CONFERENCE TOPICS

- The current status of children’s health and health services in rural and remote Australia
- Consumer, family and carer panel session
- Innovations and approaches that work; and the role of technology
- Meeting the needs and improving the health and wellbeing of Indigenous children
- The workforce needed to care for country kids

PRECONFERENCE EVENTS

- Standing up for rural kids: giving a voice to the needs of rural children
- Therapeutic Play Skills
- Managing bronchiolitis in rural and remote areas
- Early diagnosis of developmental issues for children in rural and remote areas

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

MEGAN MITCHELL  Children’s Commissioner, Australian Human Rights Commission
A human rights approach to the wellbeing of country children

FRANK OBERKLAID  Director, Centre for Community Child Health
News from the Australian Early Developmental Index

DIANNE JACKSON  CEO, Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth
Ensuring wellbeing for children in rural and remote areas

MICHAEL WILLIAMS  Director, Child and Adolescent Health, Mackay Hospital and Health Service
Telehealth: ‘right care, right time, right place’

Delegates will produce a set of priority recommendations to improve the health and wellbeing of rural and remote children.