



The National Australian Conference on Shaken Baby Syndrome

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The Regent Hotel, Sydney
3-4 September 2001
Sydney, Australia

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A Four Seasons Hotel

The conference venue is located at the beautiful Regent Hotel in Sydney. The Regent has generously designated rooms at a special, economical rate for conference participants. The Regent, a five star hotel, is stunningly situated at the harbour's edge with a warm atmosphere reflecting the friendly personality of the city. The Regent, Sydney welcomes guests to the most desirable location in downtown's historic Rocks area. With a level of service that secured its role as the official hotel of the Sydney 2000 International Olympic Committee, The Regent Hotel, Sydney assures the ultimate experience of this remarkable city - named the world's most preferred for meetings, conferences and incentive travel. The 531 rooms and suites feature some of the most luxurious interiors in Sydney and more than half of the guest rooms enjoy full or partial harbour views, while others present dramatic city perspectives.

Be sure to ask the hotel about joining the Regent Club. The Regent Club is a spacious and well appointed lounge with spectacular views of the city and includes complimentary breakfast buffet, tea, coffee and beverages all day, alcoholic beverages and hors d'oeuvres, pressing service, concierge service and entry to The Spa and Fitness Centre. All of this for a very economical daily fee.

Attending a conference in Sydney

is more economical than you may think!

Australia is a beautiful country and can be very economical. The exchange rate for money coming from most countries outside of Australia is very high. For instance, the costs listed below are an example of how reasonable it might be for someone traveling from Los Angeles, California to Sydney. These costs reflect the exchange rate as of **March 26, 2001** and may be different when you incur these costs. These rates change on a daily basis.

Roundtrip airfare	Depending on day and time of travel, fares are approximately \$700-999 (US)
Hotel	As low as \$131 (US) per night for The Regent Hotel, Sydney, a five star hotel
Tipping	Tipping is not common practice in Australia
Transportation	Depending on what form of transportation you choose to hire from the Sydney Airport to the conference hotel, it could be as low as \$14 (US) for a cab. Trains and ferries are also within short walk of the conference hotel
Conference registration	Registration for this two day conference is approximately \$111 (US)

Social and Networking Event

Monday 3 September 2001 Dinner Harbour Cruise

Join us for a networking and social event Monday evening 3 September 2001 from 7-10:00 p.m. This is the perfect opportunity to liase with colleagues, professionals and experts in the field of shaken baby syndrome while cruising through beautiful Sydney Harbour. We will start with a three course set and seated dinner. Music and dancing will follow. All of this is available for an all inclusive price of \$78 (AU) per person (beverages are not included, but will be available for purchase). Even if you have seen the harbour, please don't miss out on this tremendous networking opportunity!



We will disembark from Circular Quay, Number 6 Jetty, only a few metres from The Regent Hotel, Sydney.

Sydney Attractions

in close proximity to the conference hotel

September is spring in Australia offering warm days and cool evenings.

Destination - Sydney is one of the world's great cities, with friendly residents, an agreeable climate, natural beauty and a relaxed, outdoor-oriented lifestyle. It is a major hub within Southeast Asia and is the manufacturing, commercial, cultural and sporting centre of the region.

magnificent beauty of the harbour is to take a coffee or luncheon cruise. A relaxing way to discover the secrets of Sydney and surrounds is by ferry. Circular Quay has ferries arriving and departing regularly to all points of the Harbour. Circular Quay is located just outside and within walking distance of the conference hotel.

The Rocks - The Rocks occupies one of the most prominent headlands in Sydney Harbour, home to Aboriginal people for around 20,000 years. The precinct has also been called white Australia's most historic place. It contains readable evidence of many layers of Australian culture. As a waterfront historic precinct in the heart of Sydney, The Rocks continues to be one of the most visited places in Australia, offering a range of experiences for locals, domestic and international visitors.

The historic Rocks district, site of Sydney's first settlement, includes many colonial buildings which now house upscale restaurants, cafes, Australian native arts and craft galleries, and an international design enclave.

Take a stroll through The Rocks and discover the colourful promenades from the Sydney Harbour Bridge to the spectacular Opera House. All of this is located just outside of the conference hotel.

Sydney Opera House - White sails on a blue harbour. Without a doubt the Sydney Opera House is Australia's most recognisable icon - a truly spectacular building. Take a guided tour backstage. Listen to a free outdoor concert. Have lunch on the forecourt or dinner in one of the excellent restaurants. At night, relax and enjoy a performance - concert, theatre, ballet or opera - the choice is yours.

