



## Chatswood Private Hospital Celebrates International Nurses Day



Chatswood Private Hospital recently celebrated International Nurses Day with the help of the [Australian College of Nursing](#). Our nursing staff were treated to a well-earned morning tea as a token of thanks for all of their hard work.

International Nurses day commemorates the birthday of the famous nurse, Florence Nightengale and is celebrated every year on May the 12th. It is a day where we show our appreciation to all the hard work that our nurses do to make us feel comfortable and safe on our hospital journeys.

We really cannot mention how much we value our nursing staff and hope that this breakfast shows a small token of our gratitude.

# Chatswood Private Hospital Jul-EYE Seminar



Chatswood Private Hospital is proud to announce that it will once again be hosting an educational GP dinner to coincide with RANZCO's Jul-EYE month.

**13 July 2017, 6:30pm**

**Chatswood Private Hospital Suite 1, 38B Albert Avenue**

## **Program:**

- [Dr Dana Robaei](#) – *“Champagne corks and fishing hooks: How to manage trauma”*
- [Dr Inderjit Singh](#) – *“Aberrations of vision in the ageing eye”*
- [Dr John Downie](#) – *“Retinal vascular disease: relevant?”*
- [Dr Derek Chan](#) – *“Should I prescribe steroids”*
- [Dr Dov Hersh](#) – *“A potpourri of periocular lesions”*
- [Dr Thomas Woo](#) – *“How to approach a non-resolving red eye”*

GPs will be invited to take a tour of the hospital before listening to a series of educational talks over a three course meal. GPs will be able to apply for **4 RACGP CPD points** (self-directed category 2 unaccredited).

If you have any enquiries, feel free to contact our Corporate Services Officer: Jeffrey Yang at [jyang@presmed.com.au](mailto:jyang@presmed.com.au) or (02) 8507 6846.



# Successful Optometry Conference

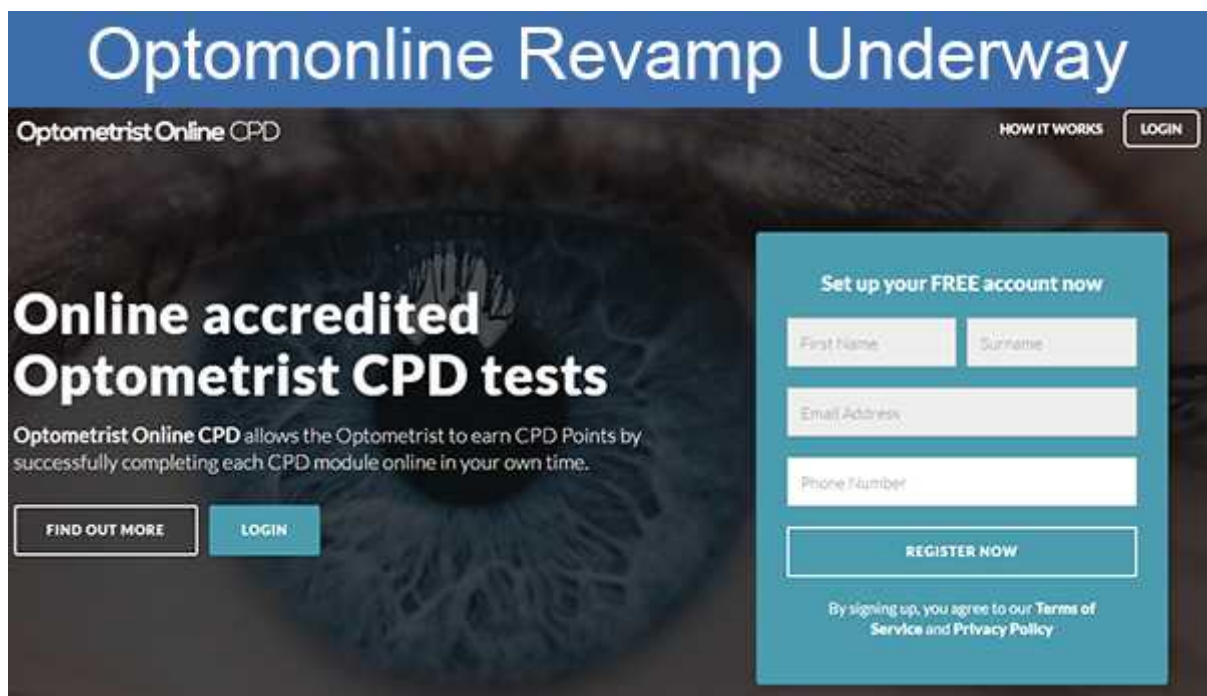


Our Sydney facilities, [Chatswood Private Hospital](#) and [Epping Surgery Centre](#) recently held an extremely successful Optometrist Conference on 2 April 2017. We had 138 Optometrists attend and 11 Sponsors, 15 staff and 26 Presenters making a total of 191 attendees. We are extremely proud to see this increase in attendance and look forward to this trend continuing in future events.

We would like to thank our presenters, our sponsors and of course all of the optometrists in attendance for helping make the event a huge success. Attendee feedback was overwhelmingly positive and we already have more educational events planned for the year.

## Our sponsors





Keep watching [this space](#) to see when the new and improved Optomonline goes live.

Optomonline opened in 2009 as a convenient way for Optometrists to complete their CPD training online. Since then, it has provided CPD training to over 1,600 Optometrists with new modules released on a monthly basis.

The new site will have a sleeker aesthetic and better viewing on mobile platforms. A new classifieds section will also provide a robust marketplace for optometrists to hire staff and buy new equipment.

As mentioned in our previous newsletter, we are revamping our site: Optomonline, in order to better meet the needs of the optometrist community. Progress has been steady and we are close to releasing a finalised product.

# Featured Doctors

**Dr Brian Chua**



[Dr Brian Chua's](#) sub-speciality is in glaucoma research and therapy, as well as cataract surgery. He commenced his internship and residency at Royal North Shore Hospital before starting Ophthalmology training through the Sydney Eye Hospital. After completing his ophthalmic training at the Sydney Eye Hospital, Dr Chua undertook further Fellowship training to Sub-Specialise in Glaucoma at the Royal Victorian Eye and Ear Hospital in Melbourne before returning to Sydney to continue his clinical and research commitments.

He is a VMO at St Vincent's and Macquarie University Hospital, and a staff specialist at the glaucoma unit at Sydney Eye Hospital and has consulting rooms in Gordon.

**Dr Bill Johnston**



[Dr Johnston](#) graduated MB BS from the University of NSW in 1991, and completed his internship at Royal North Shore Hospital. He then undertook his ENT Surgical training at Gosford District Hospital, Westmead Hospital, Concord Repatriation Hospital, and Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, and completed in 2000. He obtained his Rhinology Fellowship in Sydney, and commenced at the ENT Day Surgery in 2001.

Since 2001 Dr Johnston has been in private and public practice, based at Hornsby. He is currently a Visiting Medical Officer at Concord Repatriation Hospital, Hornsby Hospital, Sydney Adventist Hospital and the Chatswood Private Hospital. His interests have been in the treatment and management of Paediatric ENT problems.