



Medico-Legal Society of Queensland

2010 conference

3 - 4 September 2010

Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort & Spa

Patient Safety: Who Cares?

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SURFERS PARADISE MARRIOTT RESORT & SPA

Leave the city lights and Friday afternoon traffic behind! On arrival at the five-star Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort & Spa situated at the secluded, northern end of Surfers Paradise, you will instantly feel relaxed. This Gold Coast hotel's unique facilities, ideal location and award-winning service combine to create an unrivalled conference venue and weekend retreat. You and your family can choose to dine at award-winning restaurants, relax around private sandy beaches or swim and snorkel with over 400 tropical fish in the \$8.5 million heated saltwater lagoon. Set amidst lush tropical gardens, this Gold Coast beach resort hotel is renowned for its Pacific Ocean views, quality accommodation, excellent conference facilities, attentive service and its luxurious day spa.

In early September expect perfect weather – clear blue skies, warm sunshine and cooler evenings. Combining conference sessions with a relaxed and casual environment will facilitate stimulating, open discussion and exchange of views from both professions on a topic which deserves comprehensive review.



Invitation to attend

Once again, I am very pleased to invite you to attend the Medico-Legal Society of Queensland's annual conference, to be held at Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort & Spa on the Gold Coast from 3 – 4 September 2010.

Each year the Society's executive committee endeavours to design a challenging and relevant business program of significant interest to both the legal and medical professions. Our 2010 conference theme, **Patient Safety: Who Cares?** is topical, timely and thought-provoking. We have invited highly qualified and experienced experts from within and outside our professions to provide an overview of current thinking and recommended future action. Addressing the issues of risk management as it relates to patient safety, from both a legal and clinician's perspective will generate valuable discussion, leading into the afternoon's facilitated Hypothetical entitled *Blame & Shame: Is it helpful?*

We anticipate a stimulating exchange of views as well as entertaining panelists.

Friday evening's dinner will launch the conference in style! Don't miss this opportunity to catch up with friends and contemplate the

message delivered by our after dinner speaker. *Achieving Excellence* is Dr Brett Robinson's particular passion and has been his motivation as a professional rugby player, manager of the Australian Rugby Union high performance unit, a doctor and currently CEO of a major insurance company.

Our conference farewell poolside barbeque will be an informal and relaxing family occasion. Why not stay on and enjoy the Spring sunshine, the Marriott's resort facilities and the Gold Coast beaches and many attractions?

I am confident you will leave the conference feeling refreshed, challenged and better informed.

I look forward to catching up with you in September.

DR TERRY COYNE
President
Medico-Legal Society of Queensland

Conference sponsors

The Medico-Legal Society of Queensland wishes to thank our sponsors for supporting the 2010 Conference:



MDA National is a doctor owned mutual group that looks after the professional indemnity and medico-legal needs of Australian doctors. For 85 years MDA National has worked in close partnership with the medical profession, serving the best interests of doctors by providing sound and reliable medical indemnity services.



Invited speakers

Dr Richard Batt is a senior air safety investigator with the Australian Transport Safety Bureau. He joined the ATSB in 1998 and has investigated the human factors and organisational aspects of a wide range of aviation occurrences. He has particular interest in the organisational aspects of aviation safety and has been involved in a number of ATSB investigations in this area, including Ansett Australia Maintenance Safety deficiencies and the safety of helicopter emergency medical service operations. Richard has a BSc in psychology from Flinders University, South Australia, a PhD in aeronautical decision making from the University of Otago, New Zealand, and a Diploma of Transport Safety Investigation. He is the course convenor of the ATSB's highly respected human factors course and has presented on human factors topics to a variety of aviation safety and other organisations. This year, he received the ATSB Australia Day Award in recognition of his outstanding contribution to the Australian Transport Safety Bureau in the field of human factors.

