

## Living with COVID: A Primary Care Update on Management and Treatment

EDUCATION SESSION

As the number of COVID-19 infections in the Hunter, New England and Central Coast communities remains high, there are a range of issues for primary care to be aware of in the ongoing provision of effective healthcare for patients. This webinar will discuss important considerations for general practices, and updated information relevant to the provision of community based COVID care.

Amongst other current areas of concern the session will include the following:

- How to avoid practice shutdown/ Practice procedures and PPE
- Changes to Medicare item numbers / booster interval/ vaccines for children
- Maternity pathway
- Who needs a pulse oximeter? (GP care patients)
- New oral antiviral treatments

There will also be an opportunity for a Question & Answer session.

SPEAKERS: Dr Mark Loewenthal (Director, Immunology & Infectious Diseases, HNELHD),

Dr Joanne Wood (General Practitioner with HNE COVID Care in the Home),

Dr Michelle Redford (General Practitioner, Blackbutt Doctors), **Dr Karen Douglas** (General Practitioner, Terrigal Medical Centre), Kimberley Booth (Manager, COVID Response, HNECC PHN)

WHO: General Practitioners, Nurses, Aboriginal Health Providers, Allied Health

Professionals, Pharmacists, Aged Care Workers

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2022, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm WHEN:

WHERE: Online via GoToWebinar

**RSVP**: Please click here to register

NOTE: Webinar recording will be available to view @ https://thephn.com.au/education-resources

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