Community Care in the Digital Age – Assistive & Enabling Innovations Conference

31 October 2013

Brisbane Technology Park, 1 Clunies Ross Court, Eight Miles Plains
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Community Resourcing Worldwide (CRW) has engaged a number of leading International & National experts to highlight:

- New innovative ways of service provision
- New models of service delivery
- Reshaped and reformed workforce development
- Innovative methods of service interactions with the users of services directly.

This conference aims to bring together key service providers looking at introducing &/or implementing Assistive & Enabling Innovations into their service delivery. This exciting event will provide delegates with an opportunity to engage with leading international & national experts.

About Community Resourcing Worldwide

Community Resourcing Worldwide works in partnership to pursue excellence in the delivery of community services through advances in service, knowledge and public policy.

Established in 2008 Community Resourcing Worldwide has a track record in delivering high quality innovative solutions, resources, project management and expertise to the primary health care sector.

We have completed a range of projects which have introduced new innovative ways of service provision and new models of service delivery, reshaped and reformed workforce development and workplace delivery, and provided innovative methods of service interaction with the users of services directly.

We have a track record in delivering leading edge innovative projects funded by state or commonwealth governments, philanthropic grants or for organisations that may choose to self-fund projects. Many of these projects have been targeted at providing sustainable solutions and to enhancing viability as well as future proofing organisations.
Speakers Biographies

Dr Kevin Doughty, Co Director, Centre for Usable Home Technology (CUHTec), University of York & Newcastle University

Dr Doughty has been involved in the design, evaluation and market assessment of electronic assistive technologies, telecare, telehealth and medical informatics systems for over 20 years initially at Bangor University but subsequently through a spin-out company, Technology in Healthcare. He has been the Deputy Director of the Centre for Usable Home Technology at the University of York since it was founded in 2003 and provides a commercial focus for designers, commissioners and users of digital healthcare services.

Dr Doughty has been working with Community Resourcing Worldwide to bring world class solutions to Australian Community Care Providers.

Professor Deborah Theodoros, Co-Director of Telerehabilitation Research Unit, University of Queensland

Professor Deborah Theodoros is Professor and Head of the Division of Speech Pathology within the School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences at the University of Queensland. She is a founder and co-director of the multidisciplinary Telerehabilitation Research Unit within the School which is involved in the development and validation of telerehabilitation applications in speech pathology, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, and audiology.

Dr Lloyd Walker, (Hons); PhD(Bioeng); GCertThSt; FIIEAust CEng(Biomed) GAICD Director and Partner, Tech4Life

Dr Walker’s focus as a professional rehabilitation engineer is empowering people with disabilities and older people through technology.

He has been actively involved in most aspects of the AT sector nationally and internationally for over 20 years. In 2012, Dr Walker lead the team responsible for developing ARATA’s background documents and Policy Statement on “AT and the NDIS,” and has completed three projects for the NDIS (now DisabilityCare) in 2013.

He continues to Chair the Assistive Technology Products Committee of Standards Australia and two of the ISO wheelchair groups.

Professor Elizabeth Beattie, Director, Dementia Collaborative Research Centre, Queensland University of Technology

Professor Elizabeth Beattie is Director of the Dementia Collaborative Research Centre - Carers and Consumers and Professor of Aged and Dementia Care in the School of Nursing at Queensland University of Technology (QUT).

Her primary research interests lie in the area of prevention of negative functional outcomes of behavioural issues in dementia, and she is currently contributing to the development of robust interventions to improve the quality of life of people with dementia and those who care for them.
Speakers Biographies continued....

Dr. Mohanraj Karunanithi, Research Team Leader, The Australian EHealth Research Centre, CSIRO

Dr. Mohanraj Karunanithi obtained a BE in Mechanical Engineering at the University of NSW (UNSW) and has completed a PhD degree on Ventricular Mechanics, in which one of the highlights was the development of a Non-invasive Index of Left Ventricular Performance.

He joined CSIRO as a Project Leader in 2004 and is currently a Research Team Leader. Dr. Karunanithi leads the research work that focuses on applying information communication technologies in enabling personal monitoring for ongoing care for chronic diseases and aged care. His area also focuses on the mobile-health technologies to enable design of home care models for chronic disease management, such as the Care Assessment Platform and testing them through clinical trials.

Sue Field, NSW Trustee and Guardian Fellow in Elder Law from the School of Law, University of Western Sydney

Sue Field is the inaugural NSW Trustee and Guardian Fellow in Elder Law at the University of Western Sydney. Sue’s work involves consultancies, research, education and training in the emerging specialty of Elder Law.

Sue is a former ministerial appointment to the NSW Ministerial Advisory Committee on Ageing, a member of the Management Committee of The Aged care Rights Service (TARS), an Affiliated Faculty Member at the Centre for Elder Justice and Policy at William Mitchell School of Law and a Distinguished Fellow of the Canadian Centre for Elder Law.

Dr. Phil Vardy, Board Member Nundah Activity Centre

Phil Vardy holds a PhD in biology and a JD in law. He spent most of his working life in research and academia. In the 1990s, he founded Sailability to contest the Sydney-Hobart yacht race. He then became National Chairman and National Coordinator of Sailability, Australia’s disabled sailing program.

He retired to serve as Vice President of the International Foundation for Disabled Sailing. He was responsible for the entire sport of sailing at the Beijing Paralympic Games in 2008.

Phil is a new member of the board of the Nundah Activity Centre.

Don Rudd, General Manager Nundah Activity Centre

Don Rudd has an Honours degree in Agricultural Science/Economics and a post-graduate qualification in Information Technology.

His professional career has straddled research, systems development, advocacy and management in various Australian and international agricultural industries. In recent years, he has managed a community association in Brisbane providing activities and services for seniors where he has pursued his passion for promoting healthy ageing and harnessing the enormous potential of digital technology to improve people’s lives.

Julie Ivanow, Executive Care Manager Feros Care

Julie Ivanow is an Executive Care Manager at Feros Care where she has worked for the past 5 years. Julie is a registered nurse with 10 years aged care experience.

Julie has a passion for community care and is currently one of the clinicians involved in Feros Care’s NBN Enabled Telehealth pilot in Coffs Harbour.
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