

DAY 1 – 21 April	
7:00 AM	PŌWHIRI - WELCOME CEREMONY <i>(Pou Kapua)</i>
9:00 AM	MORNING TEA <i>(Sir Noel Robinson Conference Centre)</i>
9:30 AM	OPENING ADDRESS <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i>
10:00 AM	PLENARY 1: BUILDING RELATION(SHIP)S <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i>
	Introduction
10:10 AM	Professor Jacquie Kidd
10:40 AM	Professor Sir Collin Tukuitonga
11:10 AM	Partnerships Panel
	Dr Rodney Haring (US), Professor Tom Calma (AUS), Talia Pfefferte & Lea Bill (CAN), Te Miri Rangi & Anna-Marie Ruhe (NZ)
11:50 AM	Q&A
12:00 PM	LUNCH <i>(Sir Noel Robinson Conference Centre)</i>
1:00 PM	WĀNANGA KŌRERO 1: Kōrero o te hau kainga with Mana Whenua (Traditional Custodians) 1:00 – 2:00pm <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i> CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1 1:00 – 2:30PM <i>(see location below)</i>



Four Winds Theatre: Room 1
1.1 MANA TANGATA - WHĀNAU VOICE

Cheryl Davies	Ngā Kōrero Pono: Honouring Whānau Cancer Journeys Through Digital Storytelling
Elizabeth Wikes & Aunty Averil Williams	Understanding the needs of Aboriginal communities in childhood cancer research
Gail Garvey	Navigating Blood Cancer Care: Perspectives of an Aboriginal Health Worker and Patient
Vonda Nepia	Survivorship - Restoration of Mana and Tapu - 5 years on...
Sasha Webb	Making space for patient and whānau voice in Cancer Control
Nasya Thompson	Exploring the holistic impact of cancer – a pilot study

Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 2
1.2 RANGATAHI – AYA

Chase Kornacki	A Toolkit to Establish Indigenous Youth Advisory Groups for Community Health Initiatives
Ellyn Proffitt	Te Mana o Te Awa: The Power of The River - Supporting Rangatahi (young people) to Understand the Holistic Complexities of Cancer through Metaphorical Narrative
Jasmine Micklem	Creating Safe Spaces: Collaborative Service Design with Young Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander People Impacted by Cancer
Tameeka Ileremia	Integrating Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Knowledge into AYA Cancer Support Services: A Culturally Responsive Framework.
Tameeka Ileremia	Empowering Indigenous Youth Voices: YARN's Role in Advancing Cultural Excellence and Reconciliation at Canteen
Louise Sue	Ka Whai Awa, Ka Whai Ara - End of Life Resources for Rangatahi across Aotearoa

Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 3
1.3 ACCESS TO SERVICES

Cherie Rissetto	Challenges and opportunities: Whānau Māori Cancer Care Journeys
Sewunet Belachew	Lung Cancer Screening Participation Among Indigenous Peoples Worldwide: A Systematic Review of Challenges and Opportunities
Kate Parker	The importance of whānau engagement in the support of attendance of lung cancer screening
Stella Boyd-Ford	The Miyil-Janay Yundu Project: Community led approaches to increase cancer screening participation in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Communities in Queensland, Australia
Katina Pollard	Essential Medical Travel Assistance Program (EMTAP)
Chassity Begay	Assessing Cancer Care Services and Burden Across Arizona Native Nations in the United States: A Community-Specific Approach

Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 4
1.4 MĀTAURANGA IN RESEARCH

Moahuia Goza	Ko te tinana he pā, ko te puku he hapū, ka ora ka mate - a Mātauranga Māori concept of cancer
Brad Devery	Mā te kimi ka kite, mā te kite mōhio, mā te mōhio ka mārāma, mā te mārāma ka matau, mā te matau ka ora
Roimata Tipene	Māori and Pacific Women’s Views on Endometrial Cancer Microbiome Research
Danielle Sword	Improving CART-cell cancer therapy for Māori in Aotearoa New Zealand
Te Kīpa Kēpa Brian Morgan	The Relevance of Our Pepeha and Whakataukī to Cancer Treatments, Ecosystems of Origin, and Mokopuna Decisions
Joy Panoho	Māori and Pacific navigation of the bio sampling divide

Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 5
1.5 INDIGENOUS LEADERS & PROVIDERS

Teara Gillman	Āwhinatia Te Tangata - An Indigenous approach to cancer care
Teara Gillman	Ngāti Whātua Ōrākei’s Hauora Ecosystem – An Indigenous innovation for Generational wellbeing
Chae Simpson	“Taakiri Tuu: Indigenous Leadership Transforming the Cancer Journey”
Jalisa Ingram	Navigating the Cancer Continuum within the Alaska Tribal Health System
Eva Morunga	Reindigenising Cancer Care: A Kaupapa Māori Approach within a Crown Health service
Dawn Casey	Indigenous Leadership in Cancer Control: Strengthening Community-Controlled Health Systems in Australia