Sydney Harbour - There are a number of ways to take advantage of this beautiful Harbour. Catch a ferry, sail a yacht, hire a water taxi and enjoy the sun and scenery. One of the best ways to see the

Sydney Harbour Bridge - The Harbour Bridge is the world's largest steel arch bridge. Opened in 1932, it carries eight vehicle lanes, two railway lines, a footpath and a cycle way. For an inexpensive view of the harbor, climb the 200 steps from the footway on Cumberland Street, The Rocks, to the top of the pylon lookout. There's a display about its history and construction. A recent innovation is BridgeClimb, a three-hour adventure to the top of the bridge, 134 metres above sea level. Visitors climb the ladders, catwalks and arches to the absolute top of the bridge to enjoy a 360-degree view of Sydney Harbour.

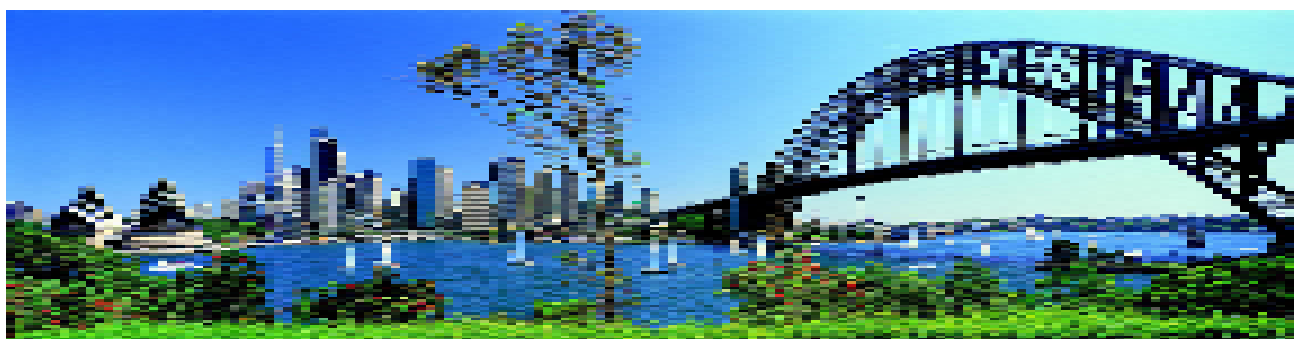
Regular groups depart day and night, accompanied by a professional climb leader. If this is of interest to you, make your reservations early. Space fills up quickly. However, they only take reservations three months in advance. For more information, phone (02) 9247-3408 for the bridge and (02) 9252-0077 for BridgeClimb.



The Royal Botanical Gardens - The gardens are an oasis of green and quiet at the harbour's edge. It includes a distinctive array

of Australian native plants and examples of English, European and American introduced species, laid out in a manner of a formal English garden.

Sydney Beaches - Surrounded by water, it's not surprising that many of Sydney's recreational activities involve the sea, sand and sun. Sydney has two types of beaches - harbour beaches, which are sheltered and calm, and ocean beaches which often have great surf. Keep in mind that September is early spring in Sydney and it may be too cold to swim.



CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Conference Program Tracks

Medical and Rehabilitation
Legal
Investigation and Child Protection Services
Family Impact and Prevention
Research

Monday 3 September 2001

Winten Room

Research - **The Crying Challenge: Characteristics of Early Crying That May Stimulate Shaking** - *Ronald G. Barr, MDCM, McGill University, Montreal Children's Hospital, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

Holmes Room

Investigation and Child Protection Services - **Shaken Baby Syndrome: A Police Investigator's Perspective** - *Cpl. Craig Smith, Formerly of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada*

Ballroom I

Family Impact/Prevention - **Elijah's Story: Documentary on Shaken Baby Syndrome** - *Marilyn Sandberg, Executive Director, National Center on Shaken Baby Syndrome, Emily Fisher, parent of shaken baby syndrome victim, National Center on Shaken Baby Syndrome, Ogden, Utah, USA*

Ballroom II

Medical - **DTP Vaccination Controversy in Shaken Baby Syndrome** - *Robert Reece, MD, Institute for Professional Education, Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, Boston, Massachusetts, USA*

