

# Registration Form/Tax Invoice

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School Refusal W/Shop Adelaide 28th July 2016

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

School/Org: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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I agree to the conditions of registration & cancellation policy

Please mark if you need a separate invoice Order No: \_\_\_\_\_

Early Bird Rate: \$330 (Inc GST) (before 7th July 2016)

Standard Rate \$385 (Inc GST) (after 7th July 2016)

## PAYMENTS:

Bank Transfers:

The Bendigo Bank

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Full Day Workshop

# Understanding, Treating and Managing School Refusal

A/Prof Michael Gordon, Psychiatrist



Completing the *Understanding, Treating and Managing School Refusal Workshop* will contribute 6 hours of QTC Registered PD addressing the following Australian Professional Standards for Teachers towards maintaining Proficient Teacher Accreditation in NSW: 3.7.2., 4.3.2., 4.4.2., 7.2.2.

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Target Audience: Teachers, Year Level Coordinators, School counsellors, Psychologists, School Leaders and other Personnel Working with Students who School Refuse.

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# Understanding, Treating and Managing School Refusal

School refusal is a very common and challenging mental health problem for schools. Only a third to half of adolescents with school refusal will ultimately return to school. Those students who do not return to school suffer serious disadvantage related to employment, relationships and social functioning in adult life. This interactive, one day workshop discusses the causes, co-morbidities and treatment of school refusal.

## An Essential PD Workshop for Teachers and Leadership Personnel, School Counsellors & Psychologists

School refusal will occur in almost every school. The consequences can be very serious for young people and it is vital that school personnel have an understanding of how to treat the disorder, how it should be managed in the school context, and how to effectively involve the family.

A/Professor Michael Gordon, Psychiatrist, has extensive experience working with schools on issues of mental health relating to young people. A/Professor Gordon provides training and professional mentoring for educational leaders, teachers, school psychologists and counsellors and is ideally placed to take participants through the myriad and complex issues involved in adolescent mental illness in the school context.

Presenter

## A/Professor Michael Gordon Adjunct Clinical Associate Professor of Psychiatry at Monash University

A/Professor Michael Gordon is a practicing psychiatrist and Unit Head of the child and adolescent stream in Early in Life Mental Health Service (formerly CAMHS) at Southern Health. He completed his clinical doctorate in the area of adolescent depression, has a strong clinical and research interest in adolescent depression, anxiety and somatoform disorders, and has published several papers and a book chapter in the area of adolescent depression. A/Professor Gordon is also an Adjunct Clinical Associate Professor at Monash University and is currently involved in a number of collaborative research projects with Monash University, including the School Refusal Clinic.

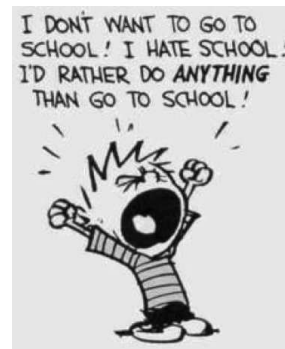
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Education Development Centre  
4 Milner Street, Hindmarsh SA 5007

Workshop Program



9.00 – 10.30am

Prevalence, symptoms and presentation of school refusal. Recognising early indicators, diagnosis; including differential diagnosis. Co-morbidities. Latest research findings.

10.45 - 12.15pm

Short and long term consequences of school refusal for young people. Causes and underlying issues in school refusal. Effective treatments.

12.45 - 2.15pm

Developing and implementing a treatment plan. Deciding who should be involved in the treatment and management of school refusal.

2.30 - 4pm

Treatment of school refusal (cont). Commonly occurring complexities in school refusal including a discussion of what is not helpful.



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