Panasonic Room Level 2: Room 6
1.6 EPIDEMIOLOGY I

Aime Powell	25 Years of Ovarian Cancer Survival Outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Women: A National Analysis
Tsegaw Amare Baykeda	Global Burden of Early-Onset Bowel Cancer among Indigenous populations: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis
Halijah Brewster	Breast Cancer Incidence, Mortality, and Survival among Indigenous Women Worldwide: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis.
Jimmy Lopez	Prostate and testicular cancer among Indigenous men globally: A systematic review and meta-analysis of incidence, mortality, and survival
Adanma Ayanambakkam	Disparities in Prostate Cancer Among Native American Men: The Stephenson Cancer Center Experience and SEER Comparison.
Garima Saini	Post-diagnosis Breast Cancer Screening among First Nations Women in Ontario: A Population-Base Cohort Study

2:30 PM	AFTERNOON TEA <i>(Sir Noel Robinson Conference Centre)</i>		
3:00 PM	PLENARY 2: PŪKAHUKAHU - LUNG CANCER <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i>		
	Introduction		
3:05 PM	Professor Jason Gurney		
3:25 PM	Professor Sue Crengle		
3:45 PM	Associate Professor Lisa Whop		
4:00 PM	Associate Professor Raglan Maddox		
4:15 PM	Q&A		
4:30 PM	WĀNANGA KŌRERO 2: We’re all in this together with Jerome Yellowdirt 4:30 – 5:30PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i> WĀNANGA KŌRERO: Open Forum 5:30 – 6:00PM CONCURRENT SESSIONS 2 4:30 – 6:00 PM <i>(see location below)</i>		

Four Winds Theatre: Room 1 2.1 MANA HAUORA - TOBACCO CONTROL		Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 2 2.2 EXPERIENCES WITH TREATMENT		Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 3 2.3 SCREENING FOR GI CANCERS		Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 4 2.4 MĀTAURANGA OF NAVIGATORS		Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 5 2.5 EDUCATION AND AWARENESS		Panasonic Room Level 2: Room 6 2.6 EPIDEMIOLOGY II	
Melinda Bowden & Kirsty Turner Kate Parker Kayden Roberts-Baker Wyatt Pickner Lani Teddy Tanika Ridgeway	Community Leaders in Tackling Tobacco	Olivia Perelini Madison Uhrin Stella Williams-Terei Anupa Karunajeewa Peter Brett Anna Tizard	Pacific Peoples' Experiences of Cancer and Its Treatment in Aotearoa New Zealand Through Talanoa: A Qualitative Study of Samoan and Tongan Participants	Aifai Taupule & Coralie Takuira Virginia Signal Dornell Pete Rakhee Raghunandan Dr. Jeffery Irvine Kevin Linn	Laying the groundwork: Partnering with Māori and Pacific Providers in Helicobacter Pylori testing	Nikki Hunter Chantal Wahteeshkin Katina Pollard Dee Wilkins Marissa Mulcahy Marissa Mulcahy	Transforming Cancer Care through Clinical Nurse Specialist Leadership in Indigenous Cultural Safety	Holly Prince Melinda Smith Pania Coote Hayley Arnet, Charlie Poihipi Sandra Skipwith Tressa Diaz & Munirih Ta'afaki	Developing Accessible and Culturally Safe-r Palliative Care Education for Indigenous Communities	Eden Slicer Joel Begay David Schaaf, Florence Leota Atiya Rehman Justine Clark	The impact of brain cancer on First Nations peoples worldwide
	Evaluating Primary Care Smoking History for Māori Patients: Implications for a Future Lung Cancer Screening Programme		Characterizing Gastric Cancer Cases and Time-to-First-Treatment Among American Indian Alaska Native and White Patients in North Carolina		H. pylori screen-and-treat case management to prevent stomach cancer in Aotearoa		Walking with My People: Indigenous Nurse Navigation as a Pathway to Culturally Responsive and Community-Grounded Cancer Care		Integrating Cancer Awareness into Diabetes Education: A Community-Driven Pilot with the Hopi Tribe		Expanding geographic cohort definitions to increase representativeness and precision of cancer care quality estimates among American Indian and Alaska Native cancer survivors in North Carolina
	Effectiveness and implementation of Quit Pack an Indigenous-led mailed smoking and vaping cessation intervention for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people		Optimising Immunotherapy for Māori with Advanced NSCLC		Innovative Research Strategies in North America to Address Helicobacter pylori-associated Stomach Cancer in Tribal Communities		Ahenakew: î wîci pimohtîhoya; Walking alongside you: Regional Health Coordinators Transforming Navigation Care for Métis people in British Columbia		Kia Ora – E te Iwi – A Kaupapa Māori Cancer Education and Support Programme		The Burden of Cancer on Pacific Peoples in New Zealand
	Creation of a Culturally Aligned Smoking Cessation for American Indian/Alaska Native People		The Use of Systemic Anticancer therapy (SACT) In the Last 30 days of Life In Lung Cancer patients at Te Whatu Ora Lakes		Listening to Community Voices: Bowel Cancer Screening Preferences of First Nations Australians		Nāku te rourou, nāu te rourou: Bridging the gap in cancer care		Kia ora – E te iwi Maniapoto: Building capability through a Kaupapa Māori cancer education and support programme		Lung Cancer Trends Among Métis and Non-Indigenous Adults in Canada, 2006-2015 – Incidence, Survival, Mortality and Stage at Diagnosis: Follow-up of the 2006 Canadian Census Health and Environment Cohort (CanCHEC)
	Ending tobacco related cancers is possible: Reflections on the Tupeka Kore journey		Immunotherapy treatment improves outcome for patients with betel nut-induced oral cancer		SymptomSense: Co-Creating Culturally Rooted Pathways for Early Upper GI Cancer Diagnosis in Northern Saskatchewan		First Nations Cancer Coordinator: Translating an implementation toolkit into practice		Bella, the inflatable walk through bowel		Multiple myeloma treatment-specific outcomes among Aboriginal participants in the Myeloma and Related Paraproteinaemia database
	Developing an Indigenous-led group-based smoking and vaping cessation program for Indigenous women during pregnancy and beyond- Integrating Indigenous knowledges and behaviour change techniques		Holistic Transplant Preparedness: A Psychosocial Assessment Framework		Family History and Colorectal Cancer Screening in Canada: Rethinking Guidelines and Risk Stratification for First Nations		Strategic Development in Aboriginal Cancer Coordination: Improving Cancer Outcomes for the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community in Victoria		Understanding Indigenous Pacific Islander Awareness and Willingness to Participate in Cancer Clinical Trials in Hawai’i and Guam		

