



# Evidence and Implementation Summit 2021

## 30–31 March

## FULL PROGRAM

USA (PDT)



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Online

4:00 – 4:30pm	<b>OPENING: Dr Robyn Mildon – Centre for Evidence and Implementation</b>			
4:30 – 5:30am	<b>Invited Speaker: Dr Rinad Beidas – University of Pennsylvania</b> Harnessing implementation science to realize the promise of evidence based practice in mental health care			
5:30 – 6:30pm	<b>DAY 1 – INVITED PANEL</b>			
6:30 – 7:00pm	<b>BREAK</b>			
7:00 – 8:00pm	<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</b>			
	<b>PANEL 1</b> <b>Scaling impact to millions: what does it take from an evidence and implementation lens?</b>  Dr Shagun Sabarwal, J-PAL  Shobhini Mukerji, J-PAL SA  Doris King, Co-impact  Yogita Verma, Breakthrough Trust	<b>PANEL 2</b> <b>The Politics of Evidence-Based Policy?</b>  Professor Michael Mintrom and Associate Professor Joshua Newman, Monash University  Professor Susan Harris Rimmer, Griffith University  Professor Helen Sullivan, The Australian National University	<b>PANEL 3</b> <b>Co-creating across Continents: An Australian-Canadian Collaboration to Improve Veteran Mental Health</b>  Associate Professor Andrea Phelps and Anne-Laure Couineau, Phoenix Australia Centre for Posttraumatic Mental Health  Dr Patrick Smith and MaryAnn Notarianni, Centre Of Excellence on PTSD and Related Mental Health Conditions	<b>DISCUSSION EVENT 1</b> <b>Synthesising and mobilising evidence (US/CANADA)</b>  <b>DISCUSSION EVENT 2</b> <b>Realising the potential: Implementation of evidence-informed healthcare Part 1 (US/CANADA)</b>

8:00 – 8.30pm

BREAK

8:30 – 9:30pm

## CONCURRENT SESSIONS

### PANEL 4

**Roadmap: successful program development and implementation in sport settings**

Erik Denison and Nadia Bevan, Monash University

Paul Kennedy, Sandringham Football Club/ABC Breakfast

Neil Hay, Rugby Victoria/ Melbourne Rebels

### PANEL 5

**Translating Evidence to Action: Lessons Learned from a Multi-Year WASH Partnership in the Philippines**

Dr Ruth Levine, Meghan Battle and Dr Haijing Crystal Huan, IDinsight

Dr Maria Corazon Dumlao, Health and Nutrition Center at Department of Education

Louise Maule and Jon Villasenor, UNICEF Philippines Country Office WASH

### PANEL 6

**Knowledge to Action: Increasing children’s participation in decision making through knowledge translation**

Dr Rachel Carson, Dr Nikola Balvin and Michele Hervatin, Australian Institute of Family Studies

Professor Emily Ozer, Berkeley Community and Health Sciences

Sharon Sparks, Brotherhood Of St Laurence

### DISCUSSION EVENT 3

**Scale up and Scalability (AUS/SING)**

### DISCUSSION EVENT 4

**Mental Health Evidence and Practice across contexts (AUS/SING)**

9:30 – 10:00pm

BREAK

10:00 – 11:00pm

## CONCURRENT SESSIONS

### PANEL 7

**Using Evidence Gap Maps and Syntheses to improve the Health and Wellbeing of Children**

Dr Nerida Joss and  
Dr Nikola Balvin,  
Australian Institute of  
Family Studies

Kerry Albright,  
UNICEF Office of  
Research–Innocenti

Ashrita Saran,  
Campbell South Asia

### PANEL 8

**Contextual relevancy: Educators' early insights into quality use of research in practice**

Dr Joanne Gleeson and  
Mark Rickinson, Monash  
University

Michael COENEN,  
Macleay Island State  
School

Maria Karvouni,  
Auburn High School

Matt Deeble,  
Evidence for Learning

### PANEL 9

**Using evidence as a driver of change: some examples of UNICEF innovation in implementation science, evidence synthesis and scaling up**

Dr Ramya Subrahmanian  
UNICEF Innocenti

Kerry Albright and  
Mr Shivit Bakrania,  
UNICEF Office Of  
Research–Innocenti

Dr Robert Scherpbier  
and Mr Renaud Comba,  
UNICEF

### DISCUSSION EVENT 5

**Working at the nexus of research and practice: real world implementation in social services (AUS/SING)**

### DISCUSSION EVENT 6

**From evidence to policy (AUS/SING)**

11:00 – 11:15pm

**BREAK**

11:15 – 12:15am

**Invited Speaker: Professor John Thwaites – Monash University**

Speaking truth to power – but are they listening?