12:00 - 1:30 p.m. - Lunch

On your own - (Pick up restaurant ideas at the tourist booth)

1:30 - 3:00 p.m. - Afternoon Workshop I

Winten Room

Medical - **Mechanisms of Injuries of Shaken Baby Syndrome** - *Randy Alexander, MD, Morehouse School of Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia, USA*

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Medical - **Medical Literature Review 1997-2000: Articles on Abusive Head Trauma** - *Robert Reece, MD, Institute for Professional Education, Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, Boston, Massachusetts, USA*

Sunday 2 September 2001

Tanner Room

3:00 - 6:00 p.m. - Registration at The Regent Hotel, Sydney

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Tanner Room

7:00 - 8:30 a.m. - Registration

Grand Ballroom

8:30 - 10:00 a.m. - Opening Keynote Address

Welcome

Professor Kim Oates, Director, The Children's Hospital of Westmead, Sydney, AU

The Honourable Craig Knowles, MP, Minister of Health, New South Wales

Opening Keynote Address

Shaken Baby Syndrome in Australia: Whose Problem Is This?

Ms. Gillian Calvert, Commissioner for the Commission of Children and Young People, NSW, Australia

Ballroom Foyer

10:00 - 10:30 a.m. - Morning Tea and Exhibits

10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - Morning Workshops

Teale Room

Medical - **Ocular Injuries: What Are They and What Do They Tell Us?** - *Craig Donaldson, FRANZCO, The Children's Hospital at Westmead Sydney, AU*

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Ballroom II

Prevention - Dads 101: A Training Program for New and Expecting Fathers - Adam Salazar, Program Specialist, National Center on Shaken Baby Syndrome, Steven Franks, Program Director, Child Abuse Prevention Center, Ogden, Utah, USA

Teale Room

Medical and Rehabilitation - Long Term Consequences After Early Brain Injury: A Brain Injury Service Perspective - Mary-Clare Waugh, MD, Rehabilitation Paediatrician, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Dr. Susanne Benson, Clinical Neuropsychologist, Dr. Adrienne Epps, Brain Injury Rehabilitation Program, Sydney Children's Hospital

Medical and Rehabilitation - Current Practices for Long-term Follow up of Shaken Baby Infants: What Else Needs to be Done? Dr. Maria Kyriagis, Mary-Clare Waugh, MD, Rehabilitation Paediatrician, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Dr. Adrienne Epps, Brain Injury Rehabilitation Program, Sydney Children's Hospital

Holmes Room

Investigation and Child Protection Services - Protecting the Child: The New South Wales Interagency Perspective on the Management of Shaken Baby Syndrome Cases - Melanie Henry, Casework Manager, JIT Chatswood, Ruth Cosier, Casework Manager, JIT Parramatta, Robyn Lamb, Deputy Head, Child Protection Unit, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Gill Patterson, NUM, Well Baby Clinic, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Despa Fitzgerald, Detective Senior Sergeant, Child Protection Enforcement Agency

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Ballroom Foyer

3:00 - 3:30 p.m. - Afternoon Tea and Networking

3:30 - 5:00 p.m. - Afternoon Workshops

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Ballroom II

Medical - A Forensic Response to Shaken Baby Syndrome - Robert Kirschner, MD, Forensic Pathologist, Department of Pathology and Pediatrics, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, USA. Professor Roger Byard, MD, FRCPath, Associate Professor, Forensic Science Centre, Adelaide, South Australia

Teale Room

Legal-Keys to the Successful Prosecution of Shaken Baby Syndrome Cases - Rob Parrish, JD, Deputy Director, National Center on Shaken Baby Syndrome, Ogden, Utah, USA, Roy Ellis, Lawyer, Deputy Director, Department of Public Prosecutions Sydney, AU

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Family Impact - Parents and Guardians of Shaken Baby Syndrome Victims Panel Presentation - Moderated by Martha Jabour, Executive Director, Homicide Victims Support Group (Aust) Inc., Sydney, AU

Winten Room

Family Impact - Dismissal and Chaos: Relationship Risk Factors for Shaken Babies - Kasia Kozlowska, MD, Staff Specialist, Department Psychological Medicine, The Children's Hospital at Westmead Sydney, AU

Holmes Room

Medical and Rehabilitation - Development of a Hospital Protocol for the Management of Non-Accidental Brain Injury in Children Under Three Years of Age - Martine Simons, Senior Social Worker, Mark Palmer, Child Protection Unit, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Allison Jones, Dr. Paul Tait, Child Protection Unit, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Mary-Clare Waugh, MD, Rehabilitation Paediatrician,

