

The Sutherland Hospital Cognitive Rehabilitation Committee are excited to bring to Australia for the first time – Brain Tree Training UK



Two Day Cognitive Rehabilitation Workshop and One Day How to do Cognitive Rehabilitation

November 2018



Overview

The Sutherland Hospital (TSH) Cognitive Rehabilitation Committee are pleased to facilitate an invaluable learning opportunity presented by Mr. Kit Malia and Ms. Anne Brannagan of Brain Tree Training UK. The courses are designed for clinicians working with adults who are living with cognitive impairment. This may include adults living with traumatic brain injury, strokes, progressive neurological diseases, learning disabilities and infectious diseases, for example, meningitis.

“Completely practice changing” Dr. Lucy Ramon (Rehabilitation Physician)

Venue:

St George Hospital Research and Education Centre
4-10 South Street
Kogarah, Sydney, NSW, Australia

Date and Time:

Two day interactive workshop -

9am – 5pm

Monday, 5 and Tuesday, 6 November 2018

OR

9am – 5pm

Thursday, 8 and Friday, 9 November 2018

One day practical workshop -

9am – 5pm Wednesday, 7 November 2018

Cost:

Cost includes workshop manual, morning and afternoon tea and certificate. Prices are GST inclusive.

SESSIONS	EARLYBIRD Bookings by 29 th June	Bookings after 29 th June
2 day workshop	\$350	\$370
1 day workshop	\$175	\$195
2 day workshop PLUS 1 day workshop	\$520	\$540

Register by Friday, 29 June 2018 for earlybird discount at <https://www.trybooking.com/354610>

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Audience:

This event is aimed at health professionals who work with adults who have cognitive impairments or are interested in this area of practice.

Aims:

The two day workshop aims to extend skills and knowledge about cognitive rehabilitation therapy; introduce materials that can be used to develop cognitive skills; to provide practical activities to use with clients/patients. The one day workshop aims to be interactive with a focus on teaching therapists how to design, develop, and implement a comprehensive cognitive rehabilitation programme.



<http://www.braintreetraining.co.uk>

The Brain Tree Trainers

Mr Kit Malia BED, MPhil, CPCRT, was the first Certificated Cognitive Rehabilitation Therapist in the UK (via the Society for Cognitive Rehabilitation, USA), with a research degree in



Neuropsychology. He initially trained as a teacher for people with learning disabilities and, following 6 years of teaching, spent three decades working as a cognitive rehabilitation therapist with adults who have acquired neurological injuries, at one of the largest brain injury rehabilitation units in the UK: The Defence Medical Rehabilitation Centre, Headley Court. His last role was Project Officer for the mild Traumatic Brain Injury Programme at Headley Court where he was responsible for managing the delivery, by the multi-disciplinary team, of the specialised programme he designed and produced. He has published scientific papers on cognitive and psychosocial rehabilitation, and clinical standards in brain injury rehabilitation. Mr Malia has lectured at various conferences in Canada, USA, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, The Netherlands, Belgium, Slovenia, Spain, New Zealand, Australia, Saudi Arabia and the UK. He currently works with Anne Brannagan within Brain Tree Training as a developer and course provider, and is the Director of Life Tree Training (lifetreetraining.co.uk) - a company focused on maintaining healthy, purposeful life.

Anne Brannagan OBE, DIPCOT, MSc, qualified as an Occupational Therapist in 1988 from the London school. She did a two year orthopaedic rotation before specialising in Neurorehabilitation at the Defence Services Rehabilitation Centre Headley Court. She gained a research master's degree



with distinction from Kings College in 1993. Ms Brannagan is particularly interested in the cognitive and executive sequelae of acquired brain injury. She runs workshops with Kit Malia, training both professionals working in the field and carers of brain injured individuals around the country. In addition, she has lectured on cognition at conferences in the UK, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Spain, The Netherlands, Canada, New Zealand, Slovenia, Belgium, Australia and the USA. Ms Brannagan has developed a number of rehabilitation activities, including a practical approach to the assessment of executive problems (The Brannagan Executive Functions Assessment) following brain injury and cognitive/psychosocial groups. Her current roles are Neurological Team Manager & Complex Trauma Oversight Manager at Headley Court where she is responsible for managing the two multi-disciplinary teams. She was awarded the OBE in January 2010 for services provided to rehabilitation.

"The most efficient two days of learning I have ever done!" Dr. Lucy Ramon



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