Julie Cameron was admitted as a solicitor in 1991. She has been a partner at Corrs Chambers Westgarth since 2001 where she heads the Queensland Health team. Julie has a significant practice representing clients in inquests before the Coroner's Court, including deaths in the context of medical treatment. She advises and represents clients in investigations by the HQCC and professional registration boards.

Gerard Mullins was admitted to the Queensland Bar in 1988 and has practised at the private Bar since that time. He has a Bachelor of Laws from Queensland University of Technology and a Master of Laws from The University of Queensland. He has lectured and tutored at Queensland University of Technology in both the bachelor and masters programs. He is author of several publications on tort related issues and has presented over 100 papers on aspects of tort and insurance law. He is a past President, Queensland Branch of the Australian Lawyers Alliance. He was an International Governor on the Board of Governors, American Association for Justice (formerly the Association of Trial Lawyers of America). He has served as a part-time member of the Queensland Anti-Discrimination Tribunal. In recent times he has worked closely with the Queensland

Government on tort reform issues. Recent cases in which he has appeared include a claim for compensation by relatives and victims of the Blackhawk helicopter crash in Townsville in 1996 and on behalf of the Bundaberg Hospital Patient Support Group at the Queensland Public Hospital Inquiry (formerly Morris Inquiry).

Dr Tony O'Connell is the chief executive of the Centre for Healthcare Improvement within Queensland Health. This is a Deputy Director-General position responsible for quality, safety, access to services, research, culture and leadership. He has also acted at Deputy Director-General level in the NSW Department of Health. His background is as a clinician for 28 years, an intensive care specialist and anaesthetist. He has been involved in state-wide system change for over a decade.

Dr Malcolm Parker teaches ethics, law & professional issues in the MBBS program at the University of Queensland. He has qualifications in medicine, philosophy and health law, and was in general medical practice for over thirty years. He has active roles in clinical ethics and human research ethics, postgraduate medical education, professional regulation, and bioethics and health law research and publishing. He is the inaugural president of the Australasian Association of Bioethics and Health Law.

Dr Brett Robinson was appointed Chief Executive Officer of Mondial Assistance Australia in September 2009. Brett's expert management skills and experience have been framed in a high performing, multi-million dollar service and insurance business. Most recently he was with IAG in an executive management role in Queensland with direct responsibility for the key brands of NRMA, CGU and Swan. His natural leadership and team-building skills undoubtedly flow from his years of experience playing representative rugby for Australia as a Wallaby. He was also inaugural captain of the ACT Brumbies in the Super 12 competition and in total, played 16 test matches for the national rugby union team. From 2002 to 2005, he was General Manager of the Australian Rugby Union's High performance Unit with a mandate to develop elite players, coaches and referees to maintain Australia's position as a world rugby power.

Brett's ability to nurture high-performing teams is grounded in his strong belief in the inextricable links between people, teams and performance—that is, his belief that if you are able to develop people and build mutually supportive teams, then optimal performance will follow. After completing a medical degree at The University of Queensland, Brett worked as a surgical trainee and later completed a Doctorate of Philosophy in Clinical Orthopaedics at Oxford. He is a registered Queensland practitioner and assists orthopaedic colleagues once a month in advanced joint replacement surgery.

David Tait SC has been a barrister in private practice for over 30 years and was appointed Senior Counsel in 2003. For the last 20 years he has specialised in areas relating to medicine, and appears regularly for various medical defence organisations and hospitals in Queensland. In addition he acts in professional disciplinary tribunals, especially involving medical practitioners, nurses, dentists, and chiropractors. He has appeared for numerous medical practitioners in disciplinary matters as well as for medical practitioners and hospitals in Coronial Inquiries and civil claims alleging negligence. He is an honorary life member and past President of the Medico-Legal Society of Queensland. He has spoken at many medical conferences, both in Australia and overseas. He is particularly interested in legal education and is currently a lecturer at the Bar Practice Course and formerly at Griffith University where he was an adjunct Professor in the Medical School.

