

SYDNEY ADVENTIST HOSPITAL



**OPHTHALMOLOGY  
CONFERENCE**  
FOR GP'S AND OPTOMETRISTS

**Wednesday 9 November 2011**

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## PROGRAM



DATE	<b>Wednesday 9 November 2011</b>
TIME	<b>6.15pm</b> Registration and light supper <b>7pm – 9pm</b> Conference
VENUE	<b>Level 2 Conference Room</b> <b>Sydney Adventist Hospital</b> 185 Fox Valley Road Wahroonga
COST	Free for GPs and Optometrists
PARKING	Free parking – ticket will be validated on the night
TOPICS	<b>OCULAR SURFACE LESIONS</b> Dr Nikhil Kumar  <b>COMMON ANTERIOR SEGMENT EYE CONDITIONS, THEIR DIAGNOSIS, MANAGEMENT AND WHEN TO REFER</b> Dr John Males  <b>LASER ASSISTED CATARACT SURGERY</b> A/Professor Geoffrey Painter  <b>GLAUCOMA IN OUR COMMUNITY</b> Dr Raymond Ryan
GP CONVENOR	Dr Claude Ferraris
CPD COORDINATOR	Dr Suhan Baskar
RSVP	<b>Monday 7 November 2011</b>

TOTAL RACGP QI & CPD POINTS: 4 (CATEGORY 2)

OAA CPD POINTS HAVE BEEN APPLIED FOR

DINNER INCLUDED – BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

## OCULAR SURFACE LESIONS

**Dr Nikhil Kumar** BMed, MPH, FRANZCO

**Description:** You will learn about the management paradigms for pterygium, pingueculum, and ocular surface neoplasia.

**Dr Kumar** graduated in Medicine from the University of Newcastle and completed a Masters in Public Health from the University of New South Wales. He completed his Ophthalmology fellowship training at the Sydney Eye Hospital and pursued further fellowship training in Cornea and Refractive Surgery at the University of Toronto, Canada.

Dr Kumar is a clinical senior lecturer at the Australian School of Advanced Medicine, Macquarie University and at Sydney University. He has published numerous scientific peer review papers involving cornea and refractive surgery and actively conducts, reviews and supervises further research.

Dr Kumar specialises in cataract, refractive and cornea surgery. He consults at San Day Surgery Hornsby.

## COMMON ANTERIOR SEGMENT EYE CONDITIONS, THEIR DIAGNOSIS, MANAGEMENT AND WHEN TO REFER

**Dr John Males** MBBS(Hons), BSC(Med)(Hons), MMED(Clin Epi), FRANZCO

**Description:** You will learn about common conditions affecting the "front of the eye", diagnosis of common conditions, initial treatment and when to refer to a specialist.

**Dr Males** studied medicine and underwent his ophthalmic training at Sydney Eye Hospital where he was also professorial senior registrar, as well as being in charge of registrar teaching. He then undertook further training in the UK for corneal, cataract and refractive surgery and completed his masters degree in epidemiology.

Dr Males specialises in cornea, cataract and refractive surgery. He consults at Dalcross Adventist Hospital, Sydney Eye Hospital and is a clinical senior lecturer at the Sydney University.

Dr Males performs all forms of laser vision correction surgery.

## LASER ASSISTED CATARACT SURGERY

**A/Professor Geoffrey Painter** MB BS, FRANZCO, FRACS

**Description:** You will learn the latest on Femtosecond Laser technology being used to enhance the results of cataract surgery.

**A/Professor Painter** is in private practice at Gordon Eye Surgery, Gordon. After finishing his Ophthalmology training at Sydney Eye Hospital, he completed a Fellowship in cataract and glaucoma surgery at Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge.

He is currently head of Ophthalmology at the Sydney Adventist Hospital Clinical School of the University of Sydney, head of section at Dalcross Adventist Hospital and a VMO at Royal North Shore Hospital.

A/Prof. Painter's clinical interests include cataract and anterior segment surgery and glaucoma while clinical research interests are focused on future developments in cataract surgery including Laser Assisted Cataract Surgery.

## GLAUCOMA IN OUR COMMUNITY

**Dr Raymond Ryan** LRCRI, LRCSI, FCS Oph SA, FRC.Ophth.FRANZCO

**Description:** You will learn about the early stages and signs of glaucoma, the vascular risks factors in glaucoma and the consequences of longstanding glaucoma.

**Dr Ryan** is a Refractive Surgeon, performing Cataract and Laser Surgery to re-establish the vision to normal without the use of glasses.

He also treats general Ophthalmology and Glaucoma.

Dr Ryan was the Senior Surgeon at St John's Eye Hospital until he went into private practice in Hornsby and Sydney's northern suburbs. He consults at San Day Surgery Hornsby and Sydney Adventist Hospital.

INSTANT RSVP – PLEASE RSVP BY MONDAY 7 NOVEMBER 2011

To register you can:

- Phone 9487 9871
- Email [comrel@sah.org.au](mailto:comrel@sah.org.au)
- Complete this form and Fax to 9487 9875

**Numbers are strictly limited, so your early registration is important.**

**YES!** I would like to attend the Ophthalmology GP Conference  
for General Practitioners and Dinner

**YES!** I will just be attending the Conference. (Conference will  
start promptly at 7pm).

Name .....

Address .....

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Phone ..... Fax .....

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FREE PARKING – TICKET WILL BE VALIDATED ON THE NIGHT



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