

Victorian Falls Prevention Alliance Symposium 2026

Date: Friday 8th May Time: 9.00 – 1.00pm

Venue: Charles La Trobe Theatre, Royal Melbourne Hospital and online

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9.00am	Registration	
9.30am	Welcome and Acknowledgement of Country	A/Prof Frances Batchelor <i>Co-chair, Victorian Falls Prevention Alliance</i> Hannah Sharma, Hayley Russell <i>Symposium co-hosts</i>
9.35am	Consumer perspective	Robyn Abrahams
9.45am	<i>Keynote Presentation</i> Falls and Exercise: We all know, and we know it all right?	Prof Danielle Bouchard
10.15am	Hospital fall prevention interventions and implementation: current evidence and insights	Charlotte McLennan
10.35am	Break – morning tea	
11.00am	Involving family members in hospital care	A/Prof Kate Lawler
11.20am	Analysis of the use of an Electronic Medical Record (EMR) Fall Order Set for doctors following inpatient falls	Dr Laura Slavin
11:40am	5-minute rapid fire clinician presentations	Emily Alexander Andrea Russell Anna Creasey & Eilidh Campbell Paul Wembridge
12.10pm	Panel Discussion	Charlotte McLennan A/Prof Kate Lawler Prof Danielle Bouchard Robyn Abrahams Andrea Russell Dr Laura Slavin
12.50pm	Closing remarks	Hannah Sharma, Hayley Russell <i>Symposium co-hosts</i>
1.00pm	End	