

Walk21 Sydney Pre-Conference Forum

Children's Mobility Networking & Knowledge Exchange



This half-day pre-conference session is intended for those who work in the field of active and sustainable travel for children and youth.

Participants will hear how the 2014 International Report Card of physical activity highlighted low levels of physical activity for children and youth in many developed and developing countries. Speakers will address how active travel to school not only provides an opportunity to increase youth levels of physical activity but also a foundation for future behaviour change for the entire population. Successful active travel to school strategic initiatives and programs from around the world will be presented and participants encouraged to share their own experiences.

The session is an opportunity to learn what others are doing through the sharing of best and promising practices, to discuss common barriers and brainstorm solutions, and to network with each other.

When: Monday 20th October 2014

Where: Conference Room, Ministry of Health, 73 Miller Street, North Sydney, 2060.

Time: 10:00am—2:00pm

Cost: \$50 Walk21 delegates, \$75 non-Walk21 delegates. (Places limited)

Register at www.walk21sydney.com
(Agenda over the page)

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AGENDA

10:00am	Welcome and introductions, objectives of the day <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcome and introductions• Update from Munich• International Report Card and other 2015 developments	Jacky Kennedy
10:30am	International Report Card in Australia <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Physical activity levels of Australian children• Active Travel Report Card results	Sheree Hughes
10:45am	Active travel to school from around the world <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What works and what doesn't around the world• Safer routes to school• Case Study: Beat the Street	Veronica Reynolds
11:15am	NSW Active Travel Charter for Children <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Why a NSW Charter• Partners• What's involved	Chris Rissel
11:45am	Break and networking	
12:30pm	Implementing a NSW Active Travel Charter for Children <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Group work to address implementation of Active Transport Charter• Stakeholders, challenges, solutions	Chris Rissel
1:30pm	Report back	Jacky Kennedy
1:45pm	Making it happen	Chris Rissel and Jacky Kennedy
2:00pm	Workshop close	



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