

# Registration Form

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I wish to register for: (please tick)

- Post Traumatic Amnesia (PTA) \$66
  - Alcohol- Related Brain Damage (ARBD) \$88
  - Sexuality after traumatic brain injury \$88
- (Workshop costs include GST) **Total cost \$** \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Method:

Cheque to Brain Injury Rehabilitation Unit – 207911

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## Grahame Simpson MA (Counselling)

Social Work Team Leader in the Brain Injury Rehabilitation Unit. He has specialised in the area of sexuality for the past 10 years, recently producing the 'You and Me' Sex Education program and booklets for people with TBI. He has trained over 300 brain injury/disability workers in sexuality workshops in Queensland, NSW, Victoria and New Zealand.

## Maggie McFadyen B. Social Work

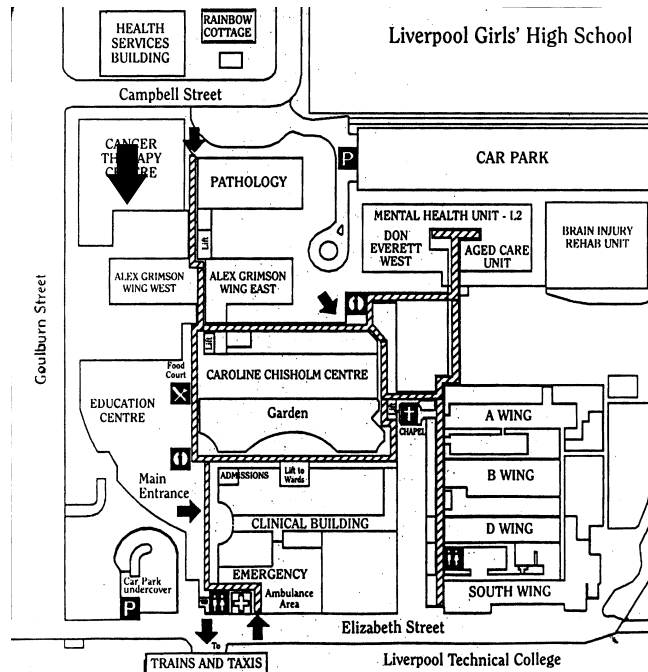
Senior community social worker in the Liverpool Brain Injury Rehabilitation Unit. Maggie has worked with people affected by ARBD and their families in psychiatric, specialist assessment, community and rehabilitation units over the past 20 years. She has consulted extensively in the field, has co-authored a booklet on ARBD and was involved in the production of a film on the subject.

## Anne Pfaff MA (Honours) Psychology

Program Coordinator and psychologist at the Brain Injury Rehabilitation Unit for the past 17 years. Anne's Masters research was on the area of PTA and she has researched and published in this area for the past 10 years.

## Allison Cassidy RN

Clinical Nurse Educator at the BIRU. Allison trained in England in the neurosciences and has continued to work in the field of acute brain injury management since she moved to Australia.



Parking is available at the hospital for a maximum of \$11.00.

Brain Injury Rehabilitation Unit  
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# Professional Training 2002

For workers in  
 traumatic brain injury

Post Traumatic Amnesia  
 June 28th

Alcohol-Related Brain Damage  
 July 19th

Sexuality after Traumatic Brain Injury  
 September 13th



Thomas and Rachel Moore Education Centre  
 Liverpool Health Service

## Assessment and Management of Post Traumatic Amnesia (PTA)

9:30am - 1:00pm 28th June

Anne Pfaff and Alison Cassidy

### You will learn about:

- ❖ Current knowledge about the nature of Post Traumatic Amnesia (PTA)
- ❖ Reasons for the management of PTA
- ❖ How to administer measures of PTA
- ❖ Behavioural and environmental strategies to manage people in PTA
- ❖ Suitable medications for the management of PTA
- ❖ How to predict the duration of PTA

### Workshop Program

**9:30** Introduction to PTA/Current knowledge about PTA  
**10:15** Administration of PTA measures  
**11:00** MORNING TEA  
**11:15** Management - Behavioural and environmental strategies  
**12:00** Management - Medication  
**12:45** Prediction of duration of PTA  
**1:00** Evaluation and close

### Who can attend?

Multi-disciplinary staff working in Intensive Care Units, acute neurology wards and rehabilitation services.

Cost: \$66

Closing date for registration:  
Tuesday 5:00 p.m. 25th June

## Introduction to Alcohol Related Brain Damage (ARBD)

10:00am - 4:30pm 19th July

Maggie McFadyen

### You will learn about:

- ❖ Practical information and strategies for working with people affected by ARBD
- ❖ Aspects of ARBD that make it a problem for individuals, their families and workers
- ❖ Factors that can make assessment difficult
- ❖ The importance of the family, significant others and the environment
- ❖ Possible intervention strategies
- ❖ Applying these strategies using examples from practice

### Workshop Program

**9:30** Introduction:  
The use of alcohol, brain injury and ARBD  
**10:30** Assessment: Why it is not perfect & factors that can be considered  
**11:00** MORNING TEA  
**11:30** The importance of the family and significant others  
**12:00** Pulling ideas together:  
How to make sense of working with ARBD  
**1:00** LUNCH  
**2:00** Intervention strategies  
**3:00** Applying strategies to participants' case examples  
**3:45** Final questions & evaluation  
**4:00** Close

### Who can attend?

Workers in the alcohol and other drug field. Multi-disciplinary staff working with people with TBI who are located in rehabilitation services, community brain injury programs, accommodation support services, counselling services, private practice, employment agencies and respite services.

Cost: \$88

Closing date for registration:  
Tuesday 5:00 p.m. 16<sup>th</sup> July

## Sexuality after Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI)

10:00am - 4:30pm 13th September

Grahame Simpson

### You will learn about:

- ❖ Current knowledge about the impact of TBI on sexuality
- ❖ PLISSIT model of sexual counselling
- ❖ How to increase levels of comfort and skills in addressing sexuality issues with clients
- ❖ A systematic method of assessing couple sexual issues
- ❖ A range of sexual issues confronting people with TBI and about some of the possible strategies & interventions
- ❖ Applying these strategies using examples from practice

### Workshop Program

**9:00** Overview of sexuality after TBI  
**9:45** An introduction to the PLISSIT model  
10:30 Morning Tea  
**11:00** Interviewing about sexuality issues  
**12:00** Issues for couples when one partner sustains a brain injury  
**12:40** LUNCH  
**1:20** Treatment options for people with brain injury  
**3:15** AFTERNOON TEA  
**3:30** Treatment options (continued)  
4:15 Case study exercise  
**4:45** Final questions, Evaluation  
**5:00** Close

### Who can attend?

Multi-disciplinary staff working with people with TBI located in rehabilitation services, community brain injury programs, accommodation support services, counselling services, private practice, employment agencies and respite services.

Cost: \$88

Closing date for registration:  
Tuesday 5:00 p.m. 9<sup>th</sup> September