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7:00 - 8:30 a.m. - Registration

Grand Ballroom

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Comments

Professor Les White, Director, Sydney Children's Hospital, Sydney, AU

Marilyn Sandberg, Executive Director, The National Center on Shaken Baby Syndrome, Utah, USA

Keynote Address

A Shaken Baby Syndrome Murder Case: The Prosecution of Australian Nanny, Louise Sullivan
Det. Chief Inspector Phillip Wheeler, London Child Protection Team, London, England, Mr. Richard Whittam, Furneal Chambers, London, England, Professor Michael Alan Green, MD, Locum Consultant Paediatric Pathologist Leeds, England, Detective Matthew Kehoe, Manly Police Service, Manly, Sydney, AU

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Prevention - Never Shake a Baby: Presentation and Evaluation of the New South Wales Government Education Campaign - *Ms. Kerryn Boland, Executive Director, Business Services and Communications, New South Wales Department of Community Services (DoCS)*

Winten Room

Medical - Differential Diagnosis of Subdural Haematoma, *Kieran Moran, FRACP, Sydney Children's Hospital, Terry Donald, FRACP, Head Child Protection Unit, Women and Children's Hospital, Adelaide, South Australia, AU*

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Legal - Challenging the Defence Expert's Testimony in Shaken Baby Syndrome Cases - Rob Parrish, JD, Deputy Director, National Center on Shaken Baby Syndrome, Ogden, Utah, USA, Julie Lannen, Lawyer, Department of Public Prosecutions, Sydney, AU

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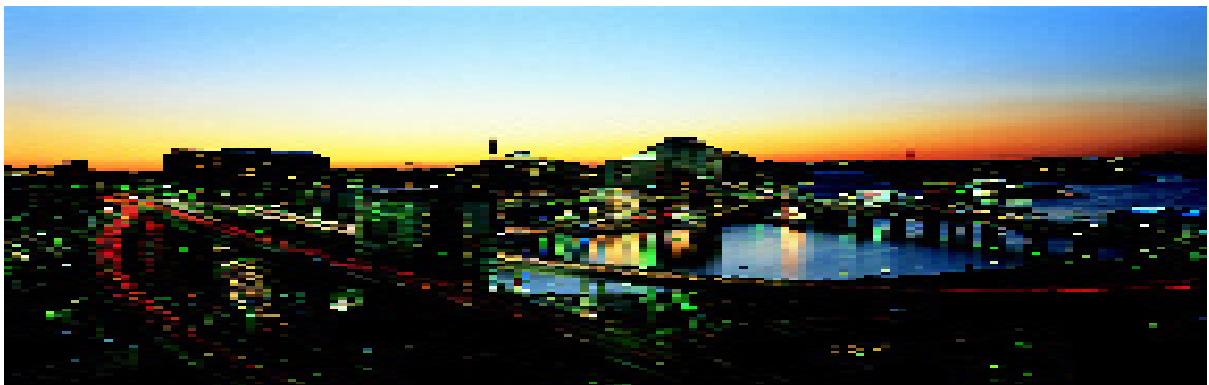
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Medical - Dealing with Alternative Medical Practitioners in Shaken Baby Court Cases - Dr. Michael Ryan, FRACP, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Associate Professor, Peter McIntyre, FRACP, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, AU



Transportation

Ansett Australia has been appointed official airline, for domestic travel, for the National Australian Conference on Shaken Baby Syndrome. Special airfares of up to a 50 percent discount off the full adult economy airfare are available to all delegates attending the conference. These airfares are subject to availability at the time of booking and will not incur cancellations fees. Alternatively, the "Best Fare of the Day" with special conditions will apply. Just call 13 13 00 and quote MC01954 for your flight to Sydney.

The Sydney Kingsford Smith Airport is a 25 minute drive from the Hotel and serves all major airlines. Rental vehicles, including sedans, sports or speciality cars, trucks, vans or mini buses, are available from major rental agencies.

Touring from North America

Airline discounts are available on Air New Zealand, Qantas or United Airlines from Swain Australia Tours. All flights to Sydney from North America depart from Los Angeles, but add on flights from most US cities can be arranged. You can earn mileage on all tickets purchased through Swain Australia Tours. Discounts are not flight or day restrictive, however they are capacity controlled to encourage lower pricing. Flights are limited, so make your plans now.

