











GLOBAL MENTAL HEALTH FORUM

Australian Launch of

THE LANCET SERIES ON GLOBAL MENTAL HEALTH

THE INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEMS

Thursday 4th October 2007, 9am - 4pm Yasuko Hiraoka Room, Level 1 Sidney Myer Asia Centre, University of Melbourne, Parkville

The Centre for International Mental Health, School of Population Health, and the Nossal Institute for Global Health, University of Melbourne, are pleased to invite you to participate in the Global Mental Health Forum.

The Lancet Series:

- 1. No health without mental health
- 2. Scarcity, inequity and insufficiency of resources: three major obstacles to better mental health
- 3. Treating mental disorders in low- and middle-income countries: Do we have the evidence to scale up?
- 4. Mental health systems in countries: where are we now?
- 5. Barriers to improving mental health services in low and middle income countries
- 6. A call for action for global mental health

The Forum will include the Australian launch of the Lancet Series on Global Mental Health and the International Journal of Mental Health Systems; presentations of the major findings in the Lancet Series and the *call for action*; commentaries on the series by key stakeholders in global mental health and a panel discussion by local and international leaders in mental health, donor agencies, multilateral agencies, NGOs and other stakeholders.

Join us in discussing what should be the Australian contribution to meeting the challenges posed in the Lancet Series and in the Call for Action.

Registration and further information available at:

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