

National Conference 2022

Early Detection and Survivorship



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Sunday 1 May 2022

Te Papa Oceania Room

Cable Street,
Wellington

8:45am – 4:00pm

Ticket price:

\$35 - \$70 (in person and virtual options available)
Includes morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

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This is a preliminary programme only

Welcome to the Prostate Cancer Foundation of New Zealand annual conference, as we approach a time when the most wholesale changes in the delivery of healthcare in Aotearoa in over 30 years are set to take place.

In a few short months, the District Health Boards that a generation have grown up with will make way for the new Health NZ and Māori Health Authority agencies. For those of us working in the cancer space, we can reflect on Te Aho O Te Kahu, the Cancer Control Agency, finishing its first full calendar year as part of our health landscape.

In addition, the “once in a generation” review panel of PHARMAC will have released its findings.

This is an important time, as Aotearoa New Zealand’s standard of care for men with prostate cancer in terms of access to diagnostic procedures, treatments and medicines currently falls behind that of other comparable countries. With the changes in our health system comes the opportunity for all of us to make a positive difference.

Against this background, we have assembled an outstanding programme of world-leading experts to share their insights with you.

From Aotearoa and overseas, we have senior voices and specialists working with some of the greatest challenges that face us in terms of the screening, diagnosis and treatment of prostate cancer. They will be presenting on early detection, the delivery of care, treatment approaches and the latest insights into the disease.

We know that all attending our conference this year will come away with new insights and a renewed commitment to making a difference for the thousands of men and those around them affected by prostate cancer in our country.

Our speakers include:

Prof Dr Hendrik Van Poppel – European Association of Urology

Prostate cancer early detection guidance for the EU

Dr Daniel Cornfeld – Radiologist

Accuracy and equity in prostate cancer diagnosis

Prof Graham Le Gros – Director, Malaghan Institute

The global prostate cancer research picture

Dr Jacquie Kidd – Academic Researcher

Oranga Tū: the experience of tāne Māori with prostate cancer

Rob Campbell CNZM CFinStD – Chair, Health NZ

Beyond DHBs: the vision and mission of Health NZ

Mr David Merrilees – Urologist

Androgen Deprivation Therapy for prostate cancer