

Twins Research Australia in collaboration with AMBA and ICOMBO present

National agenda-setting workshop: Driving better health outcomes for multiple-birth families



Free event

Refreshments and lunch provided



Date: Thursday 5th December 2019

Time: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm (EST)

Venue: School of Population and Global Health,
The University of Melbourne, Seminar Room 515, Level 5,
207 Bouverie St, Carlton (see venue details and map here)

Relevant to: Health professionals, researchers, educators,
government agencies, NFP and community organisations

| Time | Program |
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| 9.00am | Background on how the paper, Multiple Perspectives, came about and why |
| 9.20am | <p>Presentation on four core themes including discussions on the challenges and potential solutions to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Develop educational resources for allied health professionals specific for the needs of multiple-birth families 2. Support further research experienced by multiple-birth families on the financial disadvantage experienced by multiple birth families to lobby government support 3. Advocate for further research to more precisely understand the unique mental health concerns of MBF 4. Advocate for further research to reduce pregnancy and birth complications |
| 10.30am | Morning tea |
| 10.45am | Expert guest presenters relevant to core themes |
| 11.30am | Breakout into four working groups to develop an action list of next steps and how to take these forward |
| 12.30pm | Lunch |
| 1.15pm | Each theme group presents back to whole group |
| 2.30pm | Discuss potential funding opportunities |
| 3.00pm | Afternoon tea |
| 3.14pm | Mapping out actions for the next 12 months |
| 4.00pm | Other business |