



Dance Movement Therapy Association of Australasia

Continuing Professional Development workshop:
*Improving our employment possibilities
through evidence-informed practice in dance movement therapy:
what does it mean and how can we do it?*

**Saturday 26 October 2019, 9.30-5:00 pm,
Leela Centre, L2/ 113-115 Oxford St, Darlinghurst, NSW**



Health and human service professionals are increasingly expected to use evidence to inform their work. This session addresses the topic of evidence and its implications for DM therapists. It focusses on the critical advances made when practice draws from existing information, and the potential for expanded employment opportunities when practice is underpinned by evidence. Participants will also be introduced to techniques in utilising published evidence, from searching for relevant publications to analysis of available information.

The workshop will also involve movement experientials led by DTAA members working with diverse issues and populations through DMT, utilising DMT and related evidence. Finally, participants will be encouraged to consider how they can contribute to the expansion of evidence about DMT, utilising accessible assessment and evaluation tools.

Learning objectives

Participants will:

- advance their understanding of the concept of evidence-informed practice;
- improve their skills in searching for and utilising evidence to inform professional practice;
- enhance their capacity to create evidence by using appropriate assessment and evaluation tools in their practice.

Participants will be eligible for 6 hrs DTAA-accredited CPD.

Presenters



Sue Mullane, M. Ed (DMT), Grad. Dip Movement & Dance, B.Ed., DTAA (Prof DMT), is an experienced special educator and dance movement therapist. She has worked with a focus on disability and trauma with adults and children in a variety of health, community and educational settings in NSW and Victoria.



Dr. Kim Dunphy is a Research Fellow at the Creative Arts and Music Therapies Research Unit, University of Melbourne, where she is advancing her research on assessment and evaluation of DMT. Kim is also DTAA (Prof DMT) and President.

Experiential leaders:

Suzanne Scarrold, DTAA (Prof DMT), Dip (Clin) DMT; MAAT (Clin. ATh.Reg.) ANZACATA; Post Grad Dip Couns & Guidance; PGDipTeaching; BA; Advanced Cert Interactive Drawing Therapy. Suzanne is an arts and DM therapist, member DTAA Training & Ed. Committee, and former senior lecturer counselling, Manukau Institute of Technology.



Clare Etherton, DTAA (Prof. DMT), Cert and Adv Clinical Prac DMT (DTNZ) BA Hons Dance Studies, Grad Dip Teaching, Yoga teacher cert. Clare is a DM therapist, yoga teacher, early childhood and forest school educator.



Angela Kastanis, DTAA (Prof. DMT), BA, Dip Ed, Post Grad. Cert TESOL, Neuro-Linguistic Programming, yoga training and a DMT qualification from the IDTIA. Specialist DMT expertise includes children with physical and intellectual disabilities and elderly citizens in homes.



WHAT TO BRING

- Comfy clothes for movement
- Cushion to sit on
- Laptop, iPad or phone with web browsing and typing capabilities. . If you don't have one of these you can bring, we can pair you up with someone who does.
- Writing materials
- Your own lunch, or research close by options to purchase lunch as it is not provided.

WORKSHOP FEES

DTAA members*	DTAA member concession**	Non-member	Non-member concession**
\$140	\$120	\$180	\$160

ZOOM ATTENDANCE

This event is also available for attendance by Zoom.

* To qualify for the Members rate, you must be a financial member of the DTAA. Non-members are welcome to join the DTAA on-line: www.dtaa.org.au.

** Concession is available only to full time students, pensioners and healthcare card holders. You will be required to show evidence of your concession status.

For more information, contact Laura Houley: admin@dtaa.org.au or phone 0419 531 218

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REGISTRATION & PAYMENT

Our preferred method of registration and payment is to use our easy on-line Trybooking System. This allows us to easily manage, record and communicate with you in relation to your booking Please click on the link below.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BFQOR>

If you would like to pay via direct debit please contact Laura for a registration form and payment details, admin@dtaa.org.au

REFUND POLICY

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