

RANZCOG ASM 2024

Case-Based Discussion Workshop

for RANZCOG Associate (Procedural/Adv Procedural) and GPs

Unlock a world of insights in our dynamic half-day workshop designed for RANZCOG Associates (Procedural/Adv Procedural) and GPs working in private practice, locum positions, or rural areas. Tailored for busy professionals, this 4-hour session is a catalyst for knowledge sharing, critical thinking, and problem-solving in the field of Obstetrics and Gynaecology.

Facilitators

- Dr Brendan Marshall (FARGP, FRNZCGP, Adv. DRANZCOG)
- Dr Sara Gordon (FDRHMNZ, FRNZCGP, Adv. DRANZCOG)
- Dr Nina Stupples (FRNZCGP)
- Dr John Hall (FACRRM, Adv. DRANZCOG)

Program

Start: 8:30 AM | End: 12:30pm

Description	Lead Facilitator
Introduction	Dr Brendan Marshall
Case 1: Ethical Challenges in Maternity Care in High-Control Remote Communities	Dr Sara Gordon
Break (Morning/Afternoon tea)	NA
Case 2: Holistic Management of Complex Pregnancy: Integrating Hematology, Trauma, and Perinatal Mental Health	Dr Nina Stupples
Case 3: A High-Risk First Nations Birth in Remote Australia and the Importance of Birthing on Country (if time)	Dr John Hall
Summary & Reflection	Dr Brendan Marshall

*The durations of each session will vary based on case complexity and depth of discussion.

Case studies

Case 1

Title: Ethical Challenges in Maternity Care in High-Control Remote Communities

Learning Outcomes:

During this case-based discussion, you will have the opportunity to:

1. Discuss the ethical dilemmas surrounding midwifery-led birthing in high-control communities.
2. Explore the complexities of domestic violence (DV) and maternity care in remote settings, considering the implications for patient safety and provider responsibilities.
3. Evaluate strategies to promote culturally sensitive and patient-centred care in these communities.

Case 2

Title: Holistic Management of Complex Pregnancy: Integrating Hematology, Trauma, and Perinatal Mental Health

Learning Outcomes:

During this case-based discussion, you will have the opportunity to:

1. Evaluate abnormalities in platelets and full blood count (FBC) during pregnancy and determine appropriate actions.
2. Assess non-specific symptoms in the third trimester to rule out serious pathologies in low-resource settings.
3. Describe the role of a generalist in addressing complex birth trauma and initiating appropriate interventions.
4. Review the presentation, identification, and management of postpartum psychosis, including community-based follow-up and safety measures.

Case 3

Title: A High-Risk First Nations Birth in Remote Australia and the Importance of Birthing on Country

Learning Outcomes:

During this case-based discussion, you will have the opportunity to:

1. Discuss the local management of obstetric emergencies in remote settings.
2. Discuss the process of rebuilding a local service after 25 years of closure.
3. Analyse the impact of limited local birthing opportunities on First Nations communities.

RANZCOG CPD Allocation

- Outcome Measurement (OM): 1.5 hours
- Performance Review (PR): 1 hour
- Educational Activities (EA): 1 hour