DAY 2 - 22 April	
7:15 AM	EARLY MORNING BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM 1 - Ticketed Event - Light breakfast provided <i>(Four Winds Theatre TBC)</i> <i>He aha te kai a te rangatira? He kōrero - What is the nourishment of chiefs? It is knowledge</i>
8:45 AM	PLENARY 3: RONGOĀ AND CANCER <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i>
	Introduction
8:50 AM	Professor Jonathan Koea, Donna Kerridge, and Te Matahourua Study Participant
9:20 AM	Traditional Healing Panel
9:50 AM	Dr Maile Tauali'i
10:10 AM	Q&A
10:30 AM	MORNING TEA <i>(Sir Noel Robinson Conference Centre)</i>
11:00 AM	WĀNANGA KŌRERO 3: TBD 11:00 – 12:00PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i> WĀNANGA KŌRERO: Open Forum 12:00 – 12:30PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i> CONCURRENT SESSIONS 3 11:00 – 12:30PM <i>(see location below)</i>

Four Winds Theatre: Room 1
3.1 MANA MĀTAURANGA – RONGOĀ

Moahuia Goza, Donna Kerridge, Naida Glavish, Hayley Arnet	Rongoā me te puku. Rongoā and cancer - co-creating rangahau pātai and priorities.
Mahayla Kanivatoa	Taupiri Maunga: Our Unique Approach to Patient and Whānau Engagement
Bernie Te Moni-Withington	Oncology massage indigenous practitioner
Amanda Gawith	Waiora Waikato Hospital Kaitiaki Cultural Frontline Services
Monica Koia	Incorporating Rongoā Māori (Māori healing) in Cancer Care in MidCentral Aotearoa, New Zealand
Donna Kerridge	Mauri Ora: An Indigenous approach to wellbeing and healing the healers

Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 2
3.2 EXPERIENCES OF THE SYSTEM

Fofoa Pio-Bentley	Exploring the experiences of racism and discrimination for Samoan cancer patients and aiga (families) going through cancer care pathways. An Indigenous Patient Navigator feasibility study to support the psychosocial needs of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cancer patients Rooted in Tradition, Designed for Today: An Indigenous Approach to Psychosocial Distress Screening in Oncology Tūtakarerewa – Indigenous Advocacy and Structural Racism in Bowel Cancer Screening in Aotearoa New Zealand Understanding Cancer Screening Experiences of Métis People in Alberta From clinic to country: Connecting and reflecting for cultural safety
Helena Romaniuk	
Sheila Hammer	
Rawiri Jansen	
Reagan Bartel & June Kima	
Lisa Whop & Chris Milross	

Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 3
3.3 PREVENTION & SCREENING FOR WAHINE (WOMEN)

Krystal Charley-Celestino	Native Shine EmpowHERment in Circle: Native American Women's Conversations on HPV, Healing, and Awareness Expanding the SISTAQUIT Approach for Culturally Appropriate Cancer Prevention and Smoking Cessation among Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Women ‘Our Business’: Developing and implementing a digital social media campaign to improve HPV vaccination rates for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young people The leaflet said I can go even if I am not registered -so I went: Access to cervical screening for women not enrolled in primary care. He Vaka Moana, He Waka Tipua: Honouring the Strength and Wisdom of Māori and Pacific Women’s Gynaecological Health Journeys in Aotearoa Aboriginal Cancer Care in Two Worlds
Kym Yuke	
Natalie Strobel	
Tania Slater	
Daysha Tonumaipe'a	
Kalinda Wills	

Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 4
3.4 MĀTAURANGA-GUIDED SERVICES

Nadine Riwai & Chae Simpson	Te Hā o Hineahuone and Mana-Enhancing Pathways: Māori PhD Research Driving Equity in Cancer Care and Screening
Andrea Casey, Jay Hamann	Bridging Cultures: Learning from and Sharing Indigenous Health Practices between Australia and Canada
Michelle Mako	Exploring tikanga Māori approaches to improving wāhine Māori cancer screening experiences
Saffron-Moana Mitchell	Te Hononga o Te Manawa Taki Integrated Cancer Coordination - Māori, Pasifika and Community
Erana Ratray	Embedding indigenous values into national cancer control
Katina Pollard	Hope & Healing: Métis Experiences with Cancer

Sir Noel Robinson CC: Room 5
3.5 WHĀNAU VOICES IN CLINICAL RESEARCH

Te Waka Whakatere Hauora	Te Waka Whakatere Hauora - from Inception to Lung Cancer Governance
Kate Parker	Te Ha Kotahi: embedding consumer voices within Te Oranga Pūkahunahu (the lung cancer screening research programme)
Katie Meehan	The Story of Setting Up an ‘Aboriginal Advisory Group Against Cancer’ in Western Australia
Chantal Wahteeshkin	Building a Métis-Specific Pathway for Clinical Trials Navigation in Canada
Monica Green	Co-design of clinical trial resources with Aboriginal people in regional Australia: the experience of Lotjpa Yapaneyepuk (Talk together) about cancer trials
Monica Green	Knowledge and understanding of cancer clinical trials amongst Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in regional Victoria, Australia: the Lotjpa Yapaneyepuk (Talk together) about cancer trials project.

Panasonic Room Level 2: Room 6
3.6 GENOMICS-GUIDED PRECISION MEDICINE

Krystal Tsosie	Indigenous Representation in Genomic Databases and Implications for Genetic Counseling: ACMG Cancer-Related Secondary Findings
Dr Katie Meehan, A/Prof Andrew Redfern	Breast Cancer Pharmacogenomics in Western Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Women: Ancestry Matters
Jordon Lima	Māu Tēnā Kiwai o te Kete, Māku Tēnei: Designing Cancer Detection Technologies for Te Tairāwhiti, Aotearoa.
Helena Abolins-Thompson	Tikanga-guided genomic approaches to personalised breast and ovarian cancer treatment for wāhine Māori
Cris Print	Rakeiora - prototyping a nationally-scalable genomics platform with hard-wired tikanga principles
Kimiora Henare	E koekoe te tūi, e ketekete te kākā, e kūkū te kererū: A Molecular Tumour Board in Aotearoa

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1:00 PM	POSTER SESSION 1 1:00 – 2:00PM <i>(Lion Foundation Foyer)</i>
	WĀNANGA KŌRERO 4: Providers and Navigators 1:00 – 2:00PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i>
2:00 PM	PLENARY 4: WHENUA AS RONGOĀ <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i>
	Introduction
2:05 PM	Dr Nicole Redvers
2:35 PM	Associate Professor Rhys Jones
3:00 PM	Te Rangikaheke Kiripatea (Kai Rotorua)
3:15 PM	Q&A
3:30 PM	AFTERNOON TEA <i>(Sir Noel Robinson Conference Centre)</i>
4:00 PM	WĀNANGA KŌRERO 5: TBD 4:00 – 5:00PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i> WĀNANGA KŌRERO: Open Forum 5:00 – 5:30PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i> CONCURRENT SESSIONS 4 4:00 – 5:30PM <i>(see location below)</i>

