



### Plenary Session Run Sheet

Friday 27 November 1500 – 1630 AEDT

#### Plenary 2: A year of Disasters

<b>Chairs:</b> Andy Robertson / Brendan Wood	<b>Speakers:</b> Georgeina Whelan Toni Bushby Tony Smith Brett Sutton  Geoff Robinson	<b>Panel:</b> Brett Sutton Georgeina Whelan Toni Bushby Tony Smith
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**Reminder to chairs / speakers – please log into the OnAIR system 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start time. You will be welcomed by the operator; and placed in the Green Room as outlined during the rehearsals.**

#### Brief Opening script (For Chairperson)

- Thank the audience for joining the session today.
- Reminder to viewers - Please use the Live Q&A tab to ask any questions to our speakers. We will be answering the questions during the panel at the end of the session.
- Trouble-shooting – if as viewers you are having difficulty with the session, please click on the red “Live Support” button in the top right of the screen to speak to our live support team.
- Thank the audience for joining the session today. Remind **AMMA members** that the AGM will take place today at 1630 and encourage them to join
- Introduce the session and the first speaker (refer below for biographical information)

#### Brief Closing Script (For Chairperson)

- Thank you for joining us
- Once this session is over, please return to the timeline (which is the main program page on the OnAIR Platform). The next session will be the closing remarks followed by the AGM at 1630.



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Presentation type	Length	Time	Presenter	Layout	Powerpoint	Recording
Holding Slide/ Countdown	30 sec			Single		Yes
Welcome from chair	5mins	1500-1505	Dr Andy Robertson CSC PSM	Single	No	Yes
Plenary	15mins	1505-1520	BRIG Georgeina Whelan COL Toni Bushby	Single		LIVE
Cut to chair – to thank speakers Introduce Dr Smith						
Plenary	15mins	1520-1535	Dr Tony Smith	Single		Yes
Cut to chair – to thank Dr Smith Introduce Prof Sutton						
Plenary	15mins	1535-1550	Prof Brett Sutton	Single		Yes
Cut to chair – invite panellists						
Panel	30mins	1550-1620	Moderator - Dr Andy Robertson CSC PSM Panellists Prof Brett Sutton BRIG Georgeina Whelan AM CSC COL Toni Bushby Dr Tony Smith	Gallery	No	LIVE
Cut to chair – to thank you panellists To invite GPCAPT Geoff Robinson NSC to give the closing remarks. Refer to Closing script						
Closing remarks	5mins	1620-1625	GPCAPT Geoff Robinson NSC	Single		LIVE
AGM	30mins	1630-1700	AMMA council			LIVE

**Bios of speakers**

**ACT EMERGENCY SERVICES RESPONSE TO THE 2020 BUSHFIRE SEASON**

**BRIG Georgeina Whelan AM CSC and Bar  
 Commissioner, ACT Emergency Services Agency**

Brigadier Whelan has extensive experience in command, leadership and management roles across the ADF and the Emergency Services sector. Georgeina was appointed as Commissioner of the ACT Emergency Services Agency in October 2019 in the lead up to the 2019/20 Black Summer Bushfires National Disaster. She led the ACT through this period, appointed as the ACT’s Emergency Controller.

<https://www.amma.asn.au/amma2020/speakers/brig-georgeina-whelan-am-csc-and-bar/>



**COL Toni Bushby**

**Director Army Health & Head of Corps, Royal Australian Army Nursing Corps**

COL Bushby commenced her appointment as Director Army Health in September 2019.

A Nursing Officer by background, and the current HOC RAANC, her regimental and clinical experiences have been a combination of Joint and Army appointments. She is a passionate advocate for combat health care within the land domain and for all health craft groups within it.

<https://www.amma.asn.au/amma2020/speakers/col-toni-bushby/>

### **WHAKAARI / WHITE ISLAND DISASTER**

**Dr Tony Smith**

**Medical Director, St John, New Zealand**

As Medical Director, Tony Smith has led the clinical direction of St John New Zealand since 2005.

Tony chairs the working group that develops the clinical procedures and guidelines for the ambulance sector in New Zealand. Within his tenure as chairman, Tony has led the development of national policies that determine the treatment and destination of patients in New Zealand with spinal cord injury, major trauma, stroke and heart attack. Having an active involvement in pre-hospital care and research, Tony leads a collaborative approach to contributing to multi-centre trials.

<https://www.amma.asn.au/amma2020/speakers/dr-tony-smith/>

### **VICTORIA'S PUBLIC HEALTH RESPONSE TO BUSHFIRES AND COVID-19**

**Prof Brett Sutton, Department of Health & Human Services Victoria**

**Chief Health Officer, Victoria Health**

Prof Brett Sutton is Victoria's Chief Health Officer. He undertakes a variety of statutory functions under health and food-related legislation. He also provides expert clinical and scientific advice and leadership on issues impacting public health. He is the spokesperson for the Victorian Government on matters related to health protection, including public health incidents and emergencies.

<https://www.amma.asn.au/amma2020/speakers/prof-brett-sutton/>