



THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, AGED CARE AND SPORT**

**Inquiry into Diabetes**

**PUBLIC HEARING**  
**Thursday 7 March 2024**

**Dining Room**  
**Parliament House, 15 Mitchell Street, Darwin**

Time	Witness
8.45 am	<b>Northern Territory Primary Health Network</b> Dr Roxane Craig, Royal Darwin and Palmerston Hospital General Practice Liaison Ms Michelle Pollard, Health Workforce Access Team Lead Mrs Lisa Sparrow, Health Strategy and Planning Manager Mrs Gillian Yearsley, Chief Executive Officer
9.30 am	<b>Aboriginal Medical Services Alliance NT (AMSANT) (Submission 415)</b> Dr Ruwani Peiris, Public Health Registrar
10.15 am	<b>BREAK</b>
10.30 am	<b>Diabetes across the Lifecourse Partnership (Submission 66)</b> Mrs Sian Lee Graham, Senior Researcher and Chair, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Advisory Group, Menzies School of Health Research Dr Matthew Hare, Senior Research Fellow, Menzies School of Health Research Professor Louise Maple-Brown, Deputy Director of Research, Menzies School of Health Research
11.15 am	<b>Menzies School for Health Research</b> Professor Alan Cass, Director Mrs Sian Lee Graham, Senior Researcher and Chair, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Advisory Group Dr Matthew Hare, Senior Research Fellow Professor Louise Maple-Brown, Deputy Director of Research
12.00 pm	<b>BREAK</b>
12.45 pm	<b>Royal Darwin Hospital - Endocrinologists (Submission 294)</b> Dr Diana MacKay, Endocrinologist and Clinical Lead Dr Anna Wood, Head of Endocrinology, Department of Endocrinology
1.30 pm	<b>Royal Darwin Hospital - Diabetes educators &amp; dietitian (Submission 294)</b> Miss Sumaria Mary Corpus, Aboriginal Health Practitioner and Diabetes Educator Mrs Elizabeth Watkins, Clinical Nurse Manager and Diabetes Educator
2.15 pm	<b>BREAK</b>

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2.30 pm	<b>Northern Territory (NT) Health</b> ( <i>Submission 161</i> ) Dr Elna Ellis, Head of Endocrinology, Alice Springs Hospital; and Chair, Northern Territory Diabetes Clinical Network Professor Louise Maple-Brown, Deputy Director of Research, Menzies School of Health Research Dagmar Schmitt, Director, Preventive Health Strategy
3.15 pm	<b>Professor Julie Brimblecombe, Professor, Public Health Nutrition, Department of Nutrition Dietetics and Food, Monash University</b>
4.00 pm	<b>Miss Edwina Murphy, Participant, Youth Diabetes Peer Support Group, Wurli-Wurlinjang Health Service [by video link]</b> Dr Michelle Scerri, Clinical Lead, Women's and Children's Program, Wurli-Wurlinjang Health Service [by video link] Dr Angela Titmuss, Paediatric Endocrinologist, Royal Darwin Hospital; and Senior Research Fellow, Diabetes across the Lifecourse: Northern Australia Partnership, Menzies School of Health Research
4.45 pm	<b>Ms Laura Baddeley, Nutrition Manager, Arnhem Land Progress Aboriginal Corporation</b>
5.30 pm	<b>CLOSE</b>