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4.1 MANA KOTAHITANGA - CO-CREATION		4.2 VOICES SHAPING SCREENING		4.3 NUTRITION AND EXERCISE		4.4 MĀTAURANGA: DATA AS TAONGA		4.5 WHĀNAU-CENTERED AND COMMUNITY-LED		4.6 CULTURAL SAFETY & WORKFORCE	
Gail Garvey	Visual Storytelling: Bridging Science and Culture Through Collaborative Design	Louise Mitchell	Awareness, experiences and preference for HPV self-collection among Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women and people with a cervix	Amber Logan	The tui shapes its song with silence: Whānau cancer pathways and the importance of the spaces between the steps.	Teah Carlson	Sacred Mandate: Te Whare Tangata and Māori Women’s Cervical Screening Data under the National Kaitiaki Regulatory Group	Kristy Meiselbach	Supporting Aboriginal Community Controlled Organisations to Strengthen Cervical Screening: Service-Led Priorities and Tailored Implementation Plans	Kelly Trugden, Craig Underhill	Strengthening cancer service delivery through community-focussed partnerships
	Te Ara Waiora- toi as translation		Screen your way: Implementing locally co-designed strategies to increase cervical screening among Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women and people with a cervix		Sian Wilds		Policy and practice recommendations for the incorporation of Indigenous patient cancer data in artificial intelligence and precision oncology		Introduction to Metis Nation British Columbia's Health Promotion Program: Nâcinîhikêwin		Strengthening First Nations Cancer Nursing Workforce: Leadership, Education, and Pathways within the McGrath Foundation
	The Cancer Whiri Story: A programme enhancing cancer care for Māori in Aotearoa New Zealand	Ami Morseu-Diop	Stakeholder perspectives on an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Worker-led model of self-collection to eliminate Cervical Cancer: a qualitative study	Alexis Ross	Co-designing supportive care for children with cancer in Aotearoa: Understanding whānau and health professionals’ experiences	Barbara Frazer & Lea Bill	Indigenous cancer research and cancer data-landscape Environmental Scan	Theona Ireton	Nā tō rourou, nā taku rourou ka ora ai te iwi (With your food basket and my food basket the people will thrive)	Mabel Aiolupotea	A Cook Island Social Workers Perspective
	Enhancing lung cancer screening delivery to Māori communities: a co-design process		Unfortunate Then, Unacceptable Now: Cervical Cancer and Wāhine Māori.		Dornell Pete		The Kulay Kalingka cohort study: an Indigenous led approach to monitoring and reporting National Cancer Care Indicators for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples		He Waka Eke Noa: Co-Creating Primary Care That Works for Whānau Māori		Promoting Cultural Safety in Radiation Therapy: Online Communication Skills Training for Healthcare Professionals Working with First Nations Australians
	Development and Testing of a Shared Decision-Making Prototype Developed by and for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples’ Participation in the Australian National Lung Cancer Screening Program	Julia Brotherton	My Screen, My Choice - A multi-year collaborative project to improve the cervical screening program for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women in Victoria, Australia	Joanne Urlich	Cancer Pumau - Connecting with whanau	Aime Powell	Our Data, Our Way: Enhanced Identification of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People to Ensure Cervical Cancer Elimination is Achieved for All Women.	Selisha Johnson, Craig Dee	Calling Our Relatives to Camp: Emerging Toward Community-Defined Success in Indigenous Cancer Health	India Mikaere-Girvin	Implementing a Māori Specialist Role in Radiation Oncology: A Pilot Study
Trevor Baxter	From Policy to Practice: Co-Designing Culturally Relevant Health Equity Indicators for Indigenous Cancer Care		Know Our Face: Reimagining National Cancer Screening Programmes Through a Kaupapa Māori, Whānau-Centred, Mokopuna Driven Framework		Niillas Blind		Métis Sovereignty in Action: Cancer Surveillance and Health Promotion by the Métis Nation of Ontario	Hemaima Reihana-Tait	When Whānau Lead: Restoring Mana Motuhake in Cancer Care		Embedding Te Ao Māori (Māori Worldviews) in Radiation Therapy: Reflections from Specialist Radiation Therapists – Māori Health at Te Pūriri o Te Ora, in Aotearoa (New Zealand)

