

# Compassion in Healthcare



Neuroscience is now helping us understand that if we consciously still our minds and calm our emotions, we can build the neural connections that allow us to better understand how we make decisions, and improve our perspective taking/engagement with others.

In healthcare compassion is fundamental to high-quality, high-performing systems and drives improvement in performance – better patient outcomes, better population health and better value for money.

Come along and hear from internationally recognised speakers in the field of compassion in healthcare and contribute to this important conversation about growing compassionate responses.

## Speakers will include:

- Marilyn Turkovich, Director, Global Charter for Compassion
- Timothy Cunningham and Jonathan Bartels, University of Virginia, School of Nursing, Compassionate Care Initiative
- Mr Matthew Hadfield, BHS Clinical Director Surgical Services

**6 February 2018, 1pm – 4.30pm**  
**Queen Elizabeth Centre, 102 Ascot Street Sth, Ballarat**

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