



DOT(WA) Inc. MEETING Minutes

**PD TO BE HELD at 6:30pm and AGM immediately afterwards (approx. 7:30)
on the 11th of August 2020 by Zoom**

PRESENTATION: Research, grant writing, accessing evidence based resources–
Where to start? **Presented by** Suzi Taylor

- 1. WELCOME & APOLOGIES**
- 2. CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**
- 3. MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES**
- 4. AGM PRESENTATION**
- 5. NEW EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NOMINATIONS**
- 6. DOT(WA) AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PAEDIATRIC OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY**
- 7. OT ASSOCIATIONS**
- 8. NEW BUSINESS**
- 9. THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE UGLY**
- 10. REGIONAL NEWS**

Following meeting: Tuesday 6th October 2020

Chairperson: Fiona Kemp

Presentation by: Yvette Pickering

Topic: Assessment and Management of Joint Hyper Mobility

Zoom video conference details:

Zoom instructions can be found in the DOT(WA) newsletter or on our website: <https://dotwa.org.au/monthly-meeting/>



DOT (WA) Inc. MEETING MINUTES

**MINUTES of MEETING HELD on Monday 16th June 2020 AT 7:30pm
ZOOM meeting**

1. PRESENT

Fiona Kemp, Ella Woods, Andrea Brown, Chloe woods, Clare Jongeling, Meggan Stone, Maddison Balk, Jessica Li, Heloise Brits, Kelsey Hayes, Carmen Ip, Natalie Bright, Tennille Archer, Monika More, Cath Kroon, Amy Buckingham, Louise McCartney, Shani Mattinson, Courtney Belstead, Vanessa Wheeler, Helena Blackley, Kirsten Jouana, Leigh Dix, Gayle Hillen, Katelin Elliott, Felicity Matthews, Joellen Bevilaqua, Esmé Le Roux, Claire Cepo, Fiona Hayes, Kathy Gibbs, Jacinta Nuske, Dree Campbell, Nicola Hawkins, Katy Rutter

2. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

No one reviewed minutes to approve as PDF's are not downloadable by the DOT(WA) website at the moment.

3. MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

Nil

4. OT ASSOCIATIONS

4.1 OTA (WA Division)

-Have been good sharing DOT(WA) PD's.

4.2 OT Australia

- Conference June 2021, will potentially be virtual if COVID travel restrictions continue
- OT exchange is occurring virtually September 2020

5. NEW BUSINESS

5.1 FUTURE DOT(WA) MEETINGS AND PD

Virtual will be occurring for PD and meetings until further notice. Zoom will always be an option when the meetings go back face to face.

5.2 NEXT MEETING is our AGM in August 2020. If you are interested in being apart of the DOT(WA) committee please consider joining. We welcome local and rural/regional members to join the committee.

5.3 Membership Renewals will be open very soon through the website. Please apply online and not just via bank transfer as we have no way of tracing the deposit.

5.4 Newsletters are now being done via MailChimp. If you have not been receiving them, please check your junk folder or let us know as they may get trapped in peoples spam. We will do a Facebook announcement when the newsletter is sent out.

5.5 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- AHPRA announced that if OT's do not meet CPD requirements, they will not hold this against you if you are audited. Information on this was shared in the DOT(WA) Newsletter
- Karen Stagnitti is currently offering lots of Zoom training. You can even hire her to give presentations just to your workplace. As she is soon to retire, this could be a good option.

6. THE GOOD THE BAD AND THE UGLY

Autistic Voices Webinar

<https://www.autismcrc.com.au/news/webinars/autistic-voices-webinar-29-april-2019>

7. REGIONAL NEWS

- Any ideas on how can specialised services can support regional therapists more, or had something that has worked well already in supporting regional therapists/clients. Please let us know- dotwa@outlook.com
- Research Questions/Projects: If you have a clinical question you want answered but are not research based or do not want to complete a research project, please send your research questions to universities for honour students or research projects to use or speak to Jacqui Hunt- j.hunt@ecu.edu.au

8. PRESENTATION

Next Meeting:	Tuesday 11 th August 2020
	By Zoom
Presentation by	Suzi Taylor, Research, grant writing, accessing evidence based resources– Where to start?

Minutes completed by:

Tennille Archer

DOT(WA) Meetings secretary

Meeting Chaired by:

Fiona Kemp

Chairperson