DAY 3 - 23 April	
7:15 AM	EARLY MORNING BREAKFAST SYMPOSIUM 2 - Ticketed Event - Light breakfast provided <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i> <i>Tikanga and Technology</i>
8:45 AM	PLENARY 5: TOWARDS FLOURISHING FUTURES FOR WHĀNAU <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i>
	Introduction
8:50 AM	Professor Sandy Morrison
9:00 AM	Professor Beverly Lawton
9:20 AM	Dr Maxine Ronald
9:40 AM	Professor Karyn Paringatai
10:00 AM	Lea Bill
10:20 AM	Q&A
10:45 AM	MORNING TEA <i>(Sir Noel Robinson Conference Centre)</i>
11:15 AM	WĀNANGA KŌRERO 6: TBD 1:15 – 12:15PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i> WĀNANGA KŌRERO: Open Forum 12:15 – 12:45PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i> CONCURRENT SESSIONS 5 11:15 – 12:45PM <i>(see location below)</i>

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Claire Zammit	“Just let us do what we need to do in our communities”- The Essential Role of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Health Workers and Practitioners in the Elimination of Cervical Cancer – A qualitative study	Maybelle McLeod	Kimi i te hau – The search for an answer	Holly Prince	Caring Across the Cancer Journey: Re-activating Indigenous Knowledges for Caregiving at the End of Life	Raglan Maddox	Indigenous-led ethical publishing in commercial tobacco, nicotine, and cancer research	Jeannine Stairmand	Whiria te Hohenga: Feasibility and acceptability of a Māori cancer supportive care intervention	Talia Pfefferle, Susie Hooper & Judy Clark	Connecting Partners, Advancing Priorities: Coming together to support First Nations, Inuit, and Métis-Led Cancer Action.
Garima Saini, Atiya Rehman	Participation in screening and follow-up after an abnormal screening test among First Nations people in Ontario compared to other Ontarians	Karyn Paringatai	Te ora o te hau – Responsible & respectful research	Holly Prince	There is Medicine in Diversity: Creating Spaces and Places to Honour Indigenous Knowledges in Palliative Care	Hugh Burnam	Akwesasne Research Center for Health (ARCH): Building partnerships for the Next Seven Generations	Gail Garvey	Supporting Our Carers: developing a new measure to assess the supportive care needs of caregivers of Indigenous cancer patients	Saffron-Moana Mitchell	Together We Rise A Pacific Response to Cancer
Aime Powell	The health and cost benefits of HPV point-of-care testing in remote Indigenous communities: integrated analysis of the PREVENT project	Karyn Paringatai	Kimi i te ora – A critical approach to wellbeing	Katina Pollard	Métis end-of-life care: Weaving Métis experiences, knowledge and wisdom into the Indigenous End of Life Doula Guide.	Lisa Dirks	Enhancing Health Research Results Dissemination for American Indian and Alaska Native Communities through Indigenous Community-Centered Design	Asheel Ramanlal	Using a National Database to Address Inequity in Psychosocial Services for Māori Cancer Patients	Te Miri Rangi	Advancing Equity for Māori through the refreshed New Zealand Cancer Action Plan 2019-2029.
Maleeha Ashfaq	The role of family and community in healthcare decision-making: Leveraging social connection to increase participation in cervical screening for tribal communities in South India.	Eryn Gardner	Te hau o te ora – Responsible and respectful relationships	Josie Tait-Jamieson	Honoring Whakapapa: Sharing Stories of Cancer Care Coordination for Māori, by Māori using the oral tradition of storytelling	Lucy Brown	Building the Evidence to Address the Life Expectancy Gap for Māori in Aotearoa: The 5-Step Method	Kerry Patford	Embedding First Nations Perspectives in the McGrath Model of Care: Co-Designing Equitable Cancer Support	Lani Teddy	Asserting self-determination in government policy for better cancer outcomes
Tania Slater	Not just another task; this is people’s lives: Healthcare provider experiences of implementing HPV self-testing as the primary offer of cervical screening.	Gemella Reynolds	Te Puanga Tuatahi	Morgan McCaskill	Poroporoaki: A ritual of farewell for tūpapaku	Tama Te Puea Braithwaite-Westoby	Te Toki Koi a Aituā: Blunting the Edge of Misfortune Through Equity and Innovation in Cancer Research	Ken Carter	Psychological distress among informal carers of First Nations Australian cancer survivors	Nicola Ngawati	Addressing known health needs for Māori (in relation to cancer and the management of pharmaceutical and medical devices) in a needs not race based operating environment
Anna Adcock	“Honestly, it was a hallelujah moment”: HPV self-testing for cervical cancer prevention			Amber Logan	Te Ao Pouri: Supporting whānau who are grieving	Kimiora Henare & Nina Scott	Tūāpapa Rangahau Matepukupuku – Advancing Māori Self-Determination in Cancer Research	Elizabeth Fa'alili	Living With Cancer Our Way: The Power of Pasifika-Led Support	Robyn Manuel	The Mauri Model Decision Making Framework as a Tool to Empower Whānau Māori and Embed Equity Measures in the Assessment of New Cancer Medicines