<p>12:15 – 12:30am</p>	<p><b>WELCOME TO DAY 1 UK/EUROPE PROGRAM: Jane Lewis – Centre for Evidence and Implementation</b></p>								
<p>12:30 – 1:30am</p>	<p><b>Invited Speaker: Professor Ruth Stewart – University of Johannesburg</b> How policy, implementation, evidence, and politics come together to improve the future of millions of South Africans</p>								
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3:00 – 4:00am

## CONCURRENT SESSIONS

### PANEL 13

**Nurse–Family Partnership: an international case study for translation, adaptation, and transportability of evidence**

Lynne Reed,  
Public Health England

### PANEL 14

**Reflections on emerging thinking in evidence, implementation, policy and politics from the Multi–Donor Learning Partnership**

Chris Collison,  
Knowledgeable Ltd

Jessica Romo,  
The Wellcome Trust

Stacey Young,  
USAID

Kerry Albright,  
UNICEF Office Of  
Research–Innocenti

### PANEL 15

**Quality improvement for surgical teams (QIST) – A cluster RCT testing improvement at scale**

Dr Catriona McDaid  
University Of York

Professor Mike Reed and  
Mrs Annie Laverty  
Northumbria Healthcare  
NHS Foundation Trust

Ashley SCRIMSHIRE,  
Northumbria Healthcare  
NHS Foundation Trust  
University Of York

Alison Booth,  
University Of York

### DISCUSSION EVENT 9

**Tools and techniques for generating and synthesising evidence (UK/EU/AFRICA)**

### DISCUSSION EVENT 10

**Using evidence to drive policy effectiveness. (UK/EU/AFRICA)**

4:00 – 6:00am

BREAK

# TUESDAY – 30th March 2021

USA (PDT)

Program subject to change.

6:00 – 7:00am	<b>Invited Panel: Professor Annette Boaz, Professor Becky Francis, Chris Webber</b> Evidence and Policy
7:00 – 7:15am	BREAK
7:15 – 8:15am	<b>Invited Speaker: Professor Mary Dixon-Woods – THIS Institute</b> Future directions to improve healthcare systems
8:15 – 3.45pm	BREAK
3:45 – 4:00pm	<b>WELCOME DAY 2: Dr Robyn Mildon – Centre for Evidence and Implementation</b>
4:00 – 5:00pm	<b>Invited Speaker: Dr Jenny Donovan – National Evidence Institute</b> Evidence for Change
5:00 – 6:00pm	<b>Invited Speaker: Dr Ruth Levine – IDinsight</b> The Promise and Pitfalls of Co-creation
6:00 – 6.30pm	BREAK

6:30 – 7:30pm

## CONCURRENT SESSIONS

### PANEL 16

**Facilitating the development of Quality and Fidelity Monitoring Processes (QFMP) with implementing organisations**

Dr Sara van Driel and  
Ms Courtney Towne,  
Triple P America

Jacque Brown,  
Triple P International

### PANEL 17

**Evaluating systems-level changes in social housing: Future Directions in NSW**

Dr Jessica Hateley-Browne  
and Dr Vanessa Rose,  
Centre For Evidence and  
Implementation

Lena Etuk,  
Cultural & Indigenous  
Research Centre Australia  
(circa)

Dr Jessica Stewart,  
FACS Insights, Analysis and  
Research Department Of  
Communities and Justice

Professor Guyonne Kalb  
Melbourne Institute:  
Applied Economic & Social  
Research

