

SCT Newsletter

March-April 2012



Hello, welcome to April's Newsletter.

The Cardiac Society (CSANZ) annual scientific meeting in New Zealand is fast approaching. This years CSANZ will introduce new topics and offer valuable developmental opportunities and discussion between peers. Take advantage of the limited opportunity to build networks and share information between other healthcare professionals within our scope of practice.

We would like to welcome you to take part in the Trainers Symposium and the Allied SCT-CSANZ Educational Symposium. The Trainers symposium has been highly successful in previous years and is designed to provide trainers with techniques towards training CCP and CPM trainees.

This year the allied SCT-CSANZ Educational Symposium offers you the chance to apply your knowledge to the topic of heart failure. Diagnostic tools and management approaches including the use of CRT will be discussed.

SCT has also granted full funding for the two highest achieving MTEX year 2 students to attend and present their case studies at the SCT/MTEX symposium on the Friday morning.

Membership subscriptions have been sent to you; please return these as soon as possible.

If you know that an SCT member is not receiving the Newsletter, please get them to contact info@sct.org.nz.

This issue of the Newsletter includes –

- 1) SCT Membership Subscriptions**
- 2) CCP Reminder**
- 3) Trainers Symposium**
- 4) Allied SCT - CSANZ Educational Symposium**
- 5) SCT Calendar 2011**
- 6) SCT Council Members and Contacts**
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1) SCT Membership Subscriptions

SCT membership subscriptions should have been received by mail or email.

Also, you must be a member of your professional society in order to gain registration with the CPRB (include a copy of the receipt with your APC application).

2) CCP Reminder

This is a reminder that the CCP examination date is 13th June. You need to be a current financial member of SCT to sit the June exam.

CCP examination - **13th June 2012**

Results out Friday 22nd June.

3) Trainers Symposium



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Cardiac Physiologists Trainers Symposium



The Langham, Auckland

Thursday 14th June 2012

Preliminary Programme

Time	Topic	Speaker
13:00	Welcome SCT Education Committee – terms of reference and current issues	Sheryl Tait
	Current Training Programmes Updates: Certificate in Physiological Measurement (CPM) Certification of Cardiac Physiologists (CCP) Post Grad Diploma Medical Technology (MTEX)	Miriama Gideona Ellen Woodcock
	Training module Reviews: Echocardiography Holter Analysis ECG and exercise testing	Angela Morgan Sheryl Tait Miriama Gideona
17:00	Meeting closes	

4) Allied SCT - CSANZ Educational Symposium

 SCT Scientific and Technical Educational Symposium Friday 15th June 2012 					
Start Time	Topic	Presented by	Chairperson	Allocated time	
9:00	Welcome and brief introduction to Heart Failure	Chairperson	Kerry Conway Fiona Riddell	10 mins	
9:10	KEYNOTE PRESENTATION: The Patient with Heart Failure: Should CRT be considered early or late?	Keynote Speaker Dr Mayanna Lund Middlemore Hospital		50 mins	
10:00	Tea Break			15 mins	
10:15	Some Christchurch CRT tales	Sharron Matthewson Laura Bellaney Christchurch Hospital		30 mins	
10:45	Heart failure in the Paediatric setting	Sandy Long Starship Hospital		30 mins	
11.15	MTEX Award presentation	TBA		15 mins	
11:30	MTEX Award presentation	TBA		15 mins	
11:45	Charge Physiologists Business meeting: Update on Professional Development Group	Sharron Matthewson		45 mins	

2) SCT Council Members and Contacts

- Chairperson -
Kerry Conway (Cardiac Physiologist - ACH)
- Education Coordinator -
Christine Shanahan (Cardiac Physiologist - ACH)
- Treasurer / Secretary -
Sonia Darlington (Cardiac Physiology Technician - ACH)
- Newsletter editor -
James Cadogan (Cardiac Physiologist – Auckland DHB)
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Contributions to the newsletter

All contributions are welcome.

This may be in the form of a case study from any discipline within the fields of cardio-respiratory. A detailed description and interpretation of your findings should be included.

Contact - [Jcadogan@adhb.govt.nz](mailto:jcadogan@adhb.govt.nz)

A case study written for the Newsletter earns 10 points towards your continued professional Development. Remember, case studies are to be made confidential.

Thank You

James Cadogan