12:45 PM	LUNCH 12:45 – 1:15PM <i>(Sir Noel Robinson Conference Centre)</i>
1:15 PM	POSTER SESSION 2 1:15 – 2:15PM <i>(Lion Foundation Foyer)</i> WĀNANGA KŌRERO 7: The role of karakia with Mana Whenua (Traditional Custodians) 1:15 – 2:15PM <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i>
2:15 PM	INDIGENOUS COUNTRY CAUCUS <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i> INDIGENOUS DELEGATES ONLY WĀNANGA KŌRERO: Open Forum <i>(Fisher & Paykel Foyer)</i>
3:00 PM	PLENARY 6: ANGA WHAKAMUA: LOOKING AHEAD <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i>
	Reflection of W.I.C.C. 2026: Mā te whakaatu ka mohio, ma te mohio ka marama, ma te marama ka matau, ma te matau ka ora.
3:10 PM	Professor Gail Garvey - A global audit of Indigenous-specific National Cancer Control Plans (2023–2026): Mapping the shift from inclusion to authority Leadership Quickfire Panel: What does that shift look like in your country focussing on community priorities/whānau voice?
3:40 PM	Dr Nina Scott – Call to Action
3:50 PM	CLOSING REMARKS <i>(Four Winds Theatre)</i>
4:00 PM	CLOSING CEREMONY
4:30 PM	END OF CONFERNCE
6:30 PM	MAURI TŪ, MAURI ORA - GALA DINNER <i>(Sir Noel Robinson Conference Centre)</i>

POSTER SESSION 1

Te Rau Orewa Olson	Whakawhānaungatanga: Strengthening iwi partnerships through rongoā and cancer-care research.
Keighley Pascua & Sheree Bennett	Co-designing preference-informed strategies to improve access and equity in bowel cancer screening for Australia’s First Nations peoples
Remy Morris	Honouring Indigenous Action on Tobacco for a Cancer-Free Future: The Tackling Indigenous Smoking Digital Repository
Vonda Nepia	Restoration of Mana and Tapu - Poster
Te Miri Rangi & Henry Iona	The burden of Cancer on Māori in New Zealand
Te Miri Rangi	Challenges Faced by Pacific Peoples on The Cancer Care Continuum.
Florence Leota	The Patient and Fānau (Family) Experiences of Pacific Peoples on The Cancer Care Continuum in Aotearoa New Zealand.
Amber Logan	He kai kei aku ringa: Food and nutrition change in the context of te Ao Māori
Theona Ireton	Whakawhanaungatanga in Action: A Partnership Approach to Cancer Care
Hanna van Waart	Prehabilitation needs and wants for whānau with breast cancer
Kalinda Wills	Working Together for Culturally safe cancer care
Kate Parker	Integrating chronic obstructive pulmonary disease assessment into lung cancer screening for Māori in Aotearoa New Zealand: an implementation study
Rachael Neumann	Working together for a future free from cancer: strategic advocacy ahead of the 2026 election
Rachael Neumann	Aotearoa New Zealand’s global tobacco control ranking declines sharply: findings from the 2025 Tobacco Industry Interference Index Report
Abbey Diaz	The smoking epidemic in the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population: declining prevalence, persistent mortality, and the urgent need for Industry abolition
Adanma Ayanambakkam	Disparities in Prostate Cancer Among Native American Men: The Stephenson Cancer Center Experience and SEER Comparison.
Atiya Rehman	Barriers and Enablers to Accessing Cancer and Health Care Services for Métis People in Ontario, Canada. A Qualitative Study.
Ellyn Proffit	He Ara Tautoko: A Tiered Psychosocial Support Framework to Address Inequities in Adolescent and Young Adult Cancer Care
Amanda Gawith	Waiora Waikato Hospital Kaitiaki Cultural Frontline Services
Stella Boyd-Ford	A national review of resources for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples providing information on breast, cervical, bowel and lung cancer screening in Australia
Anson Joseph	Talk-Teach and Treat: The Indigenous Fastrack cancer screening program in Northern territory.
Melissa Herbst-Kralovetz	Deciphering Interplay between HPV and Vaginal Microbiome in a Longitudinal Study of Urban Native American Women in Phoenix, Arizona
Paul Brassard	HPV Prevalence Among Inuit Women in Northern Quebec, Canada: A Pre- and Post-Vaccination Analysis
Max Upton Dubé	Language Matters: Examining how language in the reporting of Indigenous cancer research in Canada has shifted in the post-TRC era
Scott Babington	Embedding and Electronic Recording Te Whare Tapa Whā into pre-attendance screening to improve equitable access to cancer treatment at Christchurch/Ōtautahi Oncology Services
Scott Babington	Taonga Ora: Extra support enables equal access to curative cancer services – audit and reflections based on Te Whare Tapa Whā
Sam Elkington & Kym Green	Waiora Waikato Hauora iHub: Meeting Whānau Where They Are
Marc Gaudet	Bridging the care gap in the Canadian North. Specialized Oncology Presence Aiming to improve access to cancer care in the territory of Nunavut
Cheyenne Akehurst	Kia ora – E te iwi (KOETI): A Rohe Perspective of a National Kaupapa Maori Cancer Education and Support programme
Daniella Edward	Reclaiming Early Detection: Breaking Down Barriers to Cancer Screening for Indigenous Peoples
Daniella Edward	Beyond Survival: Centering Indigenous Worldviews in Supportive Cancer Care
Theresa McLean	A retrospective audit comparing pancreatic cancer outcomes for Māori and non-Māori prior to established local oncology service versus after the establishment of local oncology service servicing Te Whatu Ora Lakes.
Rooshan Ghous	Uncovering Drivers of Breast Cancer in Māori vs. Non-Māori in Aotearoa: A Data Based Approach
Rooshan Ghous	Barriers in onboarding Wahine Māori for breast screening