For inquiries, or to make your reservation, you may call Swain Australia Tours at 1-800-227-9246 and ask for Dale at extension 224, or email to Dale@swaintours.com. Please be sure to mention THE NATIONAL AUSTRALIAN CONFERENCE ON SHAKEN BABY SYNDROME. * IMPORTANT NOTICE: Discounts will only apply to participants attending the conference and their travel partners. Swain Australia Tours can also arrange any pre-post touring you may like to enjoy.

Parking

Parking is not included in the cost of the conference. The following is a list of options for parking for the conference. Parking costs listed are in Australian dollars.

- Key West Parking - Self parking. Address: 113 Harrington Street (directly behind Regent Hotel) Phone contact: (02) 9252 4900 Early bird parking - \$18 all day (in by 9:30 and parking until 7:00 p.m.)
- Secure Parking - Self parking. Address: 55 Harrington Street (2 min. walk from Regent Hotel, Sydney) Phone contact: (02) 9247 8747 Early bird parking - \$15 all day

- The Regent Hotel, Sydney - Valet parking. Phone contact - (02) 9238 0000 Casual rate: \$10 per hour All day rate: \$30 After 6:00 p.m.\$22/hr

- Secure Parking - Self parking. Address: 155 George Street. Phone contact: (02) 9241 2973 Early bird parking - \$15 all day (in by 9:30 and out between 4.00 - 7.00 p.m.)

Continuing Education Credit

A certificate of attendance/participation will be available to all conference attendees at the conclusion of the conference. Many professional accreditation agencies will extend continuing education if this is submitted to their respective organizations.

Medical-The Australian Medical professionals require a completion certificate to endorse they have attended all the sessions over the two days. It is up to the individual to pursue to obtain their credit points.

Lawyers - If this particular educational activity is relevant to your immediate or long term needs in relation to your professional development and practice of the law, then you should claim one "unit" for each hour of attendance, refreshment breaks not included.

Psychology-This conference has been endorsed and will attract five (5) Generalist Professional Development points for APS College members.

Social Work-This conference will be eligible for 13 AASW CPE points at 6.5 each day for attending the conference.

Exhibits

The Conference will offer vendors, supporters and other organizations the opportunity to display materials, programs, services and resources at the conference. Although space is limited, both nonprofit and commercial queries are invited. For more information, or to reserve space, email The National Center on Shaken Baby Syndrome at dontshake@mindspring.com.

To book your hotel room, please ring, post or FAX to:

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PO Box N185 Grosvenor Place, NSW, 1220 Australia
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Date of Arrival _____ Date of Departure _____ Number in Party _____

Number of Rooms _____ Name(s) of person(s) sharing accommodations _____

*Check in time 3:00 p.m., check out time 11:00 a.m.

Please check type of room requested	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Regent Club Membership \$50 (AU)	

Preferences	
<input type="checkbox"/> King bed	<input type="checkbox"/> Smoking
<input type="checkbox"/> Twin beds	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-smoking

The above rooms and rates are valid until 1 August 2001. If room category requested is not available, the nearest available category and rate will be assigned. After 1 August 2001, The Regent Sydney will accept reservations at the above rates based on availability.

A minimum of a one night deposit is required to make a reservation.

I have enclosed a cheque in the amount of _____ or please charge my:
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Rates are inclusive of the Federal Goods and Services Tax and are quoted in Australian dollars.

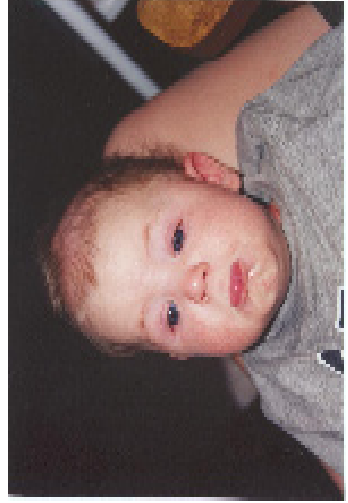
Reservations cancelled between 1 August 2001 and up until 48 hours prior to arrival will be assessed a cancellation charge equal to a one night deposit. Reservations cancelled within 48 hours of arrival will be assessed a charge equal to the entire stay. Please send reservation request form and deposit to:

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