'The impact on Travel and Travellers?'</i>	16.00 – 16.30	THE HORROR OF IT ALL

	<i>Greg Bolton</i>		
16.30– 17.00	Part 2: Ebola, Arboviral Infections, Yellow Fever	16.30– 17.00	THE IMPACT OF IT ALL
17.00 – 17.30	Part 3: Human Trafficking	17.00 – 17.30	THE MANAGEMENT OF IT ALL
17.30 – 19.30	A SHORT HISTORY OF CLIMBING MOUNT EVEREST Mike Allsop: Pilot and Adventurer Sundeep Dhillon: Doctor, Expeditioner, Adventure		

SUNDAY 20TH JULY

TIME	SPEAKER	PRESENTATION
WISE WORDS <i>VIGNETTES and POTPOURI OF TRAVEL MEDICINE AND HEALTH</i>		
9.00 – 10.30	Deb Mills Amy Neilson – 10 minutes WISE WORDS <i>Subjects may include</i> Misconceptions in Vaccinology Injury and Accidents and Motor Vehicles Sex and Drugs and Rock 'n roll - <i>do the 'small things' matter?</i>	
10.30 – 11.00	MORNING TEA	
'IT'S A NEW WORLD' – INTO THE FUTURE		
11.00 – 11.30	PERSONALISED RISK ASSESSMENT and Medico-legal aspects of travel medicine	

11.30 – 12.00	DARK TRAVEL AND SUICIDE IN TRAVELLERS
12.00 – 12.30	SUSTAINABLE TOURISM: CARING FOR CULTURES – The Responsibilities of the Travel Health Practitioner
12.30 – 13.00	‘GRAND FINALE’ - QUIZZ

