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Address to the National Press Club

A Year of Nothing: Why Australian Governments need to respond to the social determinants of health

Wednesday 20 August 2014

National Press Club of Australia, 16 National Circuit, Barton ACT

Arrive from 11.30am, lunch 12 noon, speakers 12.30pm, concludes 1.45pm

On 20 March 2013, the Senate Standing Committee on Community Affairs tabled its inquiry report into Australia's domestic response to the World Health Organization's (WHO) Commission on Social Determinants of Health report 'Closing the gap within a generation'. More than a year on from the release of the inquiry report, no action has been taken to address the recommendations. The evidence-based recommendations from the WHO's Commission on the Social Determinants of Health Report have reaped benefits around the world, but we have yet to see Australian governments commit to their implementation.

Three renowned speakers will provide their unique perspectives on why Australian Governments need to respond to the social determinants of health.

Speakers

Martin Lavery

Chair of the Social Determinants of Health Alliance and Chief Executive Officer of Catholic Health Australia

Dr Tom Calma AO

Chancellor of the University of Canberra

Kate Carnell AO

Chief Executive Officer, Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry

BOOKING DETAILS:

Tickets are \$79 per person - or \$790 for a table of ten – and should be booked online at:
<http://www.npc.org.au/speakers/social-determinants-of-health-forum.html>

Tickets should be booked online by Monday 18 August 2014.

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