

# Functional Neurological Disorders Masterclass

## Overview

This one-and-a-half day interactive course will allow clinicians to gain knowledge and practical skills in Functional Neurological Disorders (FND). Workshop topics include:

- Making a diagnosis based on positive clinical signs
- Effective management
- Explaining the diagnosis to patients
- Common pitfalls and how to avoid them
- Multidisciplinary techniques, strategies and tools.

## Workshop structure

The workshop will commence by outlining contemporary, evidence-based theory and management of FND. Small group sessions will provide an opportunity to consolidate skills. Trained simulated patients using clinical scenarios will allow participants to practice diagnosis, management, and holding difficult conversations in a confidential setting. The workshop will be delivered by an inter-professional team with extensive experience in effectively managing FND patients. There will be opportunities to network with the team and other workshop participants.



## This course is relevant for:

Any health practitioner who manages patients with functional neurological disorder, for example:

- Physiotherapists and other allied health practitioners
- Neurologists
- General Practitioners
- Psychologists
- Psychiatrists
- Nurses



**Duration:** One-and-a-half days

**Cost:** \$600

**Dates in 2018:**

- Saturday, 14 April, 0830-1630 **plus** Sunday 15 April, 0830-1300, **or**
- Friday 26 October, 0830-1630 **plus** Saturday 27 October, 0830-1300

**Location:** Mater Education, Level 4, Duncombe Building Raymond Tce, South Brisbane campus 4101. [View map.](#)

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