Dr John Wakefield is a medical clinician, administrator and patient safety advocate. After a varied clinical and managerial career across regional and metropolitan Queensland, he undertook a Fellowship in the United States working with Dr Jim Bagian of the Veterans Health National Center for Patient Safety. On returning to Queensland, he successfully lobbied for a statewide approach to patient safety improvement and was the inaugural director of the Patient Safety Centre in late 2004. With his team, he has taken an active role in national and state level patient safety reforms. He is actively involved in teaching and research into patient safety, with a particular interest in empathic communication and changing the behaviour of clinicians, recently completing a thesis on the topic.



Provisional program

Friday 3 September 2010

1700	Registration,
-1900	Ballroom Lobby
1930	Conference dinner, Garden Terrace
	Achieving Excellence Dr Brett Robinson, CEO, Mondial Assistance Australia, orthopaedic surgical assistant, former professional rugby union player and inaugural captain of the ACT Brumbies; and General Manager of the High Performance Unit, Australian Rugby Union.

Saturday 4 September 2010

0900	Conference Welcome Dr Terry Coyne, President, Medico-Legal Society of Queensland
0910	Patient Safety – diagnosis; treatment; prognosis Dr John Wakefield, Executive Director, Queensland Health Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Service and Adjunct Professor of Public Health, Queensland University of Technology <i>The last ten years has seen a major focus on the issue of patient safety. With a major study showing that 1:10 hospital patients in first world countries is harmed by healthcare, this paper will focus on understanding why healthcare has a safety problem, what has been done to address it, and whether this has made a difference. The past and future role of the law in addressing this issue will be a focus of the presentation.</i>
0940	Can compensation claims improve patient care? Julie Cameron, Partner, Corrs Chambers Westgarth, Brisbane <i>From the defendant's perspective, Julie will examine:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adverse outcomes – why some become legal claims and others don't• Does claims risk alter professional standards, legal standards and institutional policies/procedures• The risks and benefits of defensive medicine from a legal perspective Gerard Mullins, Barrister, Brisbane <i>Gerry will review compensation claims from the plaintiff's perspective including:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The human costs of medical error• Compensating for loss suffered• Civil remedies, not criminal prosecution• Achieving a balance and moving forward
1020	Q&A session with Dr John Wakefield, Julie Cameron, Gerry Mullins
1030	Morning tea

1100	Patient safety and mandatory reporting: ethics, law and self-regulation. Associate Professor Malcolm Parker, University of Queensland <i>Patient safety depends on numerous skills, processes and systems. One of the processes is the self-regulation function of the health professions, whereby practitioners, who are unsafe, due to impairment, clinical incompetence or unprofessional conduct, ought to be notified to the relevant regulatory agency. The perception that the self-regulation function has failed has led to the imposition of a statutory requirement under the National Registration scheme for health practitioners to report notifiable conduct. This is another instance of the law replacing professional ethics and self-regulation. This paper examines the relationships between ethics, law and self-regulation in the context of assuring patient safety.</i>
1130	What is realistically affordable to fix patient safety? Dr Tony O'Connell, Chief Executive, Centre for Healthcare Improvement, Queensland Health <i>Dr O'Connell will address:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What is the cost of poor quality health care?• What is the cost of quality endeavours?• How would we like our health system to work?• An approach to balancing costs and delivering best outcomes
1200	Regulatory body proceedings – have they got it right? David Tait SC, Barrister, Brisbane <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The first stated objective of the new National legislation is to provide for the protection of the public.• Does a system, where, in the past at least, investigations into clinical errors have taken years, really achieve this?• Is the new system of "IMMEDIATE ACTION" a step back from system of "IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION" under the old Queensland legislation?• Are medical practitioners really likely to report errors in an adversary system of dispute resolution where the outcome of an honest clinical error can be a suspension for a year?
1230	Keeping safe: Some ideas from aviation Dr Richard Batt, Manager International, Australian Transport Safety Bureau, Canberra <i>Richard will discuss how human factors principles underpin the way in which the Australian Transport Safety Bureau carries out safety investigations. He will present examples of ways in which human error can be managed, including the approaches taken by the aviation industry which are being adopted in other fields such as medicine.</i>
1300	Lunch
1415	The Hypothetical: Blame and shame – is it helpful? <i>What happens when you mix together a highly regarded senior obstetrician, a new set of mandatory reporting guidelines, a difficult birth, a personal injury lawsuit and a pack of hungry journo's? Join us for a controversial hypothetical case that will point the spotlight fair and square on patient safety, mandatory reporting, legal liability and journalistic mischief making.</i>



