



## 1st INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

### IS SUICIDE PREVENTABLE?



**Date:** 18 November 2014

**Venue:** Menzies Hotel, Carrington St, Sydney

#### Program Outline:

8.30 Registration for 9:00am start

9:00–10:00 **Laurence Boule:** *'Where ADR is headed in Australia now since 8 November 2013 when the (National Alternative Dispute Resolution Advisory Council to the AG's Department) was 'absorbed' into the AG's Department'*

10:00-11:00 **Peter Kinderman:** *'DSM-5 difficulties with making accurate diagnoses & how DR can assist'*

11:00-11:20 Morning tea

11:20-12:20 **Belinda Khong:** *'Personal Reflections of a Coronial Inquest on a Client's Suicide'*

12.20-1.20 **Louise Newman:** *'Working with Vulnerable Groups – prevention of self-harm and suicidal behaviour in immigration detention'*

1.20-2:10 Lunch

2:10-3:10 **Bill Hewlett:** *'Cases of Parents/Children who Suicide through Family Law difficulties. Can they be prevented?'*

3:10-4:10 **Max Harrison:** (Aboriginal Elder): *'How Best to avoid the Suicide of Young Men in Indigenous Communities'* whether in or out of custody.

4.10-5:00. Panel (Peter, Belinda, Louise, Max and Bill) Discussion topic chaired by Belinda Khong on whether a diagnosis for suicide can be made & questions.

5:00–5:15. Sum up of the day by Tony Sciberas as rapporteur.

6:15 –8:00 – Dinner at Centrepont Tower for speakers. The dinner invitation is extended to all who attend and will cost about \$70/person for all you can eat.

DRPIG Members \$220, APS Members \$260, Non-members \$290, Students \$120

**Please contact Katherine Johnson, Convener 0421 321 276 or Tony Sciberas, Co-Convener for information re registration.**