**Presentation title: The Palliative Approach: caring for people with life limiting conditions**

**Abstract** (max. 300 words):

Caring for people and their carers with life limiting conditions, especially in rural and remote areas, can pose unique challenges for GPs and other health care providers. This workshop will aim to provide an overview of the palliative approach to care and information on where support and resources can be accessed.

Following this workshop, participants should be able to:

1. Describe the principles of the palliative approach and how this can be applied in their setting.

2. Identify evidence based pain and symptom management strategies for palliative care patients.

3. Identify strategies for integrating the palliative approach into their care protocols.

4. Access the various supports, resources and further education opportunities in the palliative care area.