The society



The Medico Legal Society of Queensland (MLSQ) has almost 400 members spanning the medical and legal professions. This mix of members provides a unique opportunity for practitioners of these disciplines to meet, share knowledge and exchange views on medico-legal issues and to develop an understanding of how those issues affect each profession.



The Society was formed in 1952 to further medico-legal knowledge and to promote understanding and rapport between the professions. The then Chief Justice of Queensland, The Honourable Justice Macrossan delivered the inaugural address, *Medical and legal aspects of drunkenness in relation to drivers of motor vehicles*. Past presidents have included a who's who of Queensland's legal and medical fraternities. The Society's executive rotates biennially between the AMA Queensland, the Queensland Law Society and the Bar Association of Queensland.



MLSQ is an active organization regularly hosting dinner meetings with special guests from a variety of professions. Topics covered at dinners address issues and events of current interest and benefit to both professions. MLSQ also hosts an annual conference and regular educational seminars.



MLSQ membership is open to registered medical and legal practitioners. Benefits of membership include reduced rates for dinners, conferences and seminars and access to an exclusive network of medical and legal practitioners. Annual, three-year and life membership options are available. Further information may be found on the Society website: www.medico-legal.com.au

MLSQ Committee

Terry Coyne, *President*

Katharine Philp, *Junior Vice President*

David Pak Chung, *Treasurer*

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John Fraser

Tracy Pickett

Josie Sundin

Continuing Professional Development

Queensland Law Society members are welcome to self assess CPD points to a maximum of 1 CPD point per hour of seminar time for this conference.

The Bar Association of Queensland CPD Committee has accredited the Medico-Legal Society of Queensland's 2010 Conference with 1 CPD point per hour of attendance. Full attendance at the conference will accrue 3 CPD points per hour of presentation in the non allocated strand. The accreditation code is: MLS100903



Social program

Friday 3 September Conference Dinner

Time: 1930 hrs

Cost: Inclusive for delegates and registered partners.
Additional tickets: \$130

Having escaped the city and inhaled the sea air, look forward to joining colleagues, partners and friends on The Garden Terrace for a memorable welcome to the 2010 conference. The dinner will be an enjoyable and entertaining start to the conference. Our guest speaker, Dr Brett Robinson, will share his views on attaining excellence. Pre-arranged seating will be organised. Please advise on the registration form if you wish to sit with particular delegates. Dress: For gentlemen, jacket but no tie.

Saturday 4 September Lunch

Time: 1300 hrs

Cost: Inclusive for delegates and registered partners.
Additional tickets: \$45

Lunch will be served for delegates and registered partners on The Garden Terrace. Entry is by ticket only so please indicate attendance on the registration form.

Conference Farewell

(Optional at additional cost)

Time: 1730 – 2030 hrs

Cost: Adults: \$65
Children (5 - 12 years): \$35

NB: A cash bar will operate for all beverages

Our conference farewell – a poolside barbeque – is planned as a family occasion. Early evening by the pool will be an attractive and exclusive location for this informal function. A perfect opportunity to reflect upon the conference sessions and the issues raised, spend time with family and enjoy that special Marriott Resort magic!

