

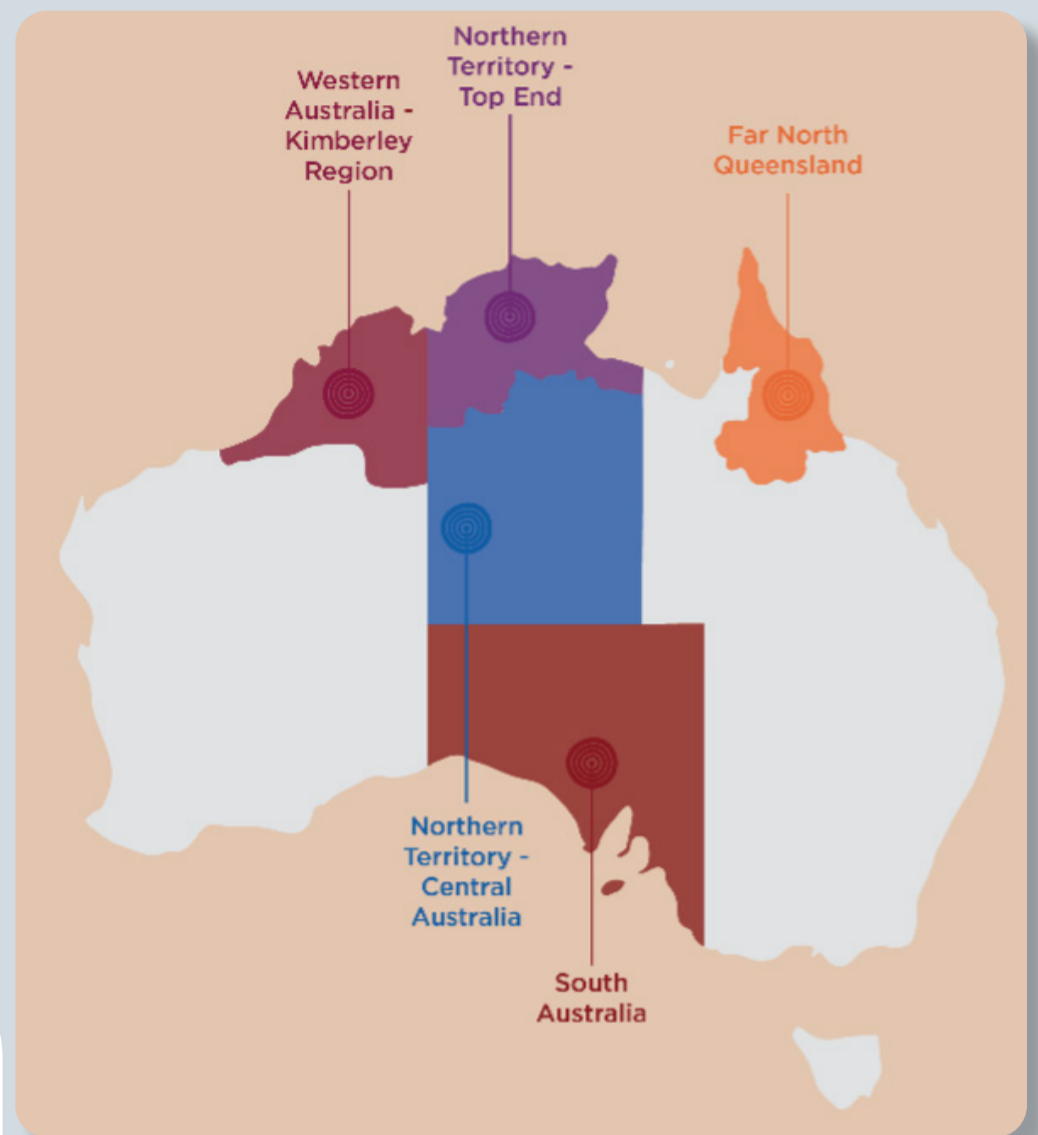
Program Symposium:

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Diabetes-related Foot Complications

Thursday 16 September 2021, 1-4pm ACST

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Diabetes-related Foot Complication Program aims to reduce diabetes-related foot complications and amputations for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in the Top End region of the Northern Territory, Central Australia, South Australia, the Kimberley region and Far North Queensland.

The South Australian Health and Medical Research Institute (SAHMRI) is partnering with experts in the 5 regions from the Aboriginal Community-Controlled Health Sector, government and non-government agencies, service providers, research institutions and national and regional peak bodies to implement a range of strategies to improve foot health. You are invited to hear about the implementation of this work from coordinators and staff in the regions.



Presentations include:

- **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Diabetes-related Foot Complications Program: background and overview**

Prof. Alex Brown, *Theme Leader, Aboriginal Health Equity, SAHMRI.*

- **The Top End Way to Expanding and Enhancing Diabetes Foot Care**

Ameina Brunner, *Top End Diabetes-related Foot Complications Program Coordinator, Aboriginal Medical Services Association Northern Territory (AMSANT)*

- **Arntarnte-areme ingke (Looking after foot) Program in Central Australia**

Laura Stuart, *Diabetes-related Foot Complications Service Development Officer (Central Australia), Central Australian Aboriginal Congress*

- **South Australia.... collaboration is the key**

Sarah Davey, *Diabetes Project Coordinator RN/CDE, Aboriginal Health Council of South Australia (AHCSA) and Kate Colmer, Senior Project Officer, Aboriginal Chronic Disease Consortium, SAHMRI*

- **Kimberley Foot Initiative**

Courtney Fairfull, *Kimberley Foot Initiative Project Coordinator, Kimberley Aboriginal Medical Services (KAMS) and Sarah Tomlinson, WACHS Senior Podiatrist, Kimberley Regional High Risk Foot Service*

- **Improving high risk foot outcomes in tropical North Queensland**

Bronwyn Davis, *Project Coordinator – FNQ Diabetes Foot Project, Cairns Diabetes Centre*

- **Reflections from the panel: Success, challenges and the future of diabetes foot care for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people**

Panel TBC, facilitated by Kim Morey, *Platform Lead, Health Systems and Research Translation, SAHMRI*