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Scott Babington	Expanding Access and Equity Through Hypofractionated Stereotactic Radiation Therapy (SABR): Current Uptake and Future Directions
Scott Babington	Piloting the Introduction of BCON Radiation Therapy for Bladder Cancer incorporating a Te Whare Tapa Whā led Approach to Cultural Safety
Scott Babington	SIMLESS Radiotherapy: Enhancing Timely, Equitable Access to Palliative Radiation Therapy in Aotearoa New Zealand
Kate Chadwick	Whanaungatanga – Working together to build culturally grounded support for ākonga Māori in the Bachelor of Radiation Therapy.
Jani Ingram	Integrating Science and Community Engagement: A Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention
Jani Ingram	Environmental Exposures from Legacy Mining on Navajo Lands as a Social Determinant of Health Linked to Cancer
Ansley Hill	Cytokine Armored CART T Cells Provide Potential Breast Cancer Treatments; How It Could Impact Indigenous Communities
Jayde Ngata	Targeting the Tumour Microbiome to Improve Response to Immunotherapy: Towards Equitable Cancer Care in Aotearoa
Noah Papali'i	Investigation into the immune cell composition and metabolic signalling of Pacific endometrial cancer tissue.
Victoria Jackson-Patel	Development of a novel neoadjuvant treatment strategy for advanced head and neck cancer in Aotearoa using a Kaupapa Māori approach
Katie Meehan	Exploring traditional breast cancer risk genes among Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island women
Jack Wang	Natures nano surgeons, Mānuka honey derived nanoparticles show anti-cancer effects against CRC cell lines
Alyona Oryshchuk	Defeating the Unbeatable: Destroying Immortal Leukaemia Stem Cells
Purvi Kakadiya	A New Zealand experience: Targeted Next Generation Sequencing in Acute Myeloid Leukaemia and its Impact on Patient Management.
Kim Paras	Target validation of an induced proximity therapeutic approach for Māori with SDHB mutant paragangliomas and pheochromocytomas
Andrew Redfern	Overcoming Aggressive Tumour Biology to Improve Breast Cancer Outcomes for Aboriginal Australian Women
Morgan Short & Andrew Wood	A retrospective review of Ewing Sarcoma incidence and risk factors affecting New Zealand Māori over the last 40 years
Michelle Sullivan	Improving CRTNZ support for Māori Leadership and Participation in Cancer Research
Kimiora Henare	Kawa, Tikanga, Ritenga, Āhuatanga to empower Māori biomedical researchers.
Rachel Joyce	Biomedi-KIN: Strengthening Cultural Governance in Biomedical Research and supporting Indigenous Researchers in Laboratory-Based Science
Mackenzie Huckvale & Elijah MacDonald	Building Trust, Community, and Career Pathways: Outcomes of the BioCanRx Indigenous Student Summer Internship Program
Alice Bergin	Understanding survival outcomes for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people diagnosed with lung cancer in Australia
Abbie Willetto	Establishing a Pathology Archive Within a Tribal Health Organization
Shankari Wijayakhanthan	Colorectal Cancer Disparity among Aboriginal Australians - Trial In Progress
Sam Filipenko	Responding to the Calls: A comparison of Indigenous cancer research practices and discourse pre- and post- the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada’s Calls to Action
Rachel Swann	Envisioning cancer care for our Māori communities through oncology physiotherapy rehabilitation.