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

Saturday 4 September

0930 – 1200 hrs

For children up to 12 years: Please meet your activities leader at the terrace by the pool for fish feeding in the lagoon. After this, go back to the kids club for a morning of arts, crafts and games. Children who are not toilet-trained must be accompanied by an adult. Please register your child's attendance on the registration form. Places are limited!

For older children, unsupervised activities at the resort include the world class pool, slides and lagoon complete with tropical fish, a reef and a beach. Fish feeding is scheduled every morning at 9.30am at the lagoon. The hotel has a water sports kiosk where you can hire snorkel gear, li-los and water play items. We strongly recommend bringing your own instead of paying hire fees! There are a games room and children's playground on level three. Tennis courts may be booked at the activities desk in the lobby. Bring your own tennis gear or equipment is available for hire at the activities desk. Also available for hire are play-stations and DVD players.



General information

Conference Registration

Registration will be conducted in the Ballroom Lobby at the following times:

Friday 3 September 2010 1700 – 1900 hours

Saturday 4 September 2010 0745 hours

Conference Secretariat

Medico-Legal Society of Queensland
PO Box 5145
KENMORE EAST QLD 4069
Tel/Fax: 07 3871 0595
Email: office@medico-legal.com.au
www.medico-legal.com.au

Email Communication

All communication with the MLSQ Conference secretariat will be by email. It is essential that you provide an accurate email address that you check regularly.

Child Care Facilities

Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort recommends delegates contact Ann at Heaven Sent Help to arrange child-care:

Phone: 07 5598 7067

Email: heaven_sent_help@bigpond.com

Website: www.heavensenthelp.com.au

Dress

Smart casual attire is appropriate for conference sessions. A jacket may be required for air-conditioned session rooms. Jacket but no tie is the dress for gentlemen attending the conference dinner.

Car Parking

Marriott Resort guests may park in the hotel car park on a complimentary basis. Valet parking is also available for a fee of \$15.

Breakfast

Breakfast is served daily in the Lagoon Restaurant. Conference delegates are entitled to a discounted price for the full buffet breakfast.

Taxis

Should you require taxis or limousine hire cars, telephone numbers are:

Gold Coast Taxis: 131 008

Limousines: 1300 551 233

Disclaimer

The Medico-Legal Society of Queensland and BE Event Management and their agents act only as organisers of these conference activities and do not accept responsibility for any act or omission on the part of the service providers. No liability is accepted for any inaccuracy, misdescription, delay, damage, death or personal injury.

All information in this brochure is correct at the time of publication but is subject to change without notice.

By registering for the Medico-Legal Society of Queensland 2010 Conference delegates agree to abide by the conditions set out in this brochure.

Privacy Statement

Your name, organisation, and city may be published on the delegate list provided to delegates at the conference. Your contact details may be used by MLSQ for promotion, networking and administration of this and future MLSQ events. Photographs of delegates and speakers taken at the conference by MLSQ or its service providers may be used for MLSQ promotional material and the MLSQ website for the purpose of promoting future society events.

If you prefer that your details are not used for these purposes please contact the conference secretariat at office@medico-legal.com.au.

Registration

Registration Fees

	Earlybird (on or before 26 July)	Fulltime
MLSQ Member	\$505	\$545
MLSQ Non-member *	\$560	\$605
Partner	\$200	\$200

Registration Entitlements

Fulltime registration includes session admission, Friday conference dinner, Saturday lunch, morning tea, pre- and post-session coffee, namebadge, conference satchel containing conference handbook and papers and other material.

Partner registration includes Friday conference dinner, Saturday lunch, partner namebadge, conference satchel, conference program and other material.

Late/on-site registration refers to those delegates who **register on or after Friday 20 August 2010**, or who pay to register upon arrival at the event. Satchels and their contents cannot be guaranteed for late/on-site registrations.

* **MLSQ Membership** – Please indicate on the registration form if you wish to join the society and details will be forwarded to you immediately.