### PANEL 18

**Uplifting a Minority Community: Experiences in Implementing Evaluation in a Self-help Agency for Greater Impact**

Muhammad Faisal Bin  
Aman,  
Mohamad Hazri Munawar  
and  
Muhammad Hazique  
Salahudin,  
Yayasan Mendaki  
Singapore

### DISCUSSION EVENT 11

**Selecting, adapting and tailoring evidence for high-quality implementation (US/CANADA)**

### DISCUSSION EVENT 12

**Physical activity & nutrition: stronger evidence and better implementation (AUS/ASIA/US/CANADA)**

7:30 – 8:30pm

BREAK



8:30 – 9:30pm

## CONCURRENT SESSIONS

### PANEL 19

**Improving the “science” in evaluation of implementation science strategies**

Dr Lauren Robins,  
Dr Katrina Long and  
Professor Terry Haines,  
Monash University

Dr Mitchell Sarkies,  
Macquarie University

### PANEL 20

**Does implementation science have an implementation problem?**

Dr Stephanie Best,  
Dr Karen Hutchinson,  
Dr Andrea Smith,  
Professor Peter Hibbert,  
Tayhla Ryder and  
Hossai Gul,  
Australian Institute of  
Health Innovation,  
Macquarie University

### PANEL 21

**Partnering to build Implementation and De-implementation capability in the Northern Territory**

Sarnie Foley-Albutu,  
Aderlyn Chatterton and  
John Cleary,  
Northern Territory  
Department of Education

Matthew Deeble,  
Evidence For Learning

### DISCUSSION EVENT 13

**Building the evidence for better health and ageing well (AUS/SING)**

### DISCUSSION EVENT 14

**Implementation and improvement in early childhood and education settings (AUS/SING)**

9:30 – 10:00pm

BREAK

10:00 – 11:00pm

## CONCURRENT SESSIONS

### PANEL 22

**What to recommend:  
Combining  
implementation and  
effectiveness research  
in real-world child  
welfare evaluations**

Dr Jessica Roberts and  
Professor Aron Shlonsky,  
Monash University

Dr Vanessa Rose and  
Mr Dave Taylor,  
Centre for Evidence and  
Implementation

Dr Alex Gyani,  
(apac)Bit

Dr Tony McGinn,  
Ulster University

### PANEL 23

**Child and Family Hubs:  
how context at multiple  
levels influences  
development and  
implementation**

Glenn Pringle,  
Innovation & Community  
Care  
IPC Health

Dr Tess Hall and  
Ken Knight,  
Murdoch Children's  
Research Institute

Alison Boylan,  
Department of Health and  
Human Services

### PANEL 24

**Using neuroscience to  
change human  
development systems**

Lori Rubenstein,  
Penny Dakin and  
Michael Hogan,  
ARACY

Nancy Mannix,  
The FoundationPalix  
Foundation

### DISCUSSION EVENT 15

**Building capacity for  
understanding and  
utilising evidence in  
health settings  
(AUS/SING)**

### DISCUSSION EVENT 16

**Realising the potential:  
Implementation of  
Evidence-informed  
healthcare Part 2  
(AUS/ASIA)**

11:00 – 11:30pm

**BREAK**

11:30 – 12:30am

**Invited Speaker: David Cowan – Australia and New Zealand Society of Evidence Based Policing**  
Evidence Based Policing – A force for change

# WEDNESDAY – 31st March 2021

USA (PDT)

Program subject to change.

12:30 – 1:30am	Day 2 – Invited Panel
1:30 – 2:00am	<b>WELCOME DAY 2 UK/EUROPE PROGRAM: Dr Jane Lewis – Centre for Evidence and Implementation</b>
2:00 – 3:00am	<b>Invited Speaker: Professor Sue Dopson – Saïd Business School, University of Oxford</b> Leadership for transformational change
3:00 – 7:00am	<b>BREAK</b>
7:00 – 7:45am	<b>Invited Speaker: Professor Bruce Chorpita – University of California</b>
7:45 – 8:45am	<b>Invited Panel: Professor Bryce McLeod, De Aleisha Clark, Dr Patty Leijten and Jane Lewis</b> Common elements in practice
8:45 – 9:45am	<b>CLOSING: Jane Lewis – Centre for Evidence and Implementation</b>