

## UNDERSTANDING PROGRESSION AND SUPPORTIVE MANAGEMENT IN ADVANCED PARKINSON'S DISEASE

TE PAE HAUORA O RUAHINE O TARARUA & AROHANUI HOSPICE STUDY DAY

Inviting all registered Health Professionals working with Older Adults throughout their health journey, including primary health services, aged residential care, community, and inpatient settings.

Topics to be covered will include:

- Differentiating between Parkinson's Disease and similar presentations
- Symptom management in advanced Parkinson's Disease
- Medication approaches as Parkinson's Disease progresses
- A palliative approach to Parkinson's Disease
- Panel discussion covering spiritual, psycho/social and the lived experience of Parkinson's Disease

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8.30am	Welcome and housekeeping
8.45am	Medical and care approaches for advanced Parkinson's Disease – Dr Jonathan Kok, Geriatrician What is Parkinson's Disease and what isn't? – Dr Matthew Johnston, Geriatrician
10.15am	Morning tea
10.30am	More than just tremors: Prioritising non-motor symptom management in Advanced Parkinson's Disease – Michaela Tomecki, Nurse Practitioner Candidate
11:15am	Demystifying Parkinson's Disease medications and medication options for changing symptoms as the disease progresses – Dr John Bourke, Geriatrician
12:00pm	Lunch (not provided)
12.30pm	The role of hospice in advanced Parkinson's Disease. Dr Delamy Keall
1.30pm	Panel presentations – Dianne Ackerman, Parkinson's Manawatu; Family member experience; Speech Language Therapist, Psycho-social support, Occupational Therapist
3.00pm	Short break
3.10pm	Panel question session
4:00pm	Finish

<b>When:</b> Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> August 2023	<b>Time:</b> 8:30am – 4:00pm
<b>Where:</b> Education Centre Hall, Ruahine Street, Te Pae Hauora o Ruahine o Tararua	
<b>Cost:</b> FREE	
<b>How to register:</b> <a href="https://www.midcentraldhb.govt.nz/education-training">Education &amp; Training (midcentraldhb.govt.nz)</a>	<b>Final date for enrolment:</b> August 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2023
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