Registration Cancellation Policy

Registration cancellations must be in writing. Cancellations made **before 13 August 2010** will be refunded less a \$100 administration fee. No registration refunds will be made after this date. However, your registration may be transferred to another person **before 27 August 2010** without penalty. Transfers made on or after 27 August 2010 will incur a \$25 processing fee.

The conference secretariat must be advised in writing of any cancellation, alteration or transfer.

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Conference venue



Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort & Spa

158 Ferny Avenue
Surfers Paradise Q 4217
Tel: 07 5592 9800
Fax: 07 5592 9888
Web site:

www.surfersparadisemarriott.com.au

Directions from Brisbane:

- 1 Drive along the Pacific Motorway, take the Smith Street Connection Exit to Southport.
- 2 Smith Street turns slightly left and becomes North Street. At the end of North Street, turn right onto the Gold Coast Highway. Follow the signs to Surfers Paradise.
- 3 Travel on the Highway for approximately 4 kms. As you enter Surfers Paradise you will see the Marriott Hotel on your right. Note: there is no right turn into the hotel from the highway.
- 4 To access the hotel, turn left into Surfers Paradise Boulevard. Then turn right into Palm Ave (fifth street on right).
- 5 Turn right into Gold Coast Highway, heading back towards Southport. Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort & Spa entry is approximately 500 m on the left.

Interstate delegates may fly directly into the Coolangatta Airport. Transfers to Surfers Paradise on Friday afternoon/evening take approximately 35-45 minutes. Taxi fares are approximately \$60 and limousines are approximately \$75. To book transfers in advance:

Gold Coast Taxis: 131 008

Limousines: 1300 551 233

ACCOMMODATION

We strongly recommend that you book your accommodation as early as possible to secure your preferred accommodation, preferably before 26 July 2010.

Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort & Spa is a 5 star property with almost 300 large, modern hotel rooms and 30 suites - all with balconies and panoramic views of the ocean, Gold Coast skyline or hinterland. An ideal Gold Coast family resort, the hotel has an abundance of on-site activities and prime beach access. Included with your accommodation is:

- 24 hour access and full use of the Resort fitness centre
- Complimentary use of the Resort's two tennis courts
- Complimentary undercover car parking
- Morning newspaper



Ocean View Room

Please read the following information carefully BEFORE completing the accommodation booking section on the registration form.

- Special rates have been negotiated with Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort & Spa. These room rates are available only by booking through the conference secretariat, and are applicable to the three days before and/or after the conference (subject to availability).
- Please book early to avoid disappointment! All rooms will be subject to availability from 6 August 2010.
- Single, double or twin rooms are available. Rooms with a guaranteed ocean view attract a higher tariff. A limited number of interconnecting rooms are available. These are subject to availability so please book these as soon as possible. If you wish to reserve a suite, please contact the secretariat to ascertain the conference rate.
- Room rates are per room per night and include GST. The rate does not include breakfast.
- Extra bedding (eg rollaway/sofa bed) charge is \$40 per night. The maximum occupancy per room is three adults or two adults and two children (14 years or under) using existing bedding.
- A deposit of at least one night's tariff or credit card authority must accompany your registration form before your reservation can be processed. Credit card details will be held to guarantee the room and the full amount owing will be debited at check out. A tax invoice/receipt will be issued at that time.
- Check in time is 1400 hrs. Check out time is 1100 hours. Late check-out may be requested but cannot be guaranteed.
- Please indicate your expected arrival time on the registration form.

Cancellation Policy

- Accommodation cancellations must be made in writing to the secretariat.
- Accommodation deposits will be refunded **if a cancellation is notified prior to 20 August 2010.**
- Rooms cancelled after this date will incur a cancellation fee equal to one night's tariff.



Registration form

Medico Legal Society of Queensland 2010 Conference
Tax Invoice - ABN: 95 306 570 547

This document becomes a tax invoice for GST purposes when payment is made.

