Elevating preventive health policies to tackle chronic disease: Australia's greatest health challenge

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PREVENTION BETTER THAN CURE: SPENDING TO SAVE AUSTRALIAN LIVES

WEDNESDAY. 14 JUNE 2017 • 9:30—11:30AM • THE MAIN COMMITTEE ROOM, AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENT HOUSE, CANBERRA

PROGRAM

Registration (tea and coffee) 9:00-9:30AM

9:30-9:35AM Welcome and introduction

> David Templeman, President PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA

@ PHAA

9:35-9:45AM Presentation of La Trobe University's report, *Preventive health:*

How much does Australia spend and is it enough?

Professor Alan Shiell

THE AUSTRALIAN PREVENTION PARTNERSHIP CENTRE AND LATROBE UNIVERSITY

@AlanShiell @latrobe

9:45-11:00AM Pitch: how would you spend \$100 million on preventive health?

Followed by a panel discussion facilitated by Paul Klarenaar,

Australian Health Promotion Association @AHPA_AU

Dr Alessandro Demaio, Medical Officer (Nutrition & NCDs)

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

@SandroDemaio @WHO @NCDFREE

Rohan Greenland, General Manager Advocacy

HEART FOUNDATION

@GreenlandRohan @HeartAust

Professor Rosemary Calder AM, Director

AUSTRALIAN HEALTH POLICY COLLABORATION

@AHPC_VU

11:00-11:25AM How do those in Canberra plan to prioritise preventive health?

The Hon Catherine King MP, Shadow Minister Health and Medicare

@CatherineKinaMP

Senator, Dr Richard Di Natale, Leader of the Australian Greens

@RichardDiNatale

Government representative (invited)

11:25-11:30AM Call to action

> Michael Thorn, Chief Executive FOUNDATION FOR ALCOHOL RESEARCH & EDUCATION

@MichaelTThorn @FAREAustralia

Prevention 1st is a campaign by the Foundation for Alcohol Research and Education (FARE), the Public Health Association of Australia (PHAA), Alzheimer's Australia, and the Consumers Health Forum of Australia, calling on all Australian governments and political parties to commit to a strong preventive health agenda to tackle Australia's greatest health challenge.

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PREVENTION 1ST WOULD LIKE TO THANK ITS SUPPORTERS:

The Public Health Advocacy Institute of WA (PHAIWA)

Telethon Kids

Bluearth

Cancer Council ACT

NCD Free

Inner North West Primary Care Partnership

Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health (SARRAH)

National Rural Health Alliance

Australian Dental Association

Social Determinants of Health Alliance

Victorian Alcohol & Drug Association

Network of alcohol and other drugs agencies

Australian Healthcare & Hospitals Association

NoFASD Australia

National Heart Foundation

Baker IDI

Australian Women's Health Network

Networking Health Victoria

The McCusker Centre for Action on Alcohol and Youth (MCAAY).

The Royal Australasian College of Physicians

Alcohol and Drug Foundation

Headwest Brain Injury Association of WA

Cancer Council Queensland

Australian Federation of AIDS Organisations

Exercise & Sports Science Australia (ESSA)

Add your organisation's voice to the efforts to advocate for evidence-based policies and programs which will benefit all Australians. By doing this you are sending a very clear message to our political representatives to prioritise public health prevention and reduce Australia's burden of chronic disease.

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