



THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, AGED CARE AND SPORT

Inquiry into approval processes for new drugs and novel medical technologies in Australia

**PUBLIC HEARING
Friday 23 April 2021**

**Flinders Room
Mantra on Russell, 222 Russell Street, Melbourne**

Time	Witness
9.00 am	<p>Roundtable - Pharma: UCB Australia Ms Selina Clifford, Head of Neurology & Country Lead</p> <p>Gilead Sciences Ms Jaime McCoy, General Manager</p> <p>Bristol-Myers Squibb Mr Neil MacGregor, Managing Director</p>
10.00 am	<p>Research/Industry: Monash Institute of Medical Engineering (MIME) Prof John Forsythe, Co-Director Prof Helena Teede, Co-Director</p> <p>Research Australia Mr Greg Mullins, Head of Policy</p>
11.00 am	Break
11.15 am	<p>Roundtable - Clinical trials: Melbourne Academic Centre for Health (MACH) Prof Andrew Davidson, Medical Director, Melbourne Children's Trials Centre and Chair Clinical Trials Committee</p> <p>University of Melbourne (member of MACH) Dr Heather St John, Director, Research and Enterprise Development; Research, Innovation and Commercialisation</p> <p>Melbourne's Children's Campus Prof Andrew Davidson, Medical Director, Melbourne Children's Trials Centre</p> <p>White Coats Foundation Mrs Christine Zahren, Director</p>
12.30 pm	Break

1.30 pm	<p>Roundtable - Patient Advocacy Groups: Victorian Comprehensive Cancer Centre Prof Grant McArthur, Executive Director</p> <p>Melanoma & Skin Cancer Advocacy Network (MSCAN) Ms Tamara Dawson, Director</p> <p>Ovarian Cancer Australia Ms Jane Hill, Chief Executive</p> <p>NeuroEndocrine Cancer Australia Ms Simone Leyden, Chief Executive Officer and Co-founder</p>
2.30 pm	<p>Roundtable - Patient Advocacy Groups: Leukaemia Foundation Mr Tim Murphy, General Manager, Blood Cancer Partnerships</p> <p>Blood Cancer Taskforce Prof John Seymour, Co-Chair</p> <p>Haematology Society of ANZ and Leukaemia and Lymphoma Group Ms Delaine Smith, Chief Executive Officer</p> <p>Haemophilia Foundation Australia Ms Sharon Caris, Executive Director</p> <p>Australian and New Zealand Children's Haematology/Oncology Group Acting Prof Jordan Hansford, Director, CNS Group Chair</p>
3.30 pm	Close