



# WA Chapter Bi-monthly e-Newsletter – December 2011, Issue 13

### Editor's Blog



Welcome to our final 2011 newsletter. As you will be aware, a few of us have been working on some ideas to entice individuals to join our network and keep our current members happy. In this edition, you will see some of our plans are starting to take shape. We welcome your comments and ideas, so please feel free to contact myself or Jane with suggestions on what you'd like to see from our network. Together we can make it a worthwhile investment.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful Christmas and a very happy New Year.

**Mircalla Kolinac**

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### ANNOUNCEMENT – AAQHC, Launching into 2012!

Come and sample a taste of how we plan to Rocket into 2012 at our exciting WA Chapter Relaunch session.

**Do you want to improve your personal and professional relationships by understanding individual personality types?**

- **Where: Hollywood Hospital**
- **When: 16<sup>th</sup> February 2012**
- **Time: 1500 hours**
- **What: Myer Briggs Education Session plus drinks, nibbles and networking**
- **Cost: Free to members, \$10 for non-members**

**Enter our exciting competition to win one year free AAQHC membership!**

**Registration details will follow shortly.**

### Local News – WA 2012 Education Programme

So far, we have secured the following speakers for our WA 2012 programme:

- Myers Briggs – Anne Green, Regional Training and Development Manager at Hollywood Hospital
- Lean Thinking – Sandy Thomson and Joan Sheppard, Governance Plus
- Adaptive Leadership – Dorothy Jones, Executive Director at the WA Health Department
- Mentor-Mentee Programme – Deborah Pearson, Group Manager Learning & Development at St John of God
- Social Media – Cynthia Chew, Coordinator Web Development at the Department of Health

### Message from the WA Chapter Representative



I would like to advise of some additional benefits that will soon be available to AAQHC members; access to the Health Review Journal from the AHHA, online discussion forums, monthly meetings and of course, our fantastic education opportunities.

Our recent working party meetings have been exciting and we are determined to improve our services. As a first step, we have renamed ourselves as the *WA Chapter*. At our February Relaunch, we will have a competition to decide our *slogan* which will capture who we are and what we want to achieve.

I hope to see more of you in 2012. Merry Christmas everyone!

**Jane Newcomb**

### Who's Who in the Zoo?

We would like to welcome our new members:

- 🌿 **Kristina Medigovich, Pru Andrus and Jacqueline Hills from Murdoch University**
- 🌿 **Wendy Candy from Ramsay Health**

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