Please complete all sections of the registration form to ensure you are correctly registered.

Return the completed form with payment details to:

**Medico Legal Society of Queensland
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PO Box 5145
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Ph/Fax: 07 3871 0595
Email: office@medico-legal.com.au**

Personal details

Justice / Judge / Prof / Dr / Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms.....

Family Name

Given name

Organisation

Position

Postal address.....

Suburb / Town.....

State Postcode.....

Telephone (Bus).....

Telephone (Mob).....

Facsimile

Email

Please circle: Doctor Lawyer Other

Special requirements

(Please note any specific dietary, conference dinner seating requests, wheelchair access or other requirements)

Registration fees

	Earlybird <i>(on or before 26 July 2010)</i>	Fulltime	Cost
MLSQ Member	___ x \$505	___ x \$545	
MLSQ Non-member *	___ x \$560	___ x \$605	
Registered Partner	___ x \$200	___ x \$200	
		Subtotal	\$

Name for namebadge:.....

Partner's name for namebadge:.....

* I am interested in joining the Society.
Please email a membership form.



Conference Activities

Costs are included in the registration fee unless otherwise indicated below. For catering purposes, it is essential that you advise yes or no regarding your attendance.

Delegate		Please indicate attendance yes or no	Partner	Please indicate attendance yes or no	Additional tickets	No. of additional ticket(s) req.	Additional charge
Friday 3 September							
Conference Dinner	Included in registration	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Included in partner registration	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	\$130		
Saturday 4 September							
Lunch	Included in registration	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Included in partner registration	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	\$45		
Conference Farewell	\$65	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	\$65	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Children (5-14 yrs) \$35		
Subtotal							\$

Saturday Morning Children's Activities:

Name and age of children participating (up to 12 years):

Accommodation

To secure your preferred accommodation booking, we strongly encourage you to book your accommodation early, preferably before 26 July 2010.

- Please read the accommodation section in the brochure **BEFORE** completing this form.
- A tax invoice for accommodation will be issued by the resort at check out.
- Accommodation bookings received after 6 August 2010 are subject to availability.
- Credit card details or a deposit of one night's tariff are required to secure the booking.

Please book the following accommodation:

Check in:/September 10

My ETA is: Hours

Check out:/September 10

My ETD is: Hours

Please book the following accommodation:

Room Type		Rate per night	Deposit
Hinterland Room	<input type="checkbox"/> single <input type="checkbox"/> twin <input type="checkbox"/> double	\$200	
Ocean View Room	<input type="checkbox"/> single <input type="checkbox"/> twin <input type="checkbox"/> double	\$250	
Interconnecting Room	<input type="checkbox"/> single <input type="checkbox"/> twin <input type="checkbox"/> double	Limited availability	
Subtotal			\$

- A charge of \$40/night applies for additional bedding
- Contact the secretariat for conference rates for studio or executive suites

I will be sharing accommodation with (please provide names):

Other special requirements (eg rollaway bed/cot)

Please indicate age of children accompanying you to the conference:

Payment Summary Amount

	Cost
Registration Fees	\$
Conference Activities	\$
Accommodation Deposit	\$
Total	\$

Payment method

Payment must accompany this registration form. Conference registration cannot be confirmed until payment is received. All prices are quoted in Australian dollars and include GST. **Payment must be received by the due date to receive the nominated discounts otherwise the next level of payment will be charged.**

Payment options:

- My cheque payable to *Medico-Legal Society of Queensland* is enclosed
- Bank transfer:
BSB 084-263 Account number: 163455288
Please include delegate's name in the transaction reference and advise payment by email to office@medico-legal.com.au. A completed registration form must be forwarded to the secretariat to be fully registered and accommodation booked.

- Please debit my credit card: Mastercard Visa

Credit Card Number:

_____ / _____ / _____ / _____

Expiry Date:

Cardholder:

Signature:

A confirmation letter will be forwarded to you by email once your registration has been processed.

