



AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATION OF MUSCULOSKELETAL MEDICINE

ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF NECK & UPPER BACK PAIN

A learning module for doctors wanting to boost their skills and confidence with patients disabled with neck and upper back pain - and the second of four modules for the Certificate in Musculoskeletal Medicine

Learn how to:

- Sharpen your diagnostic skills with more focused history taking
- Refine your physical examination skills and make sense of your findings
- Target and interpret cervical and thoracic spinal investigations.
- Make a specific diagnosis leading to effective treatment
- Do basic manual therapy and trigger point injections in your office
- Prescribe appropriate exercises and medications



The module comprises

- a prereading component of approximately 6 hours in preparation for a day-long workshop of interactive tutorials, hands on physical examination and treatment techniques with feedback and case discussions.
- a multiple-choice question test.

WHEN?	Saturday 16 November, 2019, 8.30 am – 5.00 pm
WHERE?	General Practice Training Queensland, 1/32 Billabong St, Stafford, Brisbane
TUTORS:	Dr Michael Yelland – GP & Musculoskeletal Medicine Practitioner, Brisbane - Associate Professor, School of Medicine, Griffith University Dr Geoff Harding – Musculoskeletal Medicine Practitioner, Brisbane Dr Bruce Jones - Musculoskeletal Medicine Practitioner, Brisbane Dr Ramona Chryssidis - Musculoskeletal Medicine Practitioner, Adelaide Dr Jennie Wright – GP & Musculoskeletal Medicine Practitioner, Adelaide
MODULE COST:	GPs - \$590; AAMM members - \$490; Registrars - \$390; Repeat modules - \$290
REGISTRATION:	Visit https://aamm.org.au/courses-conference/ for further details and to register or contact Kim Ramillon at aamm.cert@gmail.com or phone 0475 091 625

Allocated 40 Category 1 points (Activity Number 169425) in the RACGP QI & CPD Program

An application has been made for 30 PRPD Points for ACRRM for the 2017-2019 Triennium

The neck and upper back pain module is the second of four modules being offered by the Australian Association of Musculoskeletal Medicine leading to the award of the 'Certificate in Musculoskeletal Medicine'. These modules offered in a repeating annual cycle in Brisbane, cover the assessment and management of pain and disability in the (i) low back, (ii) neck and upper back, (iii) upper limbs and (iv) lower limbs.

The modules can be taken independently and in any order, but all four modules must be successfully completed to be awarded the certificate.