RIGHT TO FOOD COALITION PUTTING FOOD ON THE TABLE CONFERENCE

13 - 14 OCTOBER 2014

PROGRAM

MONDAY 13 OCTOBER								
START	FINISH	Location: Theatre						
08.30	09:00	Registration						
09:00	09:20	Acknowledgement to Country Uncle Stephen Williams						
		Conference welcome and acknowledgement of sponsors Master of Ceremonies: Peter Sainsbury, Director of Population Health, South Western Sydney Local Health District						
		Mayoral opening Ned Mannoun, Mayor of Liverpool City Sponsor message Trina Soulos, Regional & Community Engagement Coordinator, Settlement Services International						
09:20	10:15	Hunger in Developed Countries: Why It Exists and How We Can End It Joel Berg, New York City Coalition Against Hunger						
10:15	10:45	Food Security as a Social Determinant Martin Laverty, Social Determinants of Health Alliance						
10:45	11:10	MORNING TEA						
11:10	11:35	Food Security - An Aboriginal Perspective Karen Beetson, Tharawal Aboriginal Corporation						
11:35	12:00	Nourishing Our Country Ronni Kahn, OzHarvest						
12:00	12:15	Panel and plenary discussion						
12:15	13.15	LUNCH AND POSTER / MULTIMEDIA PRESENTATIONS						
Conc	urrent	Governance Solutions	Community Solutions	Communication Solutions	Population Solutions	Workshops		
Presen	tations	Location: Theatre	Location: Performance Space	Location: Marquee 1	Location: Artists Studio	Location: Marquee 2		
13:15	13:40	Is food banking a solution to food poverty? Brigit Busicchia, Sydney Food Fairness Alliance	Using most significant change to tell the story of how a social enterprise was developed Alison Ward, Dept. of Health and Human Services (Tasmania)	Are low to medium income households running out of food? Trends from the Victorian Population Health Survey 2006-10 Sue Kleve, Monash University	The association between obesity, pension income and food insecurity over 10 years in older adults Joanna Russell, University of Wollongong	Food security and food relief – Working together to inspire change		
13:40	14:05	Food security: The role of not-for-profit & community sector organisations in Sydney Bob Fagan, Macquarie University	Developing social enterprise skills in the community Robert Mulas, Fairfield High School	Measuring food affordability in the City of Sydney Jenni Downes, University of Technology Sydney	FOODcents: Responding to homelessness in Wagga Nadine Whalan, Australian Red Cross	Kelly Smith and Rebecca Lindberg SecondBite		

Gardens World Café - A social						
y capacity enterprise to address food security among refugee FoodSwell Limited women and families Chuladej Dejrangsi, STARTTS						
AFTERNOON TEA						
Lessons learnt in initiating						
a vision for a community supported food system in the university setting Angela Cleary, University of Sunshine Coast a vision for a community supported food system in the university setting Choosing the best options to address food						
The Youth Food Movement Promoting Food Literacy in Greater Western Sydney Damien Balzer, University of Western Sydney Insecurity Sue Gordon and Alice Wood Macarthur Diversity						
the community the's Fresh Nutrition utritious Food Pollyemma Antees, Far West NSW Medicare Local Services Initiative / South Western Sydney Local Health District						
Wrap up and close						
Conference dinner						

TUESD	TUESDAY 14 OCTOBER				
START	FINISH	Location: Theatre			
08:30	08:45	Registration			
08:45	09:00	Recap from previous day Master of Ceremonies: Peter Sainsbury, Director of Population Health, South Western Sydney Local Health District			
09:00	09:25	How to Organise a Food Policy that Works David Adams, University of Tasmania			
09:25	09:50	Jamie's Ministry of Food – Inspiring Communities Catherine Harding, The Good Foundation			
09:50	10:15	Fuelled by Foodbank: A Large Scale Solution to a Large Scale Problem Jason Hincks, Foodbank Australia			
10:15	10:25	Panel and plenary discussion			
10:25	10:50	MORNING TEA			

Concurrent Presentations		Governance Solutions	Community Solutions	Communication Solutions	Population Solutions	Workshops	
		Location: Theatre	Location: Performance Space	Location: Marquee 1	Location: Artists Studio	Location: Marquee 2	
10:50	11:15	Food for All Tasmanians: What happens when the policy settings are right Leah Galvin, Heart Foundation Tasmania	Building food security – One backyard at a time Greg Meyers, Permaculture Sydney West Inc.	How do we identify if a client is food insecure? Lynette Saville University of Tasmania	Holistic approach to nutrition – Tackling food insecurity in an urban Aboriginal community Sophia Malie, Tharawal Aboriginal Corporation	Advocacy Workshop	
11:15	11:40	Building a Healthy Food For All Strategy by partnering with government, non- government and business corporates Rex Milligan, Foodbank WA	More than just a pantry David Ould, Break The Cycle Glenquarie Anglican Church	Educating a new generation of food producers Michelle Carrick, Seed Harvest Spoon	Psychological distress associated with diet among Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians in the NSW 45+ study cohort Chris Lawrence, University of Sydney	Sarah Ludowici Public Interest Advocacy Centre This workshop will look at what is advocacy	
11:40	12:05	Contested Landscapes - Fresh Food production Peri-Urban and Coastal Alluvial Plains Landscape Ian Sinclair, Edge Land Planning and University of Sydney	The Bungarribee Community Garden Project – Working with land developers to create a learning space for culturally diverse residents Victoria Walker, Blacktown City Council	Intergenerational Food Literacy Steven Fleischmann, Mamre House	Accident or design: Assessing projected food security and well-being impacts for at-risk populations in Sydney's South West in the ending `Age of Entitlement' Simon Emsley, Fairfield Migrant Resource Centre	and explore the potential issues and vision of the Right to Food Coalition. Participants will be introduced to the advocacy tool kit and essential strategies and get hands on	
12:05	12:30	Utilising systems thinking to improve access to nutritious food Julia McCartan, Monash University	Community gardens as part of the solution: challenges and solutions for food insecure communities Phil Pettitt, Royal Botanic Gardens and Domain Trust	Investigating a competency framework: consideration for quality and capacity building with food literacy facilitators Giovina Rocconi, Australian Red Cross	Listening to families in south west Sydney: Food security is the key concern Faye Southcombe, South Western Sydney Local Health District	experience in beginning to form a campaign	
12:30	13:30	LUNCH AND POSTER / MULTIMEDIA PR	ESENTATIONS				
13:30	13:55	Local government legal structures to build community resilience to food insecurity Liesel Spencer, University of Western Sydney	Healthy lifestyle and obesity prevention starts with breakfast Benjamin Chahola (Issam), South Western Sydney Local Health District	Taste Tours – enjoying food to earn and learn about eating on a budget Lesley Unsworth, The Benevolent Society	Refugees – vulnerable and food insecure Eloise Le Compte, NSW Refugee Health Service	Thinking outside the square: What can business, philanthropy and social enterprise offer for food security?	
13:55	14:20	Integrating food security into the local government agenda: Exploring the experiences of two councils in Western Sydney Amy Lawton and Dany Ya Blacktown City Council / Liverpool City Council	What hinders and what helps – funding and its impact on local food security programs Jess Mutton and Caitlin Evans, Australian Red Cross	Supporting Creative Solutions Sue Gordon and Nerida Deane Macarthur Diversity Services Initiative / South Western Sydney Local Health District	Ordinary people, extraordinary circumstances – addressing food security among vulnerable asylum seekers Helen Barnard, Australian Red Cross	Cathy Quinn The Benevolent Society	
14.20	14:45	AFTERNOON TEA					
14:45	15:45	Food Security - It's in your hands: ACTION PLAN (Location: Theatre)					
15:45	16:00